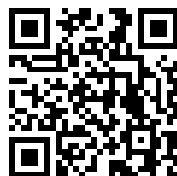


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" Like leaves on trees the race of man is found,  
Now green in youth, now withering on the ground :  
Another race the following Spring supplies;  
They rise successive, and successive fall:  
So generations in their course decay;  
So flourish these when those are passed away.  
—Pope's *Translation Homer's Iliad.*

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## ABSTRACT OF CHOWAN CO. WILLS.

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(Originals in office of Clerk of the Superior Court, Edenton, N. C.)

\*Iredell, James (Chowan), April 27th, 1790; July 22nd 1794. Wife, my relative Miss Margaret Macartney, dec'd, of Great Britain, Henry Eustace McCulloch, my wife and her brother Samuel Johnston, son James, daughters Anne, Isabella and Helen. S. Iredell; my mother; brother Arthur, Samuel Johnston Exr. Test, A. Hodge, Sam Tredwell.

Iredell, Hannah (widow of James Iredell), Jan'y 20, 1823. Sept. Term 1826. Son James Iredell, my daughter Helen S. Iredell, nephew James C. Johnston and son James Iredell Exrs.

Jones, Epaphroditus, Hertford Co., July 3rd, 1768. Wife Rebecca, grand-daughters Millie Jones and Arkade Jones, daughter Mary Fryer, Edward Arnall Exr. Test, Thomas Harrell, John Harrell, Demse Harrell.

Jones, George, Chowan, Oct. 18th, 1890. Brothers Robert, Allen, Willie and Tamerlane Jones; Robert Jones and James Bradley of Northampton Co., Exrs. Test. E. Norflect, Will T. Muse.

Jones, Thomas, Edenton, Augt. 2nd, 1775. My Executors to sell my houses and land in Kentish Town, Middlesex Co., G. B. Son Thomas, daughter Sarah, son Francis, daughter Ann Jones, sister Mary Jones of Oxford, G. B., nieces Elizabeth and Ann Earl (daughters of Rev. Daniel Earl) Rev. Daniel Earl, Walter Ferguson and

\*James Iredell married Miss Hannah Johnston, sister of Gov. Samuel Johnston and daughter of Samuel Johnston. He was appointed by President George Washington as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. Was one of the most prominent leaders of the Revolution in North Carolina, and many of his public papers and letters written in the interest of Independence have been preserved in "McRee's Life and Correspondence of James Iredell." He is buried near Edenton in the burial lot of the Johnston family at Hayes. We hope to give a more extended notice of him and his family in a future issue of the REGISTER.

Chas. Bondfield Exrs. Test, Robert Smith, Arch'd Corrie, Arch'd Campbell.

Jones, Thomas, Sr., Chowan, Nov. 25th, 1763. Wife Elizabeth, sons Thomas and William, daughter Mariam Jones, my sons and daughters, son Thomas Exr. Test, Wm. H. Matthews, John Cowper, Lazarus Peed.

Jones, Thomas, Chowan, June 25th, 1797; Sept. Term 1797. Daughter Mary Brinn, daughter Elizabeth Beasley, sons Zachariah and Levi, son Thomas, grand-daughter Elizabeth Sweeney, grand-son Josiah Sweeney, my three sons Exrs. Test, Nath'l Howcott, Henry Bonner.

Jones Nancy, (no date probably in 1786), Chowan. Uncle Frlley Jones, sister Charlotte. Test, L. Robertson.

Jones, James, Chowan, Oct. 15th, 1765. Wife Elizabeth, daughter Mary Jones, child in esse, wife and Jacob Hunter Exrs. Test, Aaron Laceter, Jacob Hunter, John Jones.

Jones, Lewis, Chowan, March 27th, 1763; April Term 1763. Daughter Ann Cortis, children Lewis, Ann, James, Isaiah and Josiah, Miles Halsey and Joseph Cortis Exrs. Test, John Lewis, J. Craven, Jr., Nicho. E. Coke.

Jones, Zachariah, Chowan, Oct. 17th, 1803; Dec. Term, 1803. Wife Mary, son Henry, William Jones, brother Levi Jones and Exum Simpson Exrs. Test, Richard Bond, Mary Brinn.

Jones, James, Chowan, Aug. 8th, 1810; Dec. Term 1812. Wife Elizabeth, sons Edmund, William, Nathaniel and Allen Jones, daughters Esther Bunch, Sarah Jones, Nancy Hinton, Son Edmund Exr. Test, John Fyfe.

Jones, William, Chowan, Sept. 23rd, 1807; Dec. Term 1817. Wife Sarah, cousin Thomas Jones (son of brother Thomas, dec'd) cousin Levi Jones, son-in-law Nath'l Howcott, Absalom Pritchard, heirs of Amy McGuire (former wife of Phillip McGuire) heirs of Mary McGuire (former wife of Philip McGuire), Mariam McGuire (present wife of Phillip McGuire) Doctrin Price, Jonathan Humphries, all the children of my deceased brothers and sisters, Sarah Pritchard (wife of Absalom) wife and Nath'l Howcott Exrs. Test Richard Hoskins, Nathan Parish.

Jones, Richard, Carteret, Dec. 11th, 1839. Wife Martha Ann, land on the Island of Ocracoke, wife Exx. Test, John Pike, Wm. F. Currell, Siffus Pulham.

Johnson, Joseph, Chowan, Apl. 20th, 1790. Son Miles, wife Barsheba. Test, Chas. Hughes, Wm. Champion, Wm. Newborn.

Johnson, Charles, Chowan, July 23rd, 1802. Sons Thomas and Charles Earl Johnson, Gustavus Adolphus Johnson, children of Wm.

Bennett and Helen the wife of Sam'l Tredwell, Sam'l Tredwell, Wm. Roberts and Wm. Jackson Exrs. Test, S. Dickinson, John Coffield, Elliott Torksey.

Johnson, Charles E., Chowan, Feb'y 29th, 1849. Wife Ann W. Johnson, son Charles E., Lucius J. and James M. Johnson, daughters Ann W. T. Johnson, Cornelia Johnson and Virginia Johnson, grand-daughters Elizabeth Earl, Jane Benedicta and Caroline Elizabeth Henderson, son Lucius J. Johnson Exr. Test, Sam'l I. Johnston, Aug. Moore, John R. Winslow, grand-children Elizabeth, Jane Caroline Henderson daughters of A. M. Henderson.

Jordan, Wm., Bertie Co., Nov. 17, 1790. Wife Mary, sons Wm. and Jos., daughters Mary Smithwick and Margaret Haramond (wife of Henry, dec'd) daughters Elizabeth and Harriet and Sally, Mary Smithwick's eldest son William to be sent to school, each one of her children \$100. Thos. Collins, Christian Reed and Bird Hubbard Exrs. Test, Fred Ramecke, James B. Jordan, Josiah Collins.

Jordan, Jacob, Chowan, June 24th, 1795. Wife Elizabeth, sons Jacob, Josiah, Joseph and Jonathan, daughters Leah Bonner, Rachel Elliott and Patience Elliott, sister-in-law Sarah Valentine, wife and Nicholas Stallings Exrs. Test, Nathan Parker, Ann Earl, Jr., Mary Stallings.

Jordan, Charles, Chowan, Sept. 6th, 1771; June Term 1773. Son Charles, daughter Sarah Smith, son John, daughters Leah Smith and Rachel White, sons James and Robert and his son Charles, son Jacob Exr. Test, Willis Griffin, John Evans.

Jordan, Joseph, Chowan, March 21st, 1800; June Term 1800. Sons William, Jacob and Joseph, daughter Rachel, brother Josiah Jordan, son Thomas, daughter Mary, wife Mourning, Miles Elliott Exr. Test, W. J. Skinner, Elizabeth Parker.

Jordan, Mourning, Chowan Sept. Term 1819. Son William, daughters Pennie and Fanny Jordan, son John, all my children, son William Exr. Test, Wm. Walton.

Jordan, Jacob, Chowan, Feb'y 22nd, 1823; Dec. Term 1826. Sons Isaac, William and James Jordan, grand-children Jacob and Miriam Byrum, daughters Mary, Sarah, Elizabeth and Rebecca Jordan, son Isaac Exr. Test, James Byrum.

Jordan, Esther, Chowan, Feb'y 6th, 1836; May Term 1836. Sons John R. Jordan and Richard G. Jordan, grand-sons William and Stephen Skinner, grand-daughter Mary Jane Jordan, son John R. Exr. Test, A. Small, E. Garrett.

Jenkins, Charity, Chowan, April 15th, 1791. Sister Sarah Copeland. Test, Benj. Gregory.

NOTE —One son, Dr. Daniel Jonson, died before his father, hence his name does not appear in his will.



Jackson, Ann, Edenton, Sept. 2nd, 1763. Mother Elizabeth Wallace, William Halsey, late husband Robert Jackson, sister Deborah Halsey, mother, Francis Corbin and William Halsey Exrs. Test, Jno. McKildo, Geo. Gray, Margaret Ramsey.

Jamison, Bond, Chowan, Augt. 26th, 1806; Sept. Term 1806. Sons Wm. and James, daughters Christian, Sarah and Mary, Exum Simpson and Cullen Bunch Exrs. Test, Miles Ashley, Mary Ashley.

Jackson, William, Chowan, Dec. 23rd, 1804. Wife Sarah, daughter Sarah Burke and her son William, daughters Nancy and Rachel, son James, wife, sons James and William Exr. Test, Jno. Leary, Barney Mansfield, Will Shirley.

Jackson, Sarah, Dec. 20th, 1803; March Term 1804. Children Jas., Wm., Elizabeth Felton, Nancy and Rachel Jackson, grand-sons John Burke and William Burke, daughter Rachel Floyd, Wm. I. Skinner and son William Exrs. Test, Miles Elliott, W. I. Skinner.

Jackson, William, Chowan, Oct. 30th, 1830. Thomas Jackson, sons Edward and William, youngest sons John and Harry, daughters Sarah, Elizabeth and Rachel Jackson. Test, Job Chappel, John Bush. May Term 1835.

Iredell, Hannah, Edenton, Jan'y 20th, 1823; Sept. Term 1826. Son James Iredell, daughter Helen S. Iredell, nephew James C. Johnston and son James Iredell Exrs. Test, Jos. Blount, Ja. I. Treadwell.

Kelly, John, late of Rownock, North Carolina, County of Carotock, Jan'y 8th, 1764. Daughters Ann and Elizabeth, John Pene and my daughter Martha Kelley, John Pene Exr. Test, Stephen Weskett, Edward Mann, William Mann.

Kelly, William, Chowan, Jan'y 5th, 1815; Sept. Term 1815. Wife Nelly, sons William and David, daughter Mary Kelly, son John, children Amasiah Kelley, Sarah Jordan and Bathsheba Kelley, wife Exx. Test, Caleb Elliott, Josiah Elliott.

Karr, Ann, Edenton, Oct. 2nd, 1777. Son James, daughter Frances and my grand-daughter Ann Ormond, daughter Frances Diggins Exx. Test, John Barclay, James Cole, Catharine Cole.

King, Thomas, Edenton, 1785. Wife Elizabeth, her former husband, Andrew Little, children Henry, Thomas and Mary King, wife Exx. Test, Wm. Bennett.

King, Elizabeth, Edenton, March 8th, 1816; June Term 1816. George Blair (son of Capt. George), grand-children George, John and Sarah Blount Little, son John Little Exr. Test, Hen. King, S. Paine.

King, Henry, Edenton, June 7th, 1823; June Term 1824. John

Little, George I. Little son of John, niece Elizabeth Blair, John Little and James Iredell Exrs. Test, J. R. Creecy, Wm. Righton.

Kennedy, Ann, Edenton, Oct. 1st, 1776; June Term 1777. Brother Jeremiah Haughton, brother Charles Haughton, nieces Mary and Tamar, niece Elizabeth (daughter of brother Jeremiah Haughton), niece Rachel (daughter of brother Chas. Haughton), niece Sarah (daughter of brother Charles), nephew Edward (son of Jeremiah Haughton), nephew John (son of brother Charles Haughton), Mrs. Frances Johnson, Penelope (daughter of Sam'l Johnston), cousin Sarah Taylor, cousin Mary Penrice, brothers Jeremiah and Charles Haughton Exrs. Test, Charles E. Taylor.

Leonard, Theophilus, Chowan, Dec., 1763; May 21st, 1764. Sons John and Benjamin, daughter Phebee, son James, wife, if child in esse, wife and brother-in-law Abraham Symons Exrs. Test, Abraham Hosea.

Lewis, John, Sr., Chowan, Mch 15th, 1764; May Court 1765. Sons Isaac and Elijah, grand-son Shadrack Lewis, sons John and Benjamin, grand-son Benjamin Lewis, daughters Elizabeth, Ann, Mary and Martha, daughters Esther and Sarah, wife Mary, wife and Abraham Norfleet Exrs. Test, Thos. Jones, Rich'd Humphries, Wm. Jones.

Lewis, John, Chowan, June 25th, 1776. Wife Mary, daughters Mary and Elizabeth, Elizabeth Thompson (daughter of Robert), wife and Wm. Roberts Exrs. Test, Isaac Lewis, Gilbert Leigh.

Lassiter, John, Chowan, Jan'y 15th, 1759. Sons Obadiah and Lemuel, daughters Esbell Harrell and Ruth Brown, sons Tobias, Jonas, Reuben, Sampson and Amos, daughter Priscilla, wife Rebecca and son Reuben Exrs. Test, Josiah Granberry, Jos. Olphan, John Benton.

Lassiter, Moses, Chowan, Feb'y 26th, 1767. Wife Judith, sons Frederick, and Jethro, daughter Millicent, sons Jotham and Jeremiah, daughter Judith Coffield, son Timothy, wife and son Frederick, Exrs. Test, Jeremiah Missell, Robt. Lassiter, Wm. E. Graham.

Lassiter, George, Chowan, Feb'y 13th, 1764. Sons Uriah, George, Jonathan and Abisha, daughters Bethany Lassiter and Michel Lassiter, George Lassiter Exr. Test, Jonathan Nichols, Robt. Lassiter, John Slauen.

Lassiter, Gabriel, Chowan, June 18th, 1764. Cousins Robert and Jeremiah Lassiter, brothers Robert, George, William, Moses, Aaron and Jonathan, brother Moses Riddick, cousin Moses Spaight, Robt. Lassiter Exr. Test, Edward Criseo, Jeremiah Lassiter.

Lassiter, Aaron, Chowan, Mch 26th, 1804; June Term 1804. Daughters Cynthia Wood and Charlotte Briggs, daughter Christian

Lassiter, son Allen Exr. Test, E. Haughton, Wm. Holmes, Moses Webb.

Lassiter, Reuben, Chowan, June 10th, 1853; August Term 1853. Wife Rachel. Test, R. D. Simpson, John Williams.

Luten, Henderson, Chowan, Oct. 16th, 1791. Wife Sarah, sons Ephraim and James, daughter Penelope (wife, Wm. Boritz and Nathaniel Miller Exrs. Test, Chas. Hughes, Wm. Champion, Wm. Newborn.

Luten, John, Chowan, Dec. 3rd, 1784. Son Frederick, daughter Sarah Jones and James Jones, daughters Esther and Mary, son John, Benjamin Coffield and Richard Hoskins Exrs. Test, Joseph Small, John Procter.

\*Luten, James, Edenton, Sept. 24th, 1766. Sons Henderson, James and Absalom, sons King and Solomon, daughters Mary and Ferebee, brother Henderson, Wm. Lowther, John Beasley, Jr., and brother Henderson Luten Exrs. Test, John Daviess, Chas. Bondfield, Wm. Righton.

Luten, Thomas, Chowan, Augt. 21st, 1766. Wife Hannah, sons William, John and Thomas, grand-son Thomas Luten, daughter Elizabeth Mathias, grand-daughters Hannah Matthias and Esther Luten, grand-sons Thomas Mathias and Samuel Luten, Elizabeth Mathias, Edward Vail and Thomas Bonner Exrs. Test, Abraham Norfleet, Nath'l Howcott, Jane Denley.

Luten, Anna, Edenton, Apl 5th, 1815; June Term 1815. Son Henry, children of daughter Elizabeth Brooks, John M. Roberts Exr. Test, Mary Vail, M. E. Sawyer.

Luten, Frederick, Chowan, Dec. 23rd, 1815; June Term 1816. Daughter Esther Roberts, Mary and Frederick Haughton, wife Rachel, grand-son Fred'k R. Haughton, grand-daughter Mary Haughton, Jeremiah Mixon guardian to Mary and Frederick, grand-son John W. Roberts, John Luten, Jeremiah Mixon and John Nixon Exrs. Test, Miles Wilder, James Simons, Willis Wilder, Jr.

Lowther, William of New York, Chowan, March 28th, 1782. Wife Barbara, son Tristram, daughters Peggy and Barbara, (wife, Robt. Lenox and David Masterton Exrs). Test, Quintin Miller, Donald Mackay, Hugh Miller.

Lowther, Tristram, Bertie, Feb'y 18th, 1790. Wife Penelope, Samuel Johnston, James Iredell and brother-in-law Wm. J. Dawson Exrs.

Lucas, George D., Chowan, May 15th, 1786. John Ready also my Exr. Test, Sam'l Russell, Thomas Lyons.

Little, Andrew, Edenton, Nov. 25th, 1777; December Term 1777.

\* James Luten married Mary Pugh, daughter of Francis Pugh and wife Pheribe Savage of Bertie county, N. C.

Mother Janet Little, wife Elizabeth, son John, daughter Elizabeth, son Archibald, Wm. Lowther, Robert Hardy and Sam'l Johnston Exrs. Test, Wm. Stewart, Alex Black, Frederica Schulzer.

Little, John, Augt. 12th, 1824, Edenton. James R. Creecy, Elizabeth Blair and Henry King, Joseph B. Skinner trustee for fund for Elizabeth Blair, sons John and George, daughter Sarah, Joseph B. Skinner Exr and Gdn., Capt. Richard Jones, Joseph B. Littlejohn, Elizabeth M. Jones of Wilmington, Thomas B. and Wm. Littlejohn, Mrs. Kollock, Mr. Flury. (Holograph Will.)

Lewis, Mrs. Ann, Mch 11th, 1771, Edenton. Mrs. Margaret Fleury. Test, William Boyle.

Lecerf, Henry, Edenton, Nov. 1st, 1780. Captain Harrisminy of Bayonne, France, Capt. Salval of Bayonne, Mr. Cardou, Mr. Fernandez, Mr. Stephen Cabarrus, wife Maryan, also my Exx. Test, S. Cabarrus, Augt. Cabarrus, Edward Rice.

Lyon, Eneas, formerly of Cadiz, Spain, but now of Perquimans county, July 29th, 1780. Wife Mary of Cadiz, Spain, Wm. Benet and Frederick Norcom Exrs. Test, Richard Whedbee, Thos. Stevenson.

Leary, Cornelius, Chowan, Feb'y 18, 1762. Sons Job, John, Cornelius, William and Dempsey, Job Charlton, William Charlton and Thomas White Exrs. Test, Sarah White, Levi Creecy, John Norcom.

Leary, John, Sr., Chowan, Sept. 29th, 1807; Dec. Term 1807. Wife Sarah, sons Charles, Cornelius, Thomas Haughton Leary and John Leary, daughters Sarah and Tamar Leary, if child in esse, Thomas B. Haughton Exr. and Gdn. Test, William Hall, Chas. Haughton.

Leary, Job, Chowan, Sept. 18th, 1799. Wife Rachel, sons John and Job, daughters Mary Leary and Sarah Leary, sons John and Job Exrs. Test, John Meredith, Nathan Parish.

Leary, Sarah, Chowan, Augt. 31st, 1822. Daughter Tamar Leary, son John H. Leary, whom I appoint my Exr. Test, Mackey Gregory, Wm. B. Clements.

Lawrence, Mary, Edenton, Oct. 1st, 1799. Son Alphonso, brother Peter Payne Lawrence, whom I appoint my Exr. Test, Henry Flury, Marian Sinkler, Eliz Gray.

Liles, William, Chowan county, Dec. 18th, 1794. Wife Elizabeth, sons Thomas and William, son George, daughter Mary, Nathaniel Howcott Exr. Test, Fred'k Ramcke, Henry Bonner, Charles Hughes.

Lilse, Rebecca, Chowan county, Augt 4th, 1846; May Term 1849. Daughter Sarah Ann, Frederick C. Gregory, grand-son Stephen,

grand-daughter Ann, grand-daughter Elizabeth. Test, Wm. Clements, Fred C. Gregory.

Littlejohn, William, Edenton, April 12th, 1811. Sister Margaret Elizabeth Littlejohn, brother John, William T. Muse and Joseph Blount Exrs. (Holograph Will.)

Littlejohn, William, Edenton, Mch 23rd, 1812; June Term 1817. Cousin Alexander Littlejohn, attorney-at-law, Stirling, North Britain in trust for my sister Mrs. Jean Duncan, my children, sons Thomas Blount Littlejohn, Joseph Blount Littlejohn, John Wilson Littlejohn and son-in-law John Little Exrs. Test, John W. Littlejohn, Jos. Blount, Edmund Hoskins, Nath'l Bond.

Lackey, Mary, (Chowan) June 2nd, 1823; Sept. Term 1823. My friend Katharine Boyce wife of Jacob Boyce, all due me from the estate of my uncle William Jones, in the hands of my brother, Thomas Jones Admr. Test, J. McGuire, Benjamin Boyce.

Lynch, Littlebury, Chowan, Ap'l 10th, 1832; June Term 1832. Thomas I. Charlton Exr. Test, Edmond Bond, B. W. Hathaway.

Long, Henry A., Perquimans, May 19th, 1839. Son Lemuel C. Long, sisters Grizzell and Eliza Long, brother Creecy Long. Test Edward Johnson.

Lane, Harvey, Chowan, March 1st, 1852; Augt. Term 1852. Sons Anderson W. and Jesse P. Lane, my father John Lane, Jephtha White of Perquimans Exr. Test, Ambrose Perry, Francis J. Floyd.

Lund, Oliver, Edenton, Augt. 11th, 1854; February Term 1857. David W. Glass, Jr., son of my esteemed friend David W. Glass of Norfolk, Va., and to all of his children, friend Wm. W. Hall of Norfolk, Va., and John H. Hall of Edenton, N. C., Wm. W. Hall, Exr. Test, Thos. H. Leary, Jr., N. S. Perkins.

Lane, Nancy, Chowan, Nov. 5th, 1852. Feb'y Term 1853. Sister Peninah Braddy, Peninah Jones, James I. Cannon Exr. Test, B. F. Welch, Henry C. Hobbs.

Marshall, David, Chowan, Nov. 13th, 1765. Daughter Anne Marshall, Frances Glass and Rebecca Palmer (daughters of my wife Jean Marshall) wife Jean Exx. Test, Jno. Cleland.

Mearns, William, Currituck, Apl. 15th, 1769. Wife Dorothy, son William Skipwith Mearns, Neill Snodgrass, Merchant of Norfolk, Va., Exr. Test, Sol. Perkins, John Simmons, Benjamin Willson, Thos. Havard.

McKildoe, John, Tyrrell Co., Oct. Court 1772. Wife Martha, nephew Richard McKildo, Edw'd Buncombe Exr. Test, Robert Davidson, Michael Hearn, William Bennett.

McCormick, Duncan, Edenton, Aug't 11th, 1788. Brother Patrick McCormick, son Robert McCormick, Richard Butler and wife



Mary. Test, Thos. Lyons, Peter Phillips, David Prindle, John Coffield, Sr.

McConnell, Mary, Edenton, Augt. 28, 1779. Son James, Elizabeth Green, Sarah Branch, Deborah McConnel, Wm. Arkill, John Green and Jacob Branch. Test, Sarah Branch, Elizabeth Green, William McDonald.

Miller, Abel, Chowan, Oct. 11th, 1784. Wife, sons Malachi, Nathaniel, Ephraim, Christopher and Abel, son Frederick, daughter Mary Nicholson, wife and sons Malachi and Nathaniel Exrs. Test, Sam'l Pophelston, Henderson Luten, Wilson Mewborn.

Miller, Mason, Chowan, July 24th, 1803; Sept. Term 1803. Sons John, Nathaniel and William, son Mathias, daughters Fanny, Sarah and Elizabeth Miller, wife Asenith Exx. Test, Sam'l Baines, Levi Jones.

Morton, Ann, Chowan, Nov. 1st, 1794; June Term 1797. Abraham Norfleet Exr. Test, Abraham Norfleet, Joseph Parish.

McGuire, Samuel, Chowan, Oct. 13th, 1789. Son Samuel, daughter Sarah McGuire, sons Phillip and John, daughters Mary Parker Lydia Robeson and Deborah Hix, daughter Ann Parker, wife, sons John and Phillip Exrs. Test, Malachi Halsey, James Copeland.

McGuire, John, Chowan, August 1804; March Term 1807. Wife Sarah, son John, daughter Nancy Wilder, son John Exr. Test, Reuben Small, John Hoskins.

McGuire, Sarah, Preble Co., Ohio, Augt. 11th, 1817; March 12th, 1820. Grand-son William F. Wilder, grand-daughters Sarah and Nancy McGuire, son John, Abner Hollowell of Ohio and son John McGuire Exrs. Test, Wm. Goodwin, Edwin Buckley.

Meredith, David, Bertie, May 22nd, 1791. Wife Sarah, brother Lewis Meredith, half brother Edward Roe Jeggetts, nephew Jack Hunter, Lewis Meredith, Elisha Norfleet and wife Sarah Exrs. Test, J. Hamilton, S. Dickinson, Alex. Miller.

Meredith, John, Chowan, March 20th, 1820; March Term 1821. Sons George and John, wife Sarah, children Charles and Mary. George Meredith son of Clarky Williams. Test, Sam'l Fitt.

Middleton, John, Chowan, Jan'y 4th, 1797; Sept. Term 1798. Son William, daughter Elizabeth Burkett, son Joseph, Fred'k Luten and son William Exrs. Test, Richard Ming, Eliz Goodsberry.

Middleton, Ruth, Chowan, Feb'y 6th, 1814. Son Wm. Middleton. Test, Jas. Bentley.

Mixson, Jeremiah, Chowan, Sept. 29th, 1781. Wife Hannah, son Jeremiah, Frederick Clements and Reuben Prater, daughter Mary, Thomas Harmon and Mary Mixson Exrs. Test, Jona Haughton, Wm. Lester.

Mixson, Jeremiah, Feb'y 7th, 1826; Dec. Term 1828. Daugh-

ter Martha Bartie, son Charles W., daughters Elizabeth, Maria, Emily and Mary, grand-daughter Frances Ann Mixson (daughter of son Jere Mixson), Clemmt H. Blount, John Nixon and Thomas Ward Exrs. Test, James Norcom, Malachi Houghton, Daniel McDowell.

Minsheu, Richard, Chowan, March 12th, 1778. Sons Maximilian Bose, Richard and John, daughter Happe Taylor, son Dionysins, wife Hannah and son Dionysius Exrs. Test, Jona Nicholls, Aaron Blanchard.

Ming, Thomas, Chowan, Nov. 6th, 1798. Brother Joseph, dec'd, sons Joseph and James, daughter Rachel Gregory, wife Delilah, son Willey, Batholome Warburton, (son of Mary), daughter Penelope Ming, Mary Babcock (orphan brought up in my house). Test, Jer. Mixson, Sarah Parish.

McDonald, William, Edenton, March 22nd, 1780. Mr. Stobe in Jamaica, wife, son and daughter, child in esse (wife, Wm. Littlejohn and Alex Black Exrs.) Test, James Iredell, Thos. Iredell.

Murray, Dominique, Edenton, May 4th, 1801; Sept. Term 1806. Honoire Niel Exr., son James Murrie, daughters Polly Blakeney and Anne Murrie. Test, Jno. Beasley, Wm. Righton.

Millen, Alexander, Edenton, April 22nd, 1807; June Term 1807. Uncle Hugh Morris of Glasgow, Scotland, N. B., sister Mrs. Jean Shaw (wife of William), John Little, of Edenton, Mrs. Peggy Cox, Caroline Ann Cox and Louisa Matilda Cox, (daughters of said Peggy) niece Louisa Millen (daughter of brother John) niece Jean Kossach Miller (daughter of brother John) John Cox (son of Thomas, dec'd), Thomas Cox (son of Thomas, dec'd), Betsey Blair (daughter of George) Hannah Pritchard, Miss Eliza Gray, Trustees of the Edenton Academy, complete set of the Encyclopædia, George Blair, (son of George) niece Mrs. Thomas, niece Louisa Millen, Josiah Collins, Jr., brother Hugh Millen, any property left in Edenton by my father, (Josiah Collins, Jr., John Little and Henry King Exrs. Test, Will T. Muse, W. Blount.

Mansfield, Barney, Chowan, June 2nd, 1812; Sept. Term 1812. Wife Elizabeth, son and daughter, Jeremiah Mixson Exr. Test, John Middleton, Chas. Sanderlin.

Monds, William, Chowan, Augt. 10th, 1807; June Term 1816. Daughters Sarah Edwards and Peninah White, son William, daughter Susannah Bernemon, sons Thomas and Jacob, daughters Kesiah and Charity Monds, grand-son James Monds (son of daughter Charity Monds) daughter Rachel Monds, son Joseph, son Thomas Exr. Test, Exum Simpson, Demsey Jordan.

Mitchell, John, Sr., Chowan, Nov. 3rd, 1820; Sept. Term, 1821. Wife Elander, children Elizabeth Simpson, William, John, Jerre

and James Mitchell and Anna Backus, sons John and James Exrs. Test, N. King, Job. Chappel.

Mitchell, John, Chowan, Oct. 26th, 1842. Wife Sarah, son James; John, William and James Goodwin, Isaac Goodwin. Test, Lemuel Garrett, Daniel Hollowell.

Meredith, Sarah, Apl. 25th, 1825; June Term 1825. Son Charles Meredith, Susan Daws. Test, Joseph Parish, Benj. Moore.

McCleny, Joseph, Chowan, July 13th, 1840; May Term 1849. Son Henry and his children, wife Mary, daughter Ruthy Jones (wife of Benjamin) and her children, wife and son Henry Exrs. Test, Wm. D. Rascoe, H. E. Rascoe.

Manning, Joseph, Edenton, Feb'y 19th, 1834. Sons Richard, John, David, Charles (the last three eldest sons) daughters Mary and Margaret, wife Sarah Exx., sons Thomas, William and Joseph. Test, John Pophelston, Richard Howett.

Manning, Sarah, Edenton (widow of Joseph Manning), March 7th, 1840. Son William H. Manning, sons Joseph F. and Thomas C. Manning, son Richard, brother Malachi Haughton Exr. Test, W. C. Warren.

Moore, Augustus, Edenton, Jan'y 4th, 1847; May Term 1851. Wife Susan M. J. Moore, my children, wife Exx. Holograph will handwriting proven by Thomas S. Hoskins and W. C. Wood.

Nash, Thomas, Chowan, March 6th, 1769; April Court 1769. Son Clement, wife, daughter Ann Owen, Mrs. Reid of Virginia, grand-mother of daughter Ann Owen and son Clement, youngest daughter Justina, daughters Mary Holderoft and Eliabeth Nash, sons Henry and John, my four children by my second wife, Thomas Oldham, brother Abner Nash Gdn. to my children: Abner Nash, Joseph Montfort and Sam'l Johnston Exrs. Test, Thomas Oldham, Elizabeth Palmer.

Norfleet, Abraham, Sr., Chowan, Oct. 25th, 1784. Sons Abraham and Isaac, daughter Elizabeth, sons Elisha and Benjamin, daughters Mary and Sarah, if child in esse, wife Sarah, sons Abraham and Benjamin Exrs. Test, Thos. Hinesley, Jacob Gordon.

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NOTE.—An account of expenses is attached to the will of Son John Manning Midshipman, D. A. Manning Cadet at West Point, and Son Chas. G. Manning; Son Thomas C. Manning removed from Edenton to Alexandria, Louisiana, in 1855, became Chief Justice of Louisiana, and died while Minister to Mexico (under Grover Cleveland's administration) while on a visit to New York, in 1893 or 1894. The Editor, as a pupil, recalls him with pleasant memories. He was Tutor of Latin and Greek in the Edenton Academy but a short time before leaving his native town and State.

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NOTE.—Hon Augustus Moore married Susan M. J. Armistead of Bertie county, N. C. he left at his death the following children, William Armistead, Susan A. married Stark A. Righton, Henrietta married Stark Sutton; Mary Elizabeth, Augustus M., John A. and Alfred Moore.

Norfleet, Elisha, Chowan, Sept. 15th, 1807; Dec. Term 1811. Daughters Sarah, Nancy, Eliza Maria, and Mary Cox Norfleet, sons Thomas, William and John Parker Norfleet, son Elisha Bennett, and James Norfleet, (wife, Wm. T. Muse and Sam'l Tredwell Exrs.) Test, Jas. B. Skinner, Will Blair and Sam'l Tredwell.

Norfleet, Mary, Edenton, July 9th, 1816; Sept. Term 1816. Sister Ann C. O'Mally, son James Elisha Norfleet, son William, J. Norfleet, Rev. Henry Holmes and brother Wm. Norfleet Exrs. Test, Elizabeth Hathaway, E. B. Williams.

Norfleet, James, Chowan, Dec. 21st, 1814; March 23rd, 1815. My grand-mother now living, brother William Norfleet, sister Sally, wife Mary, child in esse, sisters Eliza Maria and Mary Cox Norfleet, son James Elisha Norfleet, wife and Nath'l Bond Exrs., also John B. Blount Exr. Test, Henry Flury, Thos. Cox, John Norfleet.

Newby, Wyke, Chowan, Nov. 10th, 1797; March Term 1798. Wife, Charity, Elizabeth and Sarah Roberts, James Robertson, daughter Martha Newby, (wife Charity, Rich'd Woodward, Josiah Jordan and John Walton) Exrs. Test, Joseph Sanders, Jos. Newby.

Norcom, John, Chowan, June 22 1802; June Term 1803. Wife Elizabeth, six silver teaspoons marked R. V. &c., sons Abner, Edmund, John and James, daughter Sarah Whedbee, son James and Henry Flury Exrs. Test, John Leary, Wm. Simons.

Norcom Frederick, Chowan, Oct. 27th, 1795; Dec. Term 1795. Wife Deborah, sons Charles and Benjamin, sons Frederick and Joseph, daughters Mary Hoskins, Sarah Howcott, and Elizabeth Beasley, daughter Martha Norcom, Richard Benbury Exr. Test, Richard Garrett, Samuel Smith.

Norcom, Charles, Chowan, Jan'y 2nd, 1806. Brother Frederick, all my brothers and sisters, Brother Frederick Exr. Test, Richard Benbury, Fred'k Creecy.

Norcom, Edmund, Chowan. Son Joseph, daughters Elizabeth and Sarah Norcom, brothers James and John Norcom and James Sutton Exrs. Test, Fred'k Norcom, Matthew Whiteman.

Norcom, Frederick, Chowan, Feb'y 27th, 1812; March Term 1812. Wife Penelope, sons Joseph and Fred'k, son William, daughters Elizabeth and Penelope, Fred'k Creecy, James Hoskins and Benjamin Norcom Exrs. and Gdns. to my children. Test, Thomas Vail, Thos. Whedbee.

Norcom, John, Chowan, Augt. 7th, 1813. Wife Elizabeth, sons John and William, daughters Susan Ann and Sarah Elizabeth, brother James Norcom and Edward Wood Exrs. Test, W. Middleton and Issac Feltison.

Norcom, Ben, Edenton, Ap'l 9th, 1813; June Term 1813. Wife Frances, Jno. M. Roberts Exrs. Test, Sally Beasley, Henry Ashburne.

Niel, Honoire, Chowan, May 1st, 1803; Dec. Term 1812. Wife Peggy Exx., all my children, four daughters Lydia, Kesiah, Nancy and Sylvia, daughter Elizabeth Harrell, wife Silvia Parker, and her son John Parker Exrs. Codicil Oct. 10th, 1810. Test, Miles Welch, Penny Fullenton.

Nixon, Robert, Chowan, Augt. 22, 1836. Son Robert, wife Lovy, son Hosea Exr. Test, John Asbell, Hy. C. Hurdell.

Nixon, John, Chowan, May Term 1838. Wife Absilla, daughter Julia Kinyon, sons Job and David, daughters Nancy, Ceny, Eliza, and Absilla Nixon, Samuel Nixon Exr. Test, Wm. Hurdle, Reuben Hurdle.

Orendell, Edward, Chowan, Jan'y 6th, 1764. Son Job, wife, son Job and Rich'd Rogers Exrs. Test, Cornelius Leary, Rich'd Rogers, Joseph Johnson.

O'Neal, Peter, Chowan, May 19th, 1803; June Term 1803. Wife Kesia, daughters Katharine and Elender, sons Charles and Tully, wife and Wm. Roberts Exrs. Test, James Jones, Edmund Jones.

Penrice, Francis, Chowan, Nov. 11th, 1760; Nov. Court 1760. Wife Sarah, my children, viz: Thomas, William, Sarah, Edmund, Francis, Joseph and Mary, John Wilkins and Thomas Ming (son of Joseph), James Gardner to go to England and sell the Lands and Houses there, one half the proceeds to the children of James Gardner, Job Charlton, Joseph Blount and John Harlow Exrs. Test, Henderson Standin, John Taylor, Thos. Blount, Jos. Butler.

Penrice, Samuel, Perquimans, March 19th, 1783. Wife Elizabeth, wife and Christopher Collins Exrs. Test Chris. Collins, Jno. Parker, James Skinner.

Penrice, Elizabeth, Chowan, Dec. 22nd, 1785. Cousin Joseph Morrison, cousin Lemuel Sutton, Elizabeth Stuart, Chr. Collins and Elizabeth Stuart Exrs. Test, Andrew Donaldson, Robert Moore.

Palmer, Benjamin, Pasquotank Co., March 17th, 1761; April Court 1768. Sons Joseph, Robert and Thomas, wife, daughters Sarah and Mary Ann, (wife, son Robert and Andrew Miller Exrs. Test, John Cartwright, Charles Ash.

Price, James, Chowan, July 29th, 1788. Children Thomas and John Price, Elizabeth Thompson and Sarah Brinkley, wife Elizabeth, sons Myles and Noah, (wife Rich'd Hoskins and Jno. Blount Exrs.) Test, Richard Hoskins, John Blount.

Price, Noah, Chowan, May 13th, 1791. Sister Sarah Brinkley, Nancy, Sarah, Jeremiah, Fanny, Elizabeth, Docton, Mills, John and Jas. Price, Rebecca and Henry Thompson, Jeremiah Fleetwood and Thos. Price Exrs. Test, Mason Miller, Nathl Howcott, Wm. Jones.

Price, James, Chowan, Jan'y 4th, 1786. Wife, daughter Treasy sons Samuel, Mills, John and James, daughter Elizabeth, wife Mary,



(James Price, Michael Payne and John Price Exrs.) Test, James Bunch, Miles Price, James Price.

Pophelston, Samuel, Chowan, Apl. 19th, 1789. Wife Esther, sons John and Hardy, daughter Sarah, son John Exr. Test, Nath'l Howcott, Wm. Jones, R. Small.

Pettyjohn, Thomas, Chowan, July 11th, 1767. Wife Frances, sons Thos., Jno. and Abraham, daughters Sarah and Frances, if child in esse, wife Exx. Test, Thos. Burkett, Nath'l Ming, Wm. Benhite.

Pettijohn, Abraham, Chowan, Sept. 25th, 1818. Wife Susannah, my heirs John, Jr., Isaac, Abner, Jacob and James Pettijohn, son William, son Abraham, son Isaac Exr. Test, Michael Wilder, John Pettijohn.

Pettijohn, Abraham, Edenton, Feb'y 27th, 1817; March Term 1817. Wife Frances, my children, Joseph B. Skinner and Henry King Exrs. Test, James Wills, Joseph Manning.

Pettijohn, Job, Chowan, Oct. 30th, 1822; June Term 1824. Wife Elizabeth, daughters Frances, Sarah, Elizabeth, Rachel, Mary Ann and Rosanah Mariah Pettijohn, son James Lawrence Pettijohn, grand sons Augustus P. and Richard T. Rea, (wife, and daughters Exxs.) Test, Myles Everett, Blanchey Everett, Martha Rea.

Pettijohn Elizabeth Chowan, July 28th, 1842; Nov. Term 1844. Son James L. Pettijohn, daughters Fanny, Sarah, Elizabeth and Rachel, daughters Fanny, Sarah and Elizabeth Exxs. Test, Malachi Haughton, Wm. E. Bond.

Pettijohn, John, March 9, 1832. Wife Nancy, daughter Polly Rea, son John's children, son Lemuel, grand-daughter Mary Wilder, grand-son Oliver Wilder, grand-son John Pettijohn, Robert Bartie and Delight Nixon Exrs. Test, Wm. Clements, Delight Nixon.

Pettijohn, Frances, Chowan, Sept. 29th, 1845; Nov. Term 1845. Brother James Lawrence Pettijohn, sisters Elizabeth Haughton, Sarah and Rachel Pettijohn, my brother and sisters Elizabeth and Sarah Exrs. Test, Thos. H. Leary, Martha Skinner.

Pettijohn, James L., Chowan, Oct 19th, 1846; Augt. Term 1849. My sisters Sarah and Rachel Pettijohn sister, Elizabeth Haughton, sisters Sarah and Elizabeth Exxs. Test, Thos. H. Leary, Isaac K. Pettijohn.

Pettijohn, Sarah, June 4th, 1855; Nov. Term 1855. Sister Elizabeth Haughton, Yeopim Baptist Church \$20 annually, American Bible Union Society \$100, niece Mary E. S. Harrell, Benjamin Hatch and sister Elizabeth Haughton Exrs. Test, Thomas Waff, Jos. T. Waff.

Perkins, Ichabod, Edenton; a Mariner; Dec. 31st, 1780. One third of my estate to Frances Glass, mother Charity Kearby (wife of Thomas), sister Mercer Kerby, in Dartmouth, Rhode Island.

Samuel Black Exr. Test, Thos. Clarkson, Elizabeth Clarkson.

Perkins, Robert, Chowan, Dec. 9th, 1809; March Term 1810. Son Joshua, daughters Nancy Clements, Deborah Blackstone, Polly King, Sally and Dorothy Perkins, John Nixon and William Middleton Exrs. Test, Pr. Hartmus.

Pursell, William, Chowan, Nov. 27th, 1778. Mother Catharine Pursell of Philadelphia, Penn., Rev. Daniel Earl Exr. Test, Samuel Swann.

Perry, Samuel, Feb'y 16th, 1760; March Term 1760. Wife Susannah, sons Samuel, Amos and Mordecai, daughters Ann, Leah and Grace Perry, wife Exx. Test, Nicholas Stallings, Wm. Kelly.

Perry, Amos, Chowan, Jan'y 3rd, 1804. Son Amos, wife Elizabeth, daughter Senah Hurdle, daughter Treasy Perry, Thomas Copeland and Job Winslow Exrs. Test, Solomon Perry, Noah Perry.

Perry, Hester, Chowan, May 12th, 1850; Nov. Term 1850. Sons Starkey, John and Wm. Perry, daughter Charlotte Halsey, daughter Winford Ashley. Test, Riddick Mansfield.

Perry, Samuel, Chowan, Jan'y 1st, 1842. Wife Christian, son Willis, daughter Miley Perry, daughter Feriby Byrum. Test, Obed Winslow, Thomas E. Winslow.

Price, Dockton, Chowan, Augt. 8, 1815; Sept. Term 1815. Wife Nancy, son Thomas, uncle Wm. Jones, Church at Ballard's Bridge. Test, Josiah McKeel.

Parker, Thomas, Chowan, Augt. 23rd, 1762. Son Thomas, children, Priscilla, Sarah, Abraham Absalom, Judeth, Ruth, Zilpah, Thomas and Margaret, daughter Priscilla and Jethro Benton Exrs. Test, Wm. Parker, James Parker, Jacob Norfleet, Jas. Harriss.

Parker, Nathan, Chowan, 9th 9th mo., 1795; June Term 1797. Wife Sarah, daughter Rachel Wooten, son-in-law Arthur Wooten, daughter Sarah Elliott, my land in Northampton bought of Charles Counsel, son Jonathan Parker's daughters Leah and Miriam, daughter Lydia Elliott, Jonathan Wooten (son of Rachel), grandsons Jonathan and Nathan Wooten, wife Sarah, brother Job and Cousin Joseph Parker Exrs. Test, Joseph Scott, Joseph Scott, Jr.

Parker, Joseph, Chowan, Dec. 28th, 1764. Brother Job Parker. Test, Wm. Copeland, Nathan Parker, Josiah Copeland.

Parker, Peter, Chowan, 1785. Sons Elisha, Peter and Seth, daughter Rodith Parker, sons Willis and Isaac, daughter Sele Parker, Jacob Jordan and son Peter Exrs. Test, ——— Meredith, Mariam Johnson.

Parker, Samuel, Chowan, Oct. 2nd, 1810; March Term 1811. Son John, daughters Lydia, Kesiah, Nancy and Silvia, daughter Elizabeth Harrell, wife Silvia and son John Exrs. Test, Miles Welch, Penny Fullenton.

Parker, Job, Chowan, 11th day 2nd month, 1812; Dec. Term 1812. Son Joseph, wife Isabel, son Job, son Elias T. Parker, son Jacob N. Parker, daughters Pharabee Granberry, Peninah Moore, Isabel and Martha Parker, (wife, Joseph Moore, Joseph Parker and Thomas Granberry Exrs.) Test, Wm. Baines, John Parish.

Parker, Seth, Sr., Chowan, Augt. 24th, 1820; Dec. Term 1820. Wife Elizabeth, son Jesse, daughters Elizabeth and Mary, son Nathaniel, children Seth and Sarah Parker, son Jesse and brother Willis Parker Exrs. Test, Absalom H. Pritchard, Charles O'Neal.

Parker, Elisha, Chowan, Jan'y 4th, 1828; June Term 1830. Wife Elizabeth, children Jacob, Elizabeth, Sarah and Peter Parker, son Job, son Peter, son Jacob and Charles E. Johnson Exrs. Test, Wm. Privett, Sam'l Privett.

Parker, Jacob, Chowan, Jan'y 12th, 1842; Feb'y Term 1842. Wife Harriet E., son George, my children, daughter Ann Mariah, Josiah T. Granberry Exr. Test, John Bush, James T. Cannon.

Parker Willis, Chowan, Dec. 30th, 1842. Wife Elizabeth, son John, daughters Mary Jones, Sarah and Elizabeth Parker, son John Exr. Test, Thomas Satterfield, Jesse Parker.

Parish, John, Chowan, May 16th, 1772. Wife Pethiah, sons Joseph and Edward, son John, daughter Elizabeth, daughters Pethiah Gooding and Mary Backus. Test, James Price, Wm. Floyd.

Parish, Nathan, Chowan, Dec. 13th, 1813; March Term 1818. Nephew Nathan Parish, nephew Alexander Parish, brother James Parish Exr. Test, John White, Josiah Backus.

Parish, James, Oct. 22nd, 1825; Dec. Term 1825. Sons Alexander, Nathan and William, daughters Martha and Mary, son Charlton, Stephen Skinner Exr. Test, Hance Jordan, Jacob Parker.

Pollock, Cullen, Bertie county, July 14th, 1795; Dec. Term 1795. Wife Ann Booth Pollock, my heirs and Executors, Thomas and George Pollock, nephew Thomas, nephew George Pollock, wife, Sam'l Johnston, James Iredell and nephews Exrs. Test, Jona Rator, Michael Capehart.

Powell, Robert, Chowan, April 1st, 1773. Son Jacob, granddaughter Rachel Duke, son-in-law Moses Speight and wife Felicia (my daughter) sons Shadrach and Daniel, son Jacob Exr. Test, Pleasant Jordan, Cader Powell.

Penney, William, Chowan, Dec. 6th, 1766. Daughter Elizabeth Weston, wife, Zachariah Webb Exr. Test, John Beasley, Fred'k Norcom.

Parks, Samuel, Chowan, Feb'y 24th, 1760; Dec. Term 1769. Wife Elizabeth, sons John and Daniel, son Samuel, daughters Mary and Elizabeth. Test, E. Cummings, Nathan Parker, Jeremiah Cannon.

Padgett, John, Chowan, Oct. 21st, 1806; Dec. Term 1806. Wife Mary, Mary Ann Thompson (wife of William), Penny and Elizabeth Norfleet (daughters of Abraham), Penny Halsey (daughter of Malachi), George White, Jr., (son of George), Abraham Norfleet, Exr. Test, William Baines, Leah Boyce.

Paxton, Richard, Chowan, June 23rd, 1824; Dec. Term 1824. Son Richard all my estate in county Dover, Ireland, daughter Elizabeth, brother James Paxton of Rathfryland, sister Elizabeth Ann McKee, wife of John of Monahan Co., Castle Bloyney, and Abigail Davidson (wife of David) of Rathfryland all of Ireland; Wm. Righton, Exr. Test, Lem'l Hoskins, Mal. Haughton.

Proctor, John, Edenton, April 11th, 1834; May Term 1834. Wife Mary, son Joseph Proctor, wife Exx. Test, Thos. Hathaway, Thos. Simons.

Pettijohn, John, Chowan, March 9th, 1832. Wife Nancy, daughter Polly Rea, son John's children, son Lemuel, grand-daughter Mary Wilder, grand-son Oliver Wilder, grand-son John Pettijohn (son of James), Robert Bartie and Delight Nixon Exrs. Test, Wm. Clements, Delight Nixon.

Pritchard Hannah, Edenton, March 7th, 1834. Dr. James Norcom and his son James, Dr. James Norcom Exr. Test, J. W. Littlejohn, Thos. S. Hoskins.

Privett, Samuel, Chowan, June 3rd, 1838; Nov. Term 1838. Wife Elizabeth, children Mary, Martha, Harriet and Elizabeth, son John, Peter Parker Exr. Test, John B. Webb, James Bunch.

Page, Dr. Matthew, Edenton, wife Henrietta Elizabeth, daughter Anne Collins Page; Pagebrook my paternal residence in Virginia I give to son Herbert Henry Page, brother John Evelyn Page will assist my wife as her counsellor. Feb'y 16th, 1853; Nov. Term 1853. (Holograph Will.)

Rice, John, Chowan, Jan'y 17th, 1764. Wife Elizabeth, son John brother David Rice, William and James Rice (sons of brother William Rice, dec'd), brother David Rice Exr. Test, James Pasker, Sam'l Harrell, James Hodges.

Rhoda, Peter, Chowan, March 13th, 1778. Wife Mary, daughters Elizabeth and Ann Rhoda, wife and David Welch Exrs. Test, Wm. Halsey, John Rhoda, Wm. Hays.

Rountree, Charles, Chowan, Oct. 7th, 1760. Eldest son Thomas, son Charles, daughters Christen and Rachel, grandsons Cador Hunter and Charles Freeman, wife Judeth, sons Charles and Thomas Exrs. Test, James Sumner, Thos. Rountree, Amos Hobbs.

Russell, George, Edenton, Apl. 7th, 1781. Wife Elizabeth, Thos. Clarkson, Elizabeth Forbes, John Scribner. Test, Thos. Clarkson, Eliza Mary Clarkson.

Rieusset, John of Hays, Chowan Co., N. C., July 18th, 1763. "I

require no funeral sermon to be preached, but let the Clergyman be complimented as if done, few characters will bear commenting on." Executors to settle my accounts as Collector of the Port of Roanoke, brother David Rieusset of Jamaica, all my property in Eustace street and 'Dirty Lane, City of Dublin, Ireland, Samuel Horner of Dublin, nephew John Rieusset, niece Elizabeth Rieusset, brother David my plantation called Hayse, John Williamson (son of Capt. Nathaniel and wife Mary) of Beston,, New England, my house keeper Mrs. Ann Lewis, Margaret Creighton, Peter Caila and his sister Jane Caila, John Jones (son of Adam), of Bath Town, my old friend John Campbell a gold ring of two guineas value, as a token of my friendship I have long bore him. I retain the same sentiments for him but could not encumber him with any of my affairs, sensible of his having sufficient of his own to employ his attention, Dr. John Craven, brother David, Samuel Horner (of Dublin), Col. John Harvey (of Perquimans), Joseph Hewes and Samuel Swift Exrs. Test, Wm. Lowther, J. Craven.

Roberts, Charles, Chowan, July 19th, 1766. Wife Elizabeth, sons William and Liles, 'plantation formerly Wm. Liles,' daughter Elizabeth, son James and Willis, child in esse, wife and son William Exrs. Test, James Bond, David Humphrey, William Bond.

Roberts, William, Dec. 19th, 1794, Chowan. Wife Elizabeth, daughter Elizabeth Williams, daughter Penelope Norcom, granddaughter Elizabeth Hoskins, son William, whom I appoint my Exr.

Roberts, William, Chowan, Nov. 12th, 1804; Dec. Term 1807. Wife Mary, daughter Elisa Juliet Roberts, sons William Bennett and John Boyd Roberts, wife and John Boyd Exrs. Test, Wm. A. Littlejohn, D. McDonald.

Roberts, Charles, Edenton, March 5th, 1807. Wife Ann, children Richard, Elizabeth, Charles, Catharine, John and Baker, Edmund Hoskins, Will Roberts and Baker Hoskins Exrs. Test, Richard Hoskins, H. Hoskins.

Roberts, James, Chowan, Jan'y 17th, 1825; March Term 1825. Wife Christian, son James, Henry Skinner Exr. and Guardian to son James. Test, Barnaby Nixon, Sam'l Riddick.

Roberts, William Bennett, Chowan, Oct. 11th, 1835; Nov. Term 1835. Sister Mary B. Roberts, Wife Sarah L. Roberts, children James Wills and Sarah Bennett Roberts, W. D. Rascoe and James Wills Exrs. Test, Malachi Haughton, Thos. S. Hoskins.

Roberts, James L., Chowan, Jan'y 11th, 1854. Sophia Jones, Frances Bacchus, Elizabeth wife of Cullen Jones, Cullen Jones, Mary Jones, Josiah Jones, Martha Skinner, Henry Skinner, Mary and James Skinner, Mary wife of Josiah Jones, Eliza Roberts (wife of Wm.) Daniel, Sarah and John Trotman, Asbury Turner, Thomas

Ashley, James C. Skinner, W. R. Skinner, Margaret Standin, Margaret White, Rich'd Dillard Exr. Test, Thos. Evans, John J. Bush.

Robinson, John, Chowan, Oct. 5th, 1756. Wife Elizabeth, son John, grandsons John and William Robinson, Edward Halsey Exr. Test, John Lewis, John Lewis, Jr., William Lewis.

Robinson, Jonathan, Chowan, Jan'y 30th, 1817. Wife and all my children. March Term 1817. Test, Nath'l C. Bissell.

Randal, Francis, late of Paray le Moriah in Charrollois, Burgundy, France, but now of Edenton, Chowan Co., N. C., April 19th, 1795. "I acknowledge to have been baptized in the Parish of St. Nicholas of Paray in Burgundy, as a Roman Catholic in which religion I declare to have lived and hope to dye." My store built on Mr. Nath'l Allen's lot, be sold and debts paid. John Armistead. I have a wife and four children whom I love tenderly. I therefore bequeath them all my estate, one fifth to wife Margaret, balance to children Francis, Juliet, Fanny and Joseph, Stephen Cabarrus Exr. Test, Jno. Beasley, Henry Eelbeck, Jere Gallop, Wm. Rombough, A. Cabarrus.

Rombough, John, Edenton, Feb'y 17th, 1784. Mother Catharine Rombough, brother William, wife Sarah Rombough. Test, Nehemiah Bateman, Chas. Pettigrew.

Rombough, Catharine, Edenton, Feb'y 5th, 1787. Son William, grand-daughters Elizabeth and Ann Rombough, son William Exr. Test, Jno. Horniblow.

Rombough, John, Chowan, Feb'y 22nd, 1773. Wife Catharine, son John, daughter Elizabeth, son William, son Thomas, John Horniblow's two children, John and Elizabeth Horniblow, Abraham Norfleet and son John Exrs. Test, Geo. Gray. March Term 1778.

Rombough, William, Edenton, Nov. 18th, 1807; Sept. Term 1808. Wife Martha, daughter Sarah, son William, daughters Elizabeth and Ann, Benjamin Bissell and Edmund Hoskins Exrs. Test, Baker Hoskins, James Horniblow.

Ramsey, Allen, Chowan, Sept. 9th, 1799. John Bateman (son of Nehemiah) children of Captain Robert Cushing, dec'd, to the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Mushrow of Portsmouth, Va., John Mushrow, children of my brothers John, James, William and Willis, William T. Muse and Alexander Millen Exrs. Test, Fred'k Rameke, John Luten.

Rogerson, Sarah, Chowan, Feb'y 3rd, 1798. My two oldest children Sarah McGuire and Ishmael Bunch, daughter Rachel Small, grand-son Josiah McKeel, Amy McGuire, my son-in-law Exr. Test, Nath'l Howcott, Fred'k R. Norcom.

Rodet, John, Chowan, Dec. 20th, 1803; March Term 1804. Wife Jean, son John, daughter Elizabeth, daughter Jean Dishon, son

Moses, Abraham Norfleet Exr. Test, John Parish, Abraham Norfleet.

Rameke, Frederick, Dr., Edenton, "calling to mind the uncertainty of life being at this moment called on to engage in a duel\* I resign my soul to God and everlasting happiness. I leave my beloved wife Elizabeth Rameke my sole Executrix." Augt. 19th, 1800. Probated Sept Term 1800.

Rascoe, Jacob D., Chowan, July 13th, 1831; Jan'y, 19th, 1832. Brother W. D. Rascoe. Holograph will, proven by T. V. Hathaway, Jno. M. Jones, Thos. Waff.

Rascoe, William D., Edenton, Nov. 5th, 1845; Feb'y Term 1846. Son Henry Edward Rascoe also Exr. Test, Malachi Haughton, Nazareth Leggett.

Rea, James, Chowan, 1829. Wife Martha, son Richard T. Rea, son Augustus Rea, Jeremiah M. Rea of Kentucky should have him, daughter Agnes P. Rea, my sons, John H. Leary Exr. Test, Thos. Charlton, Nathan'l J. Beasley.

Rea, Martha, (widow of Samuel), Chowan, April 19th, 1846; May Term 1851. Son Christopher C. Rea's children, daughter Lavinia Jackson, Artemus Mansfield, grand-daughter Martha E. Mansfield, grand-daughter Elizabeth Jane Rea (daughter of William), sons William and Wiley, John L. Ferrell Exr. Test, Joseph Norcom, Wm. Norcom.

Righton, William, Chowan, April 23rd, 1835; March 31st, 1835. Wife Sarah, sons William and Stark, daughters Jane Elizabeth and Ann Cornelia, wife Sarah, Stark Armistead and Augustus Moore Exrs. Test, Nat. Bond, Malachi Haughton. Codicil mentions son Jordan A. Wright Righton. Test, Richard Paxton, Chas. Creecy.

Riddick, Minche, Chowan, April 17th, 1848. Daughter Sarah Jane Riddick, brother Michael Hobbs also Exr. Test, R. D. Simpson, Mary A. Simpson.

Riddick, John, Chowan, Oct. 16th, 1852; May Term 1853. Wife Mary, son Job Riddick, daughter Nancy A. (wife of Nathan Bate-man) son John L. Riddick. Test, R. D. Simpson, John J. Bush.

Riggs, Edward L., Washington county, Augt. 14th, 1849. Josiah Collins Exr., brother-in-law William Kent of New York, mother Mrs. Abigail J. Riggs of Newark, N. J., sister Jane Trimble and her children, nephew Edward C. Trimble, brother-in-law Josiah Collins, nephew Josiah Collins, Jr. Test, Isaac Van Wagner, Geo. A. Van Wagner, W. S. Pennington, William Kent of New York, Henrietta R. Pennington.

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\*NOTE.—From the probate following so close on the execution of the will, it looks as if he was killed in the duel. Can any one inform us as to this affair of honor?

Simons, John, Chowan, Apl. 2nd, 1772. Son Jacob (his grandfather Jacob Butler), Jacob's Aunt Sarah Butler, grand-son Charlton Simons, son Argyle, my brother's son Argyle Simons, sons Jacob and Argyle Exrs. Test, Joseph Creecy, John Norcom.

Simons, John, Chowan, March 18, 1802. Wife Dorcas, daughters Sarah, Elizabeth and Penelope, my youngest children not mentioned; son Simeon and brother William Simons Exrs. Test, E. Norcom, John Wilkins.

Simons, John, Jr., Chowan, Apl. 29th, 1803. Wife Leah, brother Edward, children of sister Sarah Elliott, uncle John Moore, (wife James Saunders and Townsend Elliott Exrs) Test, Willis Wilder, Ann Hall.

Simons, Simeon, Chowan, Dec. 27th, 1810; Sept Term 1822. Brothers Thomas and John, Martha Simons, Sally Jones, Elizabeth and Penelope Simons, Wm. Simons Exr. Test, William Simons.

Symons, Penelope, Chowan, Oct. 30th, 1825; Dec. Term 1825. Brother Thomas Simons, brother John, sister Patsey Rea, brother Thomas Exr. Test, James Norcom.

Sutton, Benjamin, Perquimans county, N. C., Oct. 22nd, 1772; Oct. 25th, 1772. Son Greenbury Sutton, sons Benjamin and Greenbury, wife, daughters Martha and Ann, brother Joseph Sutton, Richard Clayton and Benj. Harvey Exrs. Test, Thos. Robinson, Thos. Sutton, Peter Forcam.

Smith, Joseph, Edenton, Jan'y 1783. Wife Elizabeth, son Robert Hardy Smith, firm of Bell Smith & Co., (wife, James Iredell, Nath'l Allen and Archibald Bell,) Exrs. Test, Jno. Boritz, Frances Hardy.

Smith, Robert, Edenton, March 5th, 1782. Father, mother, sister and brothers, Robert (son of brother Samuel Smith) to the support of a public Academy that may be erected by Authority in the District of Edenton £500, Josiah Collins and James Iredell Exrs. Test, Hu Williamson, Andrew Armstrong, Cullen Pollock.

Smith, Rebecca, Chowan, March 29th, 1793. Daughter Mary Blount, whom I had before I married John Smith. Thomas Vail and Richard Benbury Exrs. Test, Rich'd Garrett.

Smith, Martha, Chowan, Nov. 20th, 1760. Son Richard Smith, daughter Mary Smith, youngest daughter an infant, daughter Sarah Hazard, James Connell, Exr. Test, Thomas Bell.

Smith, John, Edenton, April 7th, 1784; May Term 1784. Wife Rebecca, daughter Elizabeth Smith, John Smith (son of brother Isaac of Virginia) to my daughter 1 Doz. silver spoons marked E. S. brother Thorogood Smith of Va., Thorogood West, John Custus (son of Edmund), Elizabeth West (daughter of John) all of Accomack county, Va., (brothers Isaac and Thorogood Smith, Charles Johnson and Samuel Dickinson guardians to my daughter), also appoint



them my executors. Test, Hinchea Gilliam, Richard Haughton.

Smith, William, Chowan, Dec. 20th, 1758; Jan'y Term 1759. Timothy Sullivan, also appoint him my Exr. Test, Henry Done.

Smith, Bendicta, Chowan, March 14th, 1837. Frances P. Tredwell, Ann Johnson Henderson, Elizabeth Earl Johnson Henderson, John Cox and Samuel Kissom Exrs. Test, Margaret P. Tredwell, Hester K. Lee.

Smith, Jonathan, Chowan, Sept. 9th, 1842; Aug. Term 1843. Wife Susannah, sons Lewis Lassiter, Robert and Charles Smith, daughters Nancy Smith, Nelly Miller, Eliza Bunch and Mary McClenney, daughter Cency Briggs and her children Sally and Bryant Todd by Amos Todd, grand-children Anny Miller, Catharine and Susan Boice. Test, West. Leary, Wm. Leary.

Smith Nancy, Edenton, April 18th, 1851; May Term 1851. Daughters Elizabeth Kirby and Deborah Bratten, son Charlton Smith, daughter Martha T. Smith, Wm. R. Skinner Exr. Test, D. M. Wright, W. H. Wilder.

Smith, William, Chowan, April 22nd, 1854; August Term 1854. Wife Penelope, son Jas. Smith's children, daughter Lavinia Myers, son William, daughters Elizabeth, J. and Mary J. Smith, grand-children Sarah P. and William J. Colipher, Bartemius Nixon Exr. Test, B. Nixon, Josiah Bunch.

Smith, Charles, Chowan, May 15th, 1855; August Term 1855. Wife Mary, son George Battle Smith, wife Exx. Test, R. Mansfield, John A. Perry.

Schulzer, Frederick, Surgeon of Chowan county, April 28, 1769. Wife Charlotte Schulzer. Test, Wm. Littlejohn, Geo. Campbell, Arch'd Campbell.

Soward, Francis, Edenton, July 5th, 1777. Wife Selah, daughter Rosamund Mary Soward, sons Thomas, John and Richard, daughters Williane Biggs, Priscilla Davis, Mary, Elizabeth and Jean Soward, wife Exx. Test, Henry Thompson, Thos. Penrice, Will Bateman.

Spivey, Nathaniel, Chowan, Dec 18, 1758; April Supreme Court 1759. Sons John and Champion, son Nathaniel, wife Martha, children Mary, Martha, Elizabeth and Sarah, brother Jacob Spivey Exr. Test, Thos. Rountree, Elijah Spivey, Rich'd Walton.

Spivey, Champion, Chowan, July 4th, 1787; Sept. Term 1797. Wife Sarah, son John, daughters Dorothy, Delilah and Rachel Spivey, Josiah Copeland Exr. Test, Josiah Copeland, Edward Welch.

Spivey, Benjamin, Chowan, Oct. 11th, 1773. Sons Richard, Demsey and Abraham, daughters Sarah Spivey, Elizabeth Minnard and Margaret Spivey, James Sumner Exr. Test, Sturges Ederingame, Nathan Blanshard.

Spivey, Jacob, Chowan, Nov. 18th, 1776. Sons Thomas, William and Abraham, sons Jesse and Jacob, daughters Ruth Walton, Rachel, Millicent, Emily and Ann Walton, wife Ann, sons Thomas and Abraham Exrs. Test, Aaron Hill, Moses Hill, Moses Blanchard.

Speight, Josiah, Chowan, Nov. 25th, 1783. Cousin Josiah Freeman (son of Wm.), brother-in-law Everard Garrett, David Welch, son-in-law James Roberts, brother William Speight's orphans, cousin Charity Ellis, Ellender Spooner, brother Jeremiah Speight and Nicholas Stallings Exrs. Test, Jacob Jordan.

Standin, Henderson, Chowan, March 29th, 1781. Wife, sons Edmund, Joseph and Henderson, sons James and Lemuel, daughters Marian, Deborah and Elizabeth, Joseph Underhill, Edmund Blount and son James Exrs. Test, John Clements, Wm. Holmes, Rebecca Cleland.

Standin, Mary, Edenton, Sept. 24th, 1855; Feb'y Term 1857. Niece Sarah J. Roberts, property bequeathed me by Benj. Hassell of Alabama, I give to nephews, Robert Haughton, William C. Roberts, John Roberts and niece Florence Roberts, the latter children of Fred. L. Roberts, F. L. Roberts and John Cox Exrs. Test, Wm. I. Hunter, Jno. H. Hall.

Sowell, Mary, Chowan, Sept 1st, 1795. Daughters Sarah, Van-aver and Susannah Sowell, son John, John Bond and Benj. Small Exrs. Test, Benj. Small, Josiah Sanderlin.

Stallings, Elias, Chowan, March 10th, 1795. Wife Rachel, children Jemima, Elias and Phoebe Stallings, sons Myles, Henry and Nathan, daughter Millison, wife Exx. Test, Wm. Birum.

Simpson, John, Chowan, Jan'y 6th, 1793. Wife Mary, sons John and Demsey, daughter Hannah Bunch, son William, wife and son John Exrs. Test, Evan Skinner, Sarah Skinner, Chas. Jordan.

Simpson, John, Chowan, Sept. 25, 1795; Sept, Term 1800. Wife Rosannah, my children, wife Exx. Test, A. Burk, Rich'd Humphries.

Simpson, William, Chowan, Sept. 24th, 1799; Dec. Term 1799. Wife Sarah, sons William, Robert and Demsey, daughters Sarah Simpson, Maryan Skinner and Mazy Williams, son Evan, daughter Lucy Parish, son Frederick, sons John and Robert, wife and Myles Elliott Exrs. Test, Leah Bonner, Mariam Parker.

Simpson, Exum, Chowan, Oct. 20th, 1838; August Term 1844. Wife Margaret, sons George W. L. Samuel, William C., Henderson and Martin B. Simpson, Thomas Whedbee and wife Mary (my daughter), daughter Margaret Skinner (wife of William R.), daughter Harriet N. Simpson, son Richard D. Simpson's children, (wife, sons Henderson and George Exrs.)

Standin, Lemuel, Chowan, 1802. Wife Parthenia, sons Joseph and Lemuel, daughters Parthenia and Deborah, if child in esse, wife and Elisha Norfleet Exrs.

Stallings, Martha, Chowan, Augt. 13th, 1838; Feb'y Term 1839. Daughter Emily Jordan, son Myles Jordan, daughter Martha Bunch, Margaret Evans, grand-daughter Catharine Evans, daughter Mariah Jordan, John Boyce Exr. Test, Wm. Bratten, Daniel Hollowell.

Streator, Thomas, Edenton, Feb'y 10th, 1765; March Term 1766. Wife Sarah, wife's daughter Betsey Edmonson, all my children, Thomas Bonner and Charles Roberts Exrs. Test, James Sanders, Mary Bateman, Mary Bonner.

Small, Joseph, Chowan, Feb'y 13th, 1754; January 1755. Son Josiah, grand-daughter Rachel Bunch, (daughter of Christie, dec'd), wife Ann, children Jonathan, Benjamin, Joseph, Mary and Sarah Small, daughters Patience Jordan and Ann Jordan my sons-in-law James Jordan, James Jordan, Sam'l Woodward and Shadrach Bunch, wife Exx. Test, Chas. Roberts.

Small, Elizabeth, Edenton, Nov. 24th, 1813; Dec. Term 1813. Son William, niece Mary B. Suggs, son George K. Small, daughter Mary Bissell, son William and John Pophelston Exrs. Test, James Norcom, Phillip Milley.

Small, Benjamin, Sr., Chowan, Jan'y 27th, 1820; March Term 1821. Wife Mary, sons Benjamin, David, Obadiah and Humphrey Small, daughter Thamar Small, sons Joseph and William Small, dec'd, daughters Ann Ward, and Elizabeth Parker, son Josiah, brother Josiah, son David, daughter Mourning Newborn, grandchildren Benjamin, Mary and John Newborn, sons Benjamin and Josiah Exrs. Test, Richard Hoskins, Wm. Smith.

Small, D., Chowan, April 2nd, 1838; May Term 1838. Wife Martha Exx, my children. Test, Richard S. Halsey, Samuel T. Bond.

Small, Benjamin, Jan'y 23rd, 1839; August Term 1839. Wife Hannah, sons Baker and John G. Small, daughters Mary Sutton and Penelope Small, son Alfred, daughter Esther Ann Small, son Allen, grand-children George, Benjamin and Penelope Burnham, Mr. William Burnham, grand-children Mary and John Skinner, Mr. William Skinner, Ephraim Stanton (son of James) of Perquimans ' my Family Bible, Susan Stanton (daughter of James), sons Allen, Alfred and Baker Exrs. Test, Geo. M. Williams, Geo. E. Spencer.

Skinner, Evan, Chowan, Augt. 14th, 1789. Son William John Skinner, sons Samuel and Richard Skinner, daughter Mary Topping, (son William John, William Jackson and brother William Skinner Exrs.) Test, W. Skinner, W. Jackson.

Skinner, Richard, Chowan, Dec. 21st, 1805; March Term 1806.

Son Stephen, daughters Sarah, Elizabeth and Mary, brother William Skinner Exr. Test, Sam'l Skinner, Leah Walton.

Skinner, William John, Chowan, May 18th, 1811; March Term 1815. Sons James and Henry, wife Jerusha, wife and son James Exrs. Test, James Sutton, Thos. Satterfield.

Skinner, John, Dec. 1st, 1817; March Term 1820. Wife Anna, sons John, Joseph H., Henry, son-in-law Thomas Singleton, son Henry, daughter Harriett Singleton, son Joseph H. Skinner and nephew Joseph B. Skinner Exrs. and wife Exx. Test, Geo. Whedbee, Abner Welch.

Skinner, Jerusha, Chowan, Oct. 18th, 1823; March Term 1826. Son Henry, son James Skinner's children, viz: John, James, Myles and Nancy Skinner, Henry Skinner Exr. Test, Samuel Riddick.

Skinner, Josiah, Chowan, Sept. 24th, 1831; June Term 1832. Sons Lemuel and Tredwell, daughter Sally Frances. Test, Josiah Coffield.

Skinner, Lemuel, Chowan, Oct. 20th, 1833. Son Richard H. Skinner, wife Eliza. Test, Thos. S. Hoskins, Alex Spence.

Skinner, Sarah (widow of Josiah), Chowan, Aug't 9th, 1834; Nov. Term 1834. Daughter Sarah Frances Skinner, son Josiah Skinner, all my interest in estate of Samuel T. Skinner, dec'd, son Hardy H. Skinner, son John. Test, R. T. Hoskins, Thomas S. Hoskins.

Skinner, Stephen, Chowan, Portsmouth, Va., June 16th, 1838; August Term 1838. Wife Jane, children Harriet Ann, S. F. and Ellen B. Skinner, Augustus Moore Exr. Test, Wm. McNider.

Skinner, Joseph Blount, Chowan, Nov. 26th, 1850; Feb'y Term 1852. Son Tristram L. Skinner, daughter Maria Louise Warren, grand-daughter Maria Louisa Warren, her uncle William D. Lowther, my deceased wife Maria Louisa, my favorite body servant George Lowther whom I have freed and now living in Boston, his sister Anne, son Tristram L. Skinner and Dr. T. D. Warren Exrs. (Holograph Will.)

Skinner, Joshua, Chowan, Aug't 25th, 1852; April 10th, 1854. Each of my nieces daughters of Josiah Collins Skinner, viz: Mary, Cornelia and Martha Skinner, nephew Tristram L. Skinner, Godson Joshua (son of N. Chapman Skinner), nephew N. Chapman Skinner son of Josiah C. Skinner, niece of my deceased wife Mary L. wife of Thomas C. Manning, nephews N. Chapman Skinner and Tristram L. Skinner Exrs. Test, John Cross, D. W. Andrews, Wm. Bennett all of Saratoga, Saratoga Co., N. Y.

Sumner, Samuel, Chowan, Oct. 2nd, 1765. Wife Patty, son Joseph John, daughter Elizabeth, all my children, my brothers and sisters, (wife, Elisha Hunter, John Alston (son of Joseph John),

Luke Sumner and Edward Arnell Exrs.) Test, John Riddick, Wm. Battle, James Speight.

Savage, William, Chowan, June 27th, 1780. Codicil Oct 22nd 1782 at Bath. Firm of Savage and Westmore, Dr. Samuel Dickinson, William Flood (son of Dr. Wm. Flood of Virginia, dec'd), Frances Batchelor (daughter of Francis), and her sister Elizabeth Batchelor, and brothers John and Edward Batchelor, her mother Frances Batchelor, Nicholas Flood (son of Dr. Wm. Flood), and Edward Rue, my old Glebe lands in Fairfax county, Va., between Colchester and Alexandria, on which the widow Patterson now lives, also 300 acres joining Thomas Moseley's land in Loudon county, Va., one tract in Culpepper county purchased from Bryan Fairfax, children of Prudence Tweeny, Elizabeth Clark and Lucinda O'Nulla of County Down, North of Ireland, Elsy Flood now married to Dr. Walter Jones, I desire Wm. Flood in the future to take upon himself the name of William Flood Savage, Dr. Sam'l Dickinson of North Carolina, Dr. Walter Jones and Wm. Flood Exrs.

Scott, Joseph, Chowan, 2nd day 12 mo., 1800; March Term 1803. Daughter Rhoda Elliott, son Joseph, daughter Isabel, wife Peninah, wife and son Joseph Exrs. Test, John Parker, Nathan Ware.

Stacey, Rachel, Chowan, Nov. 27th, 1802; Dec. Term 1802. My husband Robt. Stacey and all my children. Test, Thomas Rea.

Sinkler, Elizabeth, Edenton, Feb'y 1809; March Term 1811. Daughter Peggy Niel, Henry Niel, Jr., grand-son William Miller, John W. Mode, son Jacob D. Mode, daughter Sally Crocker, daughter Penny Miller, daughter-in-law Patsey Mode, grand-child Sophia Niel and Polly Niel, Henry Niel, Jacob D. Mode and Jos. Bozman Exrs. Test, Wm. Lane, Thos. Wills.

Sitterson, Isaac, Chowan, Dec. 27, 1815; June Term 1817. Sons James and Isaac, sons Charles and Willis, son Whary, wife Molly, daughter Penelope, son Whary Exr. Test, John Wilder.

Sitterson, Penelope, Chowan, Nov. 22nd, 1823; Dec. Term 1823. Brothers James, Charles, Willis and Whary, brother Whary Exr. Test, John Wilder, Joshua Pratt.

Sittizen, Whary, Chowan, Oct. 10th, 1828; May Term 1834. Wife Elizabeth, son Alfred, daughter Deborah, Thos. H. Leary Exr. Test, Zebulon Pratt, Nathan Pratt.

Sanders, Sarah, Chowan, Augt. 22nd, 1826; Dec. Term 1826. Brother William Wright, Margaret Walton. Test, Ann Walton, Martha Stallings.

Satterfield, William, Chowan, Feb'y 20th, 1827; March Term 1827. Wife Elizabeth, sons George, William I. and Henderson, sons Bozman and James, (wife, sons William I. and Henderson Exrs.) Test, Geo. Waff, Malachi Haughton.

Satterfield, Alfred, Chowan, Feb'y 4th, 1834; Nov. Term 1834. Eldest son James, son William, wife Catharine. Test, Richard Wilder, James Williams.

Satterfield, Elizabeth G., Chowan, Oct. 3rd, 1837; Augt. Term 1838. Son James L. Satterfield, sons Edward H. and Peterson B. Satterfield, son Geo. W. B. Satterfield, son George Exr. Test, Thos. Waff, John B. Strong.

Sawyer, Dr. Mathias E., Edenton, February, 1835; May Term 1835. Son Samuel T. Sawyer, son Mathias, daughter Helen, son Samuel T. and Wm. Righton Exrs. Test, James Norcom, Malachi Haughton.

Taylor, Thomas, Pasquotank, Sept. 5th, 1771; Oct. 31st, 1771. Son James, sons-in-law Lemuel Sawyer, John Richardson and Caleb Nash, daughter Peggy Nash, son William Exr. Test, Wm. Proby, Sarah Proby, Ann Taylor.

Taylor, John, Chowan, Sept. 27th, 1763. Sons Luke and John, children of Daughter Deborah Gardner, (wife of James) of Pasquotank, wife Sarah, children Martha, Elizabeth, Sarah, Mary, Rebecca, Ann and Penelope Taylor, wife and sons John and Luke Exrs. Test, Jeremiah Haughton, Charles Haughton.

Thompson, Henry, Chowan, Aug't 1st, 1777; Sept. Term 1777. Sons James, William and Timothy, wife Ann, daughter Deborah Thompson, Richard Hoskins Exr. Test, Thos. Bonner, Wm. Bateman.

Thompson, James, Chowan, Jan'y 12th, 1764. Son Henry, wife Deborah, sons James and Thomas, daughter Elizabeth Halsey, my small children. Test, Jno. Lewis, Henry Bonner.

Thompson, William, Chowan, Feb'y 19th, 1795. Wife Sarah Amelia, daughters-in-law Mary and Tabitha Lawrence, Nathan and Bartholomew Thompson, sisters Sarah, Leah and Mason Thompson, wife and James Hathaway Exrs. Test, Wm. Rombough, Jno. Beasley.

Thompson, William, Chowan, July 3rd, 1822; Sept. Term 1822. Wife Lydia, daughters Mary Ann, Frances Elizabeth and Lydia Penelope Thompson, Thomas and William Jones Exrs. Test, Jas. Coffield, Thomas Chambers.

Topping, William, Chowan, Jan'y 27th, 1773. Wife Dorothy Berishhord Topping, sons John and Richard, if child in esse, James Iredell, Jacob Hunter and Joseph Robson Exrs. Test, Josiah Copeland, Job Parker, Selah Copeland.

Topping, Samuel, Chowan, Sept. 17th, 1814; Sept. Term 1816. Wife Mary, sons Thomas and William; daughter Elizabeth Parker. Henry Riddick, grand-sons Samuel and Seth Riddick, daughter Dol-

ly, William Topping and Willis Parker Exrs. Test, Exum Simpson, James Williams.

Trotman, Edward, Chowan, without date. Wife Elizabeth, sons Demsey, Amos and Ezekiel, Henry Walton, son Thomas, my son-in-law, son Demsey Exr. Test, Priscilla Walton, Elizabeth Walton, Elisha Hunter.

Thompson, Deborah, Chowan, Augt. 14th, 1784. Son Thomas, daughter-in-law Elizabeth Thompson, grand-son James Halsey, son Thomas Exr. Test, Thomas Bonner, Mary Bonner.

Twine, John, Chowan, March 2nd, 1826; June Term 1826. Wife Tamer, daughter Penina Jordan, daughter Elizabeth Twine, sons Joel, Elisha and John, daughters Esther and Sarah Twine, wife and sons Joel and Elisha Exrs. Test, James Asbill, James Byrum.

Tredwell, Samuel, Edenton, July 13th, 1827; Sept. Term 1827. Children of the late John M. Slade, plantation in Bertie county known as Aberdeen, where the dwelling house is, formerly belonging to Miss Jane Lenox. Wife Frances, children James I., Margaret P. and Frances I. Tredwell, son-in-law James Iredell Exrs. Test, D. McDonald, John Avery.

Underhill, Joseph, Chowan, Oct. 10th, 1789. Wife Sarah, daughter Mary, mother Ann Underhill of New York, children of my brothers, viz: Samuel, Andrew and Thomas Underhill, children of James Mott and wife Mary my sister, James Iredell, Benj. White (of Pasquotank) and wife Exrs. Test, Clem Hall, Frances Jones.

Vail, John, Chowan, Nov. 13th, 1765. Son Moseley Vail, daughters Mary Rebecca, Elizabeth and Martha, Edward Vail, James and Frederick Blount. Test, Sam'l Dunscombe.

Vail, Frederick, Chowan, Sept. 2nd, 1778. Mother Susannah Vail, brothers Edward and Thomas, nephew Edward Vail. Test, Chas. Haughton.

Vail, Edward, Chowan, Nov. 29th, 1775; June Term 1777. Wife Susannah, sons Thomas and Frederick (youngest sons), sons Jeremiah and Edward, Charles Pettigrew and John Baptist Beasley Exrs. Test, Thos. Benbury, Charles Benbury, Robt. Davison.

Valette, Francis (Merchant), Edenton, Augt. 6th, 1806; Dec. Term 1806. Henry Flury my stock in trade, money and debts and three houses on John Skinner's wharf and the shed back of the store on Langley's wharf I at present occupy, Henry Flury Exr. Test, John Little, Hen. King.

Underhill, Joseph, Chowan, Dec. 20th, 1814; March Term 1815. Wife Mary, children Joseph, Ann and Harriet Underhill, Thomas Brownrigg their guardian, wife and Thomas Brownrigg Exrs. Test, Jos. H. Skinner, Agnes M. Hardy.

Webb, Zachariah, Chowan, Feb'y 1st, 1760; May Term 1761. Sons

John, Moses and James Webb, son John Exr. Test, Zachariah Webb, Jr., Samuel Webb, Jno. Berry Carver.

Webb, Moses, Chowan, Ap'l 16th, 1779; April 17th, 1779. James Webb, brothers Zachariah and John Webb. Test, Robert Donaldson, Mary Donaldson, Zachariah Webb, Jr.

Webb, Zachariah, Sr., Nov. 29, 1783. Wife Mary, sons William and Zachariah, daughter Mary, daughter Rachel Webb, sons John, Jesse and Richard, daughter Elizabeth, John Baptist Beasley, wife and son John Exrs. Test, Mary Creecy, Robert Donaldson.

Webb, Jesse, Chowan, Feb'y 1st, 1803. Mother Mary Webb, whom I appoint my Exr. Test, Lem'l Creecy.

Webb, Mary, Chowan, Oct. 15th, 1811; Sept. Term 1812. Grand-son Thomas Webb, grand-daughter Mary Webb, my grand-children and daughter Mary Phelps, Jery Phelps' and John Webb's children, Fred'k and Nathan Creecy Exrs. Test, Wm. Rombough, Green Thatch.

Webb, Zachariah, Edenton, Nov. 30th, 1812; Dec. Term 1812. Wife Sarah, children Zachariah, William and Samuel Tredwell Webb, sister Rachel Webb, my children by my first wife, to-wit: Joseph, George and Polly Webb, wife Exx. Test, Jno. Beasley, Mary Simons.

Woolard, William, Chowan, May 3rd, 1762; May Court 1762. Daughter Sarah Woolard, wife Mary, Jeremiah Frazier, Thomas Beasley, sister Mary Hopkins, Mary and George Beasley (children of John) grand-daughters Carrie and Millie Payne, Wilson Blount, wife and son-in-law John Beasley Exrs. Test, J. Halsey, Thos. Benbury, Wilson Blount.

Woolard, Mary, Chowan, Nov. 17th, 1788. Son John Beasley, daughter Mary Bunch, grand-children Ann, Jeremiah and Richard Frazier (children of Jeremiah), grand-son Francis Beasley (son of John), grand-daughter Mary Vail, grand-daughter Sarah Roberts, grand-daughter Sarah Beasley, grand-son John Frazier (son of Jeremiah), sons John Beasley and Jeremiah Frazier Exrs. Test, Sam'l Chesson, Jno. Phelps.

Wallace, Mary, Chowan, Oct. 27th, 1792. Son William Coltrane, son William and Josiah Collins Exrs. Test, Sarah Cotton, Alex Miller.

Ward, Thomas, Chowan, May 20th, 1793. Sons Ludovick, Jeremiah, Frederick, Josiah and Shadrach, daughters Ruth, Edith and Elizabeth Ward, wife, Jacob Jordan and son Frederick Exrs. Test, Nicholas Stallings, John Ward, Isaac Ward.

Ward, Thomas, Chowan, Feb'y 19th, 1772. Wife Mary, daughter Fanny Warburton, daughters Penelope McNider and Rachel Wilder, son Thomas, grand-sons James McNider, Francis Wilder and



Thomas Standin, grand-daughter Mary Harloe, daughter Mary Wilkinson, grand-daughter Rosemy Dawson, son-in-law Michael Wilder, son-in-law Thomas McNider and Michael Wilder Exrs. Test, Andrew Knok, James McConnell, Jacob Simons.

Ward, James, Chowan, Nov. 20th, 1785. Wife Mary, son James, daughters Elizabeth, Silvey and Judah Ward and Millicent Taylor, wife and son James Exrs. Test, Nicholas Stallings, Seth Ward.

Ward, Thomas, Chowan, March 6th, 1785. Wife Mary, son James, daughters Elizabeth, Silvey and Judah Ward and Millicent Taylor, wife and son James Exrs. Test, Nicholas Stallings, Seth Ward.

Ward, Thomas, Chowan, March 6th, 1798. Grand-daughter Milley Ward, grand-son James Ward, children William, Humphrey Ephraim, Deborah Ward and Ann Goodwin, sons William and Humphrey Exrs. Test, Nicholas Stallings.

Ward, Rachel, Chowan, Jan'y 25th, 1792. Grand-daughter Ferebe Ward, son Denby, daughter Rachel Thurston, son Joseph, son-in-law Samuel Ward, daughter-in-law Elizabeth Burgess, Nicholas Stallings Exrs. Test, Humphrey Ward.

Ward, Humphrey, Chowan, March 8th, 1821; September Term 1821. Wife Absala, son Allen, daughters Lovey Spivey, Mary Gregory and Deborah Rountree. Son Baker, daughter Christian Ward, son Allen Exr. Test, Abel Rogerson, Geo. Sutton.

Ward, William, Chowan, Jan'y 16th, 1826. Wife Sarah, sons Noah, Micajah Ward (and his son William) I. Humphrey (his son Trotman Ward), daughter Sarah Ward, grand-children Sarah, Mary, Timothy and Alfred White, their father John White, daughters Sarah Birum, Elvy Perry, Thamar Boyce, Rachel Boyce, Esther and Leah Ward. Test, Wm. Birum, Moses Hollowell.

Ward, William, Chowan, Aug't 13th, 1829. Wife Jemima, sons Henry and William, daughters Lucretia, Sally, Rachel and Emily Ward, son Henry Exr. Test, Isaac Birum, Wm. Birum, Sr.

Ward, Aaron, Chowan, Jan'y 8th, 1832; March Term 1832. Wife Leah, son Elisha, grand-son Elijah Ward, daughters Lydia Ward and Treasy Modlin, daughter Matilda Ward, son Thomas Humphrey Ward Exr. Test, Israel Winslow, Thos. Bogue.

Ward, Margaret, Chowan, Oct. 15th, 1833. Willis Smith son of brother Thomas Smith, dec'd, brother John Smith's estate, Thos. Copeland, Sr. Exr. Test, Elisha Copeland, Thos. Copeland, Jr.

Ward, Shadrick, Chowan, March 8th, 1839. My wife's son Hilary Ward, grand-son Elijah Ward, daughters Esiter Jordan and Jemima Ward, daughter Cortney Ward, wife Rachel, grand-daugh-

ter Charlotte Ward, daughter Penina Ward, son David Exr. Test, Abram Twine, Moses Hollowell.

Ward, Jeremiah, Chowan, Aug't 26th, 1846; Nov. Term 1850. Wife Jemima, daughter Michiel Bunch, daughters Charity and Jemima Ward, daughter Isabel Hobbs, daughter Mary Forehand and her children Elizabeth, Calvin, Cornelius and Thomas Forehand, Humphrey Ward Exr. Test, B. F. Welch, Hamilton Hobbs.

Ward, Jonathan, Chowan, Jan'y 5th, 1854; Feb'y Term 1854. Wife Sarah, sons A. C., T. E., Hardy, J. A. and W. G. Ward, Elisha Harrell and Sarah Byrum, son Allen C. Ward Exr. Test, W. D. White, Joseph Bratten.

Wilson, William, Chowan, April 1st, 1771. Wife Sarah, daughters Sarah Humphrey, Priscilla Egerton, Susannah Champion and Elizabeth Baker, daughter Lucy Halsey, grand-son Wilson Newborn, son-in-law Michael Wilder, James Baker and Thomas Hoskins Exrs. Test, Abel Miller, Joseph Champion, Isaac Lewis.

Wells, George, Dr., Chowan, May 3rd, 1767. Wife Mariam, brother Richard Wells, my silver hilted sword and tomahawk, younger brother Thomas Wells by my father's side my medical Books. &c., said wife and father-in-law William Boyd Exrs. Test, George Walton, William Topping.

Walton, Timothy, Chowan, Dec. 18th, 1770. Sons Timothy and John Benbury Walton, daughter Selah, James Freeman, Wm. Walters and Thomas Benbury Exrs. Test, Sam'l Dickinson, Wm. Freeman, Jonathan Tryer, Wm. Benbury.

Walton, Palatiah, Chowan, Nov. 6th, 1776. Wife Priscilla, daughters Millicent and Christian Walton, daughters Sarah and Zilpha Spivey, brother Thomas Walton and Jacob Hunter Exrs. Test, Wm. Walton, Moses Blanchard, Rachel Walton.

Walton, William, Chowan, Nov. 20th, 1771. Sons Timothy, William and John, daughters Sarah Walton, Rachel Garrett, Ann and Celia Walton, sons Thomas, Isaac and James, wife, Rachel, sons Timothy and William Exrs. Test, Palatiah Walton, Chas. Rountree, James Freeman, John Agar.

Walton, Sarah, Chowan, June 23rd, 1761. Son Richard, daughter Christian Hill, daughter Sarah, sons Thomas, William and John, sons Thomas and John Walton Exrs. Test, Kesiah Taylor, Richard Garrett.

Walton, William, Chowan, Dec. 24th, 1760. Sons Palatiah, Henry and Edmund, daughters Mary Walton, Matthew Hobbs, Judah Perry and Sarah Blanchard, daughter Elizabeth Walton, sons Richard and Thomas, son Henry and Capt. William Walton Exrs. Test, Josiah Granberry, John Hunter, Wm. Walton.

Walton, John, Chowan, Dec. Term 1798. Brother Timothy Walton and son Thomas Exrs., my wife and children. Test, Richard Woodard.

Walton, George, Chowan, June 27th, 1826; Sept. Term 1826. Wife Isabel, son George, F. Walton, daughters Peninah P., Mary S., Isabel and Sarah S. C. Walton, son George and Job Parker. Test, Patrick Powell, Joseph Cannon.

Walton, Treasy, Chowan, Feb'y 20th, 1841. Son Abraham Twine, grand-children James, Anna, Treacy and Abraham Twine. Test, Humphrey Ward, Wrighton Ward.

Wood, John, Chowan, Nov. 13th, 1767. Daughter Elizabeth, son Seth, my father Richard Wood, wife Judeth Exx. Test, Jeremiah Cannon, James Byrum.

Wood, Seth, Chowan, May 19th, 1814. Wife Sarah, sons John and Riddick Wood, son Joseph, Josiah Griffin, wife and Hardy Wood Exrs. Test, Harden Ward, Jonathan Ward.

Wood, Sarah, Chowan, Dec. 7th, 1830. Sister Mary Ward, Willis Smith, Thomas Copeland, Sr., Exr. Test, Elisha Copeland, Joseph Copeland.

Wood, Richard, Chowan, May 18th, 1837; August Term 1837. Sons Allen and Jordan M. Wood, daughter Betsey, grand-son Joseph Allen Douglas.

Wilkins, William, Chowan, May 2nd, 1773. Sons Joseph and William, wife Sarah, daughter Elizabeth Liles (wife of William), son James, son Anthony, wife and sons Joseph and William Exrs. Test, Jer. Haughton, Luke Taylor, John Taylor.

Wilkins, George, Chowan, Aug't 24th, 1803. Daughters Rebecca and Elizabeth Wilkins, Will Simons Exr. Test, E. Norcom, Simeon Simons.

Wilkins, Sarah (widow of William), Chowan, Feb'y 6th, 1802; June Term 1802. Grand-son Geo. Wilkins (son of Joseph dec'd), grand-daughter Mary Liles, son William, daughter Elizabeth Liles, grand-son George Wilkins Exr. Test, E. Norcom, Eliz Taylor.

Wiggins, Thomas, Chowan, Jan'y 7th, 1760. Son Willis, daughter Christiana, son James, brother James Wiggins, wife Christiana, son Willis and Edward Arnell Exrs. Test, Stergiss Ederingame.

Williams, Hatten, Chowan, March 8th, 1779. Wife Ann, son Willis, daughters Elizabeth, Mildred and Mary, daughters Nancy and Fanny, Deborah Thompson, wife Wm. Jones and Wm. Roberts Exrs. Test, Thomas Bonner, David Humphreys.

Williams, Ann, Chowan, Ap'l 7th, 1792. Daughters Mary Fleetwood, Fanny Boulton, Mildred Thompson and Fannie Bonner, daughter Mildred Thompson, daughter Fanny Boulton, grand-son Benjamin Boulton, grand-daughter Fanny Bonner, grand-daughter

Anny Bolton, son William Williams, Jeremiah Fleetwood and Wm. Wilkins Exrs. Test, John Fife, Eliz Fife.

Williams, John, Sr., Edenton, (without date). Daughter Elizabeth Crissy, Anna Wilson. Test, Sam'l Smith, Dominic Mouca, Isaiah Burdick.

Williams, William R., Chowan, Dec. 7th, 1809; Sept. Term 1809. Mother Elizabeth Hankins, sisters Mary and Caroline Hankins, mother Exx. Test, Jno. Beasley, Jno. Dickinson.

Williams, James, Chowan, April 23rd, 1828; Sept. Term 1828. Wife, son John, property coming to me from Wm. Hixes' estate to be sold, Wm. Jackson Exr. Test, Reuben Lassiter, Monica Hobbs.

Worth, Joseph, Edenton, Nov. 27th, 1775. My father William Worth, sisters Nancy and Ruth Worth, Joseph Hewes Exr. Test, Robert Smith.

White, Thomas, Chowan, Nov. 7th, 1786. Sister Mary Creecy, neighbor Matthew Whiteman, William, Nathan and Lemuel Creecy, Elizabeth Moore, Job, John and William Leary, John, Thomas, Job, William and Mary Charlton, Lemuel Creecy, Job Leary, John and Thos. Charlton Exrs. Test, Thos. Benbury, James Yeomans.

White, Luke, Chowan, Nov. 17th, 1770. Wife Sarah, Luke White, Sr., Solomon White, Stephen, James and Jacob White, Abigail Ambrose, Rebecca McGuire, son John White, daughters Elizabeth Dishon and Sarah Copeland, Augustine Dishon and John Copeland Exrs. Test, Dan'l Earl, John Gregorie, Wm. Barnes.

White, Silas, Chowan, March 22nd, 1796. Son Jesse, daughter Absilla, wife Judah, sons William and Silas, Nicholas Stallings Exr. Test, Joel Byrum, Luke Hollowell.

White, Judah, Chowan, Jan'y 29th, 1798; March Term 1798. Sister Barsheba Person, sister Millicent Griffin, cousin Gilla Griffin, Sarah Byrum, cousin Eliz Person, cousin Ruth Person, cousins Edward, Searley and Thamer Welch, daughter-in-law Absilla Griffin, son-in-law William White, Thamer Byrum, Joel Byrum and Nicholas Stallings Exrs. Test, Josiah Ward, Luke Hollowell.

White, Silas, Chowan, Feb'y 1st, 1841. Sons Moses W. White, John, Henry, Silas, Jacob and Jordan, wife Elizabeth, daughters Mary Forehand, Christian Goodwin and Elizabeth White. Test, Elisha Twine, Elisha Griffin.

White, Elizabeth, Chowan, Feb'y Court 1846. Son Moses, my father Moses Hobbs, daughters Charity and Elizabeth White, sons Silas, Jacob and Jordan, son Moses Exr. Test, R. T. Paine, Jas. I. Cannon.

White, Benjamin, Chowan, June 10th, 1846. Son Thomas, daughter Mary Costen. There is property I may inherit from John Mears of England, son Thomas Exr. Test, Jno. Bush, A. Small.

White, William, Chowan, Jan'y 27th, 1846; August Term 1849. Wife Treacy, sons William D. and Alfred P. White, daughter Elizabeth Twine (wife of Joel), daughter Treacy Twine (wife of Elisha), daughter Abscilla Blanchard, daughters Sarah White, Martha White and Isabel M. White, daughter Mary White, son Wm. D. White Exr. Test, Baker F. Welch, Thos. Satterfield.

White, Alex. W., Chowan, Oct. 15th, 1847; Nov. Term 1849. Wife Sarah, daughter Caroline E. Bonner (wife of James), daughter Sarah C. White, son Peter F. White, wife Exx. Test, Thos. V. Hathaway, T. S. Hoskins.

White, George, July 1853, Chowan. James Baker, grand-sons Isaiah White and Martin White, grand-daughter Mary Harrold, children Abram, John, Noah and Penelope White, Milly Haste, son Noah Exr. Test, Benj. P. Small, H. Starr.

White, Thomas, Chowan, Augt. 13th, 1801; March Term 1802. Wife Charity, sons Josiah, Benjamin and Thomas, daughters Mary and Esther White, Edward Haughton Exr. Test, Wm. Gregory, Eli Bartie.

Winslow, Joseph, Chowan, Dec. 9th, 1765. Son Job, Israel and Jesse, brother Israel Winslow, wife Elizabeth, (wife, John Hollowell, Joseph Perry and William Lilly Exrs.) Test, Joseph Stallings, Simon Stallings.

Winslow, William, Chowan, 24, 3rd mo., 1806; June Term 1806. Wife Pleasant, daughters Liddy, Mary and Elizabeth, sons Obed., Jacob, Francis, William, John and Josiah, (Caleb Winslow, Restore Lamb, Jacob Winslow and Joseph Copeland Exrs.) Test, Josiah Copeland, Caleb Winslow.

Winslow, Job, Chowan, Sept. 30th, 1830; August Term 1839. Sons Joseph, William H. and Israel, wife Mary, grand-son Job Winslow (son of Joseph), son Joseph and Reuben Hurdle Exrs.

Winslow, Jacob, Chowan, 2nd 3rd month, 1857; June Term 1857. Robert Sexton, nephews Thomas E. Winslow and John L. Winslow, Jacob Brinn Birum (son of Edwin), nephew Benjamin C. Winslow, nieces Elizabeth Copeland and Lydia L. Winslow, niece Mary J. Winslow, Caleb Pritchard, Josiah P. Winslow, Wm. F. Winslow, Benj. C. Winslow, Lydia Hobbs, nephew John L. Winslow and Timothy A. Winslow Exrs. Test, Barnabas Nixon, James Chapple.

Warbutton, William, Dec. Term 1799; Oct. 1st, 1799. Wife Suckey, also my Exx. Test, Henry Flury, Douglas Chapman, William Farriss.

Welch, Michael, Chowan, Augt. 6th, 1768. Wife Judah, niece Sarah Rountree, nephew Edward Welch, wife and Jacob Jordan Exrs. Test, Lem'l Colley, Jos. Small, Thos. Rountree.

Welch, David, Chowan, Jan'y 1st, 1783. Sons Isaac, Demsey

and Lemuel, wife Margaret, sons David and Jacob, all my children, wife and son Isaac Exrs. Test, Hardy Hurdle, Jonathan Jordan.

Welch, Isaac, Chowan, Nov. 12th, 1806. Wife Sarah. Test, Henry Halsey, Rachel Champion, Rachel Spivey. Dec. Court 1806.

Welch, Samuel, Chowan, April 1st, 1815; Sept Term 1815. Son Jesse, daughter Lucinda, son Wesley Spivey, wife Milly and Miles Welch Exrs. Test, James Evans.

Welch, Abner, Chowan, June 15th, 1825; Sept. Term 1825. Brother-in-law Robert A. Taylor, brothers Willis Welch and William Welch, sisters Christian and Rachel Welch, brother William Welsh Exr. Test, J. W. Littlejohn, Wm. Littlejohn.

Welch, Edward, Chowan, July 15th, 1827; Sept. Term 1827. Daughter Lilly Stallings, son Edward, daughter Thamar Taylor, sons Miles and William, daughter Sally Taylor, daughters Rachel Ming, Christian Welch, son Willis, wife Rachel, grand-children, Christian, Winford and Elizabeth Taylor, sons Miles and William Exrs. Test, David Welch, Baker Welch.

Welch, Myles, Chowan, Dec. 20th, 1836. Wife Sarah, sons Baker F. Welch, Drew, Gaston and Dorsey, daughter Louisa and Sarah Welch, Elizabeth and Sarah M. Simpson, all the negroes I sent to daughter Penny Simpson, now in the possession of Henderson Simpson, sons Baker, Drew and Gaston Welch Exrs. Test, Wm. Deans, H. W. Gillem, H. H. Eure.

Welch, Sarah, Chowan, Sept. 2nd, 1840. Sons Dorsey, Drew and Gaston, sons-in-law William H. Welch and Asa G. Hoffer, son Baker F. Welch Exr. Test, Wm. Deans, N. P. Deans.

Wallis, John, Chowan, Nov. 26th, 1771. Eldest son Miles, youngest son William, wife Elizabeth, James Sumner Exr.

Wynants, Penelope, Chowan, Nov. 16th, 1804. Daughter Elizabeth Sinkler, grand-daughter Elizabeth Billups, Hester Wynants, Margaret Haughton. Test, James Ward, Elizabeth Taylor.

Waff, Thomas, Edenton, April 8th, 1803. Son George, wife Sarah, son Thomas, daughter Elizabeth, sons John and Edward, child in esse, wife and Elisha Norfleet Exrs. Test, James Satterfield, Wm. Satterfield.

Whedbee, John W., Chowan, April 25th, 1803. Wife and child or children. Test, Richard Benbury, Richard Hoskins.

Whedbee, Mary, Chowan, Sept. 23rd, 1807; Sept Term 1811. Son Richard, Mrs. Mary Benbury, whom I also appoint my Exx. Test, John Skinner, Amelia Harriss.

Wilder, John, Chowan, Nov. 8th, 1806. Daughter Rachel Wilder, son Richard, brother Michael, brother Nathaniel, daughter Rebecca, brother Francis and Stephen Cabarrus Exrs. My worthy neighbor Cabarrus, to whom I could trust the whole world,

in his honesty will never fail in giving you his friendly advice, for I do not expect he will qualify to the will, but do request him to attend with you here to examine and see how my old fellow does manage his Business for the benefit of my poor dear children without father or mother, but I hope in God Almighty you will both befriend them, Oh! my heart will burst here at the recital of these words. Pardon my weakness.

Wilder, Willis, Chowan, Oct. 31st, 1818. Brothers Thomas and Charles, James R. Creecy and Miles Wilder Exrs. Test, James Simons, Ralph P. Costain.

Wilder, Richard, May 16th, 1843. Son Thomas C. Wilder, daughter Sarah E. Wilder, sister Rachel, Thomas V. Hathaway Exr. Test, Alex. W. White, P. F. White.

Wilder, Augustus F., Chowan, Dec. 18th, 1850; Feb'y Term 1851. Mother Sarah Long. Test, Benjamin H. Webb, Edward Johnson, Sr.

Woodward, Edward, Chowan, Jan'y 6th, 1822; M'ch Term 1822. Wife Mariam, daughter Elizabeth Hudson, daughter Dolly, son Jethro's four children, Elizabeth, Fanny, Edward and Sally Ann Woodward, daughter Sarah, daughter Ann Haste, Uriah Hudson Exrs. Test, Jacob Parker, Sam'l Privitt.

Woodard, Ginney, Chowan, May 4th, 1824; Sept. Term 1824. Daughter Polly Privitt and her children, daughter Elizabeth Cochran (wife of Thomas), son-in-law Thomas Cochrane, Wm. Walton Ex. Test, Absalom H. Pritchard, Seth Burroughs.

Wilder, Thomas, Chowan, April 7th, 1827; June Term 1827. Wife Sarah, son Augustus Frederick, Wm. C. Roberts, Joseph H. Saunders Exr., brother Charles Wilder. Test, Wm. C. Roberts, Joseph Bagley.

Wills, James, Edenton, June 27th, 1836; Sept. Term 1836. I desire to be buried between my former wives, I desire my present wife to take care of her sister Eliza Norfleet and nephews James and William Norfleet and furnish Ann Norfleet, Eliza Norfleet and Mary McDowall each with a suit of mourning to wear after my funeral. Wife Sarah M. Wills Exx. Test, John Avery, Jos. H. Saunders.

Wills, Henry, Edenton, Feb'y 23rd, 1826; Sept. Term 1826. Wife Ann, daughters Mary Louisa Wills, Catharine White and Sarah L. Roberts, sons Henry and James, wife Ann and son James Exrs. Test, James Bozman, Lorenzo S. Webb.

Wright, William, Chowan, July 4th, 1839. Sons James and William, children Miles Wright, Margaret Walton, Humphrey Wright, Townsend Wright and Edmund Wright. Test, Richard T. Brownrigg.

Wright, Humphrey, Chowan, Jan'y 30th, 1850. Brothers James and Edmund, brother James Exr. Test, William Bratten, George M. Williams.

Wright, John, Chowan, March 4th, 1857. Wife Corisand Wright, Paul Bunch Exr. Test, Richard Dillard, D. V. Etheridge.

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## ABSTRACT OF WILLS.

(Compiled from the originals recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Gates Co., at Gatesville, N. C.)

Allen, Sarah, Sept. 22nd, 1794; Nov. Term 1794. Cousins Jethro, Fred and Miles Williams, sister Aleo Williams and her daughter Elizabeth Williams, Wm. Cleaves Exr. Test, Geo. Williams. (Gates Co.)

Arnold, John, (Gates Co.), Oct. 7th, 1823; Feb'y Court 1824. Wife Sarah, daughters Pleasant Benton, Mary Benton and Elizabeth Arnold, widow Sarah Arnold, grand-sons Riddick, John and Seth Arnold, David Riddick and Seth Benton Exrs. Test, Abraham Morgan.

Arline, Jesse, Jan'y 24, 1838; Nov. Court 1842. Son John, daughters Nancy and Mary Collins, daughters Margaret Brothers, Jane Rebecca Arline and Charity Arline, wife, son James. (Gates County.)

Alphin, James, (Gates Co.), Nov. 12, 1857; Feb'y Term 1858. Alice Lassiter grand-daughter of my wife Elizabeth, whom I appoint my Exx. Test, R. Z. Rawls, Seth R. Norfleet.

Alphin, Jacob, (Gates Co.), Sept. 8, 1858; Nov. Term 1858. Wife Fannie M. Alphin, Kosciusko Morgan of Harris Co., Texas, wife Exx. Test, S. W. Worrell, J. C. Pearce.

Alphin, John, Aug't 15th, 1859; Nov. Term 1865. Wife Leah, sons William, John and James, grand-children Frances and John Hinton, daughter Elizabeth, son-in-law W. B. S. Riddick, daughters Nancy and Emily. Test, W. E. Costen, D. A. Jordan.

Brinkley, Mary, (Perquimans Co.), Nov. 5th, 1776; Feb'y Court 1781. Sons Peter and John Brinkley, daughter Isabel Griffin, grand-sons Thomas, James and Peter Brinkley, grand-daughter Penelope Brinkley, grand-daughters Isabel Griffin, Ruth Tiler, Mary Gregory and Penelope Brinkley, son John and grand-daughter Penelope Brinkley Exrs. Test, Lewis Jones, Ann Babb, John Riddick.

Brinkley, John, (Gates Co.), Nov. 18, 1785; Feb'y Court 1786. Sons David, Jacob, Simeon and Elisha, uncle John, wife, daughter



Hetty, son Jacob Exr. Test, John Brinkley, Spence Brinkley, Jos. Thompson.

Brinkley, Joseph, Oct. 7, 1790; May Court 1801. Grand-son James Brinkley, son of Spencer, grand-daughter Susannah Brinkley, Joseph Riddick Exr. Test, Thos. Trotman, Alstly Trotman, Sally Brinkley. (Gates Co.)

Brinkley, William, Sr., Gates Co., March 24, 1816; May Court 1816. Son Thomas, daughters Sinthy, Peggy, Milly and Agatha Brinkley, Wm. Brothers Exr. Test, Sally Brinkley, Pleasant Brinkley.

Brinkley, Sally, (Gates Co.), Augt. 6, 1817; Augt. Court 1817. Polly Briggs, Treasy Walton, daughter Nancy Markum, Wm. Brinkley's children, Moses Speight's children, Treasy Walton's children, Polly Briggs children, Thomas Brinkley, George A. Harvey and Wm. Barnes Exrs. Test, Hy Hudgins, Eliz Barnes.

Brinkley, Simeon, (Gates Co.), Dec. 6th, 1827; Feb'y Court 1828. Wife Levina, son John, daughter Christian Barnes, grand-children Mary C. Barnes, Ann Elizabeth Barnes, Thomas Barnes, Charles Barnes, Caroline Barnes, Cathron Barnes and Deborah Barnes, daughters Esther Riddick, Sophia Stallings and Priscilla Brinkley, son Timothy, James Morgan Exr. Test, Jesse Matthews, Jethro Brinkley.

Brinkley, Lavinia, (Gates Co.), June 20, 1839; Nov. Court 1839. Daughter Christian Barnes, grand-daughter Mary D. Brinkley, grand-son Charles J. Brinkley, grand-children Jane, James and Jackson Barnes, Jno. C. Gordon Exr. Test, Densey Vann, Riddick Jones.

Brinkley, James, (Gates Co.), May 10, 1842; Augt. Court 1842. Wife Sabery, children of Quinton H. Trotman, Elvey Pearce, Whitmell Stallings Exr. Test, Jet Riddick, Timothy Brinkley.

Barecliff, Wm. Barnes, Gates Co., Nov. 1796; Nov. Court 1796. Uncle James Barnes, William Sumner Barnes, uncle Thos. Barnes. Test, John Riddick, Ann Ellis.

Ballard, Jethro, (Gates Co.). Wife Elizabeth, sons Thomas, and Richard H. Ballard, my six children, Martha, Elizabeth, Juley and Lucinda Ballard, wife and brother Kedar Ballard Exrs. Test, Jethro Sumner, Kedar Ballard, Miles Benton.

Ballard, Richard L., (Gates County), July 20, 1850—1850. Sons Robert, Henry, Charles, Edward and Stephen Decatur Ballard, daughters Martha Elizabeth and Ann Maria Ballard, sons Robert and Charles Exrs. (Holograph will.)

Baker, William, Sr., Gates County, March 10, 1853. Wife Judeth, son Richard Baker, daughters Margaret and Ann Baker, brother

Lawrence Baker, Isaac Pipkin, Henry Lee and Joseph Riddick, Exrs. Test, Mills Lewis, Jno. Warren, Isaac Parker.

Benton, Thomas, son of Miles, 2508 Richmond St., Philadelphia, 1891.

Baker, Lawrence, Gates County, September 6, 1805; November Court, 1807. Wife Anna Maria, son John Burgess Baker, Richard Baker son of my brother William Baker, dec'd, daughter Elizabeth Harvey, wife of Colonel Joseph Harvey, daughters Agatha, Anna Maria and Martha Susanna Baker, son Simmons James Baker and James B. Baker, Exrs.

Baker, Anna Maria, Gates County, February 19, 1808; August Court, 1808. Son John Burgess Baker, daughters Anna Maria and Martha Susanna Baker, daughter-in-law Agatha Baker, Anna Maria Matilda Baker (daughter of Dr. S. J. Baker), Elizabeth Baker Harvey (daughter of Colonel Joseph Harvey), daughter Martha S. Baker, my three children Jno. B., and Anna Maria and Martha S. Baker, son J. B. Baker and William Harvey, Exrs. Test. Mary Baker.

Baker, John B., Gates County, Jan'y 20, 1837. Wife Mary W. Baker, children Richard, Susan Jane and Lawrence Baker, Jos. Gordon and son Wm. J. Baker, Exrs. Test, Lassiter Riddick, John Riddick.

Baker, Blake, April 14, 1855; August Term, 1855. Sons Marmaduke and Levi, grand-daughters Ann N. and Sarah J. Baker, wife Charity, sons Blake, Samuel and John Baker, daughters Elizabeth Benton and Margaret Humphreys, god-sons John A. and Samuel Daughtie, son James B. Baker, sons Blake and James B. Baker, Exrs. Test, Henry Willey, Arthur Willey.

Baker, Harrison, Gates County, March 2, 1865; November Term 1866. Wife Mary Ann, sons Richard Henry and John H. Baker, wife, Exx. Test, E. J. Parker, Edwin Smith.

Barnes, Benjamin, Gates County, September 8, 1809; November Court, 1809. Sons John, Benjamin and Isaac, children John, Elizabeth B., Benjamin, Isaac, Charity, Milly and Peggy Barnes, Isaac Pipkin, Jr., and brother Richard Barnes, Exrs. Test, John Odom, Edward Vann, Luten Lewis.

Barnes, James, Gates County, September 4, 1809; August Court, 1811. Sons John and James, wife Elizabeth, sons Joseph, Benjamin and Wm. Sumner Barnes, daughter Patsey Palin Barnes, daughter Elizabeth Barnes. Test, Benjamin Newsom, Moses Speight.

Barnes, Thomas, Gates County, February 16, 1815; February Court, 1815. Wife Priscilla, son Jesse, daughter Mary Gatling, daughter Peggy Barnes, son Thomas, son Richard, daughters Sally and Martha Barnes, son Jesse and Isaac Pipkin Exrs. Test, Henry Goodman, E. B. Gatling.

\*Barnes, Elizabeth, Gates County, March 17, 1824; February Court, 1826. Son Joseph J. Barnes, daughter Elizabeth N. Barnes, daughter Martha P. Harvey, Jos. Gordon and son Joseph Exrs.

Barnes, Christian, Gates County, April 23, 1856; August Term, 1856. Sons Jackson and James, grand-daughters Catharine and Louisa Brinkley, my heirs, Thomas, Charles, James, Jackson, Catharine (wife of R. H. Hill), Elizabeth (wife of John Jones), and children of Chas. Brinkley, Henry A. Morgan Exr. Test, Jordan Parker, Wm. Taylor.

Barnes, Jackson, Gates County, December 3, 1859; February Term 1860. Sisters Catharine Hill and Mary Brinkley's children, viz: Catharine, Mills, Archibald and Louisa Ann, brothers Thos. Barnes and Charles Barnes, sister Caroline Jones, brother James Barnes, friend John Jones and wife Elizabeth, Jno. Jones Exr. Test, J. S. Harrell, G. R. Williams.

Bond, Dempsey, January 28, 1788; February Court 1788. Thos. Hoffer, sons Elisha Hance Bond and Richard Bond (son of William), sons Demsey and Thomas, daughters Nancy and Selah Bond, wife Rachel, all my children, Robert Riddick, Richard Bond, John B. Walton and Thomas Hunter Exrs. Test, Jas. Walton, Easter Walton, Mary Bond. (Gates County.)

Bond, Richard, Sr., Gates County, February 12, 1793; November Court 1795. Sons Richard and William, grand-children, Hare, Henry, James and Lewis Bond and Jerusa Skinner, daughters Sarah Lassiter and Millicent Jones, grand-children Bond Minchew, Sarah Horton, Mary Spivey, Judah Williams, Chloë Haise, and Theresa Minchew, daughters Judith Blanchard and Jerusha Allen, daughter Christian Smith, sons William and Richard Exrs. Test, James Gregory, David Rice, Isaac Costen.

Bond, Thomas, Gates County, January 16, 1819; May Court 1819. Wife Nancy, daughters Elizabeth G, Esther W. and Mary P. Bond, Henry Bond Exr. Test, Demsy Bond, Robert Riddick, Richard Bond.

Bond, Richard, Sr., Gates County, September 11, 1823; February Court 1825. Son Henry, daughters Mary Hinton, Sally Harrell, grand-daughter Mary Harrell, grand-son David Harrell, sons John and James, daughter Margaret, Henry Bond and son-in-law Wm. Hinton Exrs. Test, B. Blanchard, W. Blanchard, J. Walton.

Bond, Ann, Gates County, January 14, 1845; February Court 1845. Daughter Mary Jane Parker Bond, father Thomas Bond, daughters Elenor Susan Jones and Esther Hunter Jones (her husband Archibald Jones), sister Mary Brothers, Henry Bond Exrs. Test, Jno. Walton, James Hinton.

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\*NOTE.—Elizabeth Barnes was the daughter of Martha Alston, who married Meroney, Pattie Alston was the daughter of Jos. John Alston of Halifax Co. N.C.

Bond, Henry, Gates County, August 25, 1847; August Term 1847. Wife Anne, sons Richard H. L., John Bond, James F. Bond and Willis R. Bond, Mills Roberts guardian, Mills Roberts and Willis R. Bond Exrs. Test, Benj. Brown, James Blanchard.

\*Bond, R. H. L., Gates County, June 25, 1867; August Term 1867. My family, uncle Mills Roberts Exr. Test, W. P. Roberts, M. L. Eure.

Burgess, Elizabeth, Gates County, September 10, 1819; May Court 1821. Grand-sons John, William, James and Elisha Boyce, Stephen Eure Exr. Test, Abr. Cross, John Sparkman.

Benton, Jacob, Gates County, September 11, 1823; November Court 1823. Sister Nancy Matthews, brother-in-law Benton Jones, brother-in-law Charles King, sister Mary Benton, brother David Benton, sister Kidy Benton, sister Elizabeth Benton, brother David Benton Exr. Test, John Morgan, Jno. Benton.

Benton, Mary, Gates County, June 26, 1828; August Court 1828. Niece Mary Matthews (daughter of Etheldred, dec'd), sister Christian Benton, sister Ann Matthews, sister Judeth Jones, sister Elizabeth Riddick, brother David Benton Exrs. Test, Demsy Knight.

Benton, Seth, Gates County, October 11, 1831; May Court 1832. Wife Mary, sons James, Jacob, Abraham and Jordan Benton, daughters Maria, Martha and Jane Benton, sons James and Abraham Exrs. Test, Wm. W. Stedman, James Morgan.

Benton, David, Gates County, October 1, 1840; November Court 1840. Whitmel Jones, Joshua Jones, wife Catharine, Jordan Parker, Jesse Wiggins, Judith Jones, James Mannning (son of Willoughby), Jesse Wiggins Exr. Test, E. R. Morgan, Seth Morgan.

Benton, William, Gates County, June 6, 1845; November Term 1845. Wife Fanny C, daughter Sinthy Benton, son Henry, daughter Martha Peal, daughters Nancy, Ducey and Jane Benton, Benj. Sanders Exr. Test, B. Goodman, W. Hudgins, Timothy Marsh.

Benton, Mary, Gates County, February 19, 1846; February Term 1847. Sons Abraham and Jacob, daughter Martha (wife of James Porter), daughter Jane Benton (wife of Seth Benton), son Jordan Benton, Barnes Goodman Exr. Test, Benj. A. Sanders, Jesse B. Goodman.

Benton, Henry, Gates County, August 20, 1863; November Term 1863. Wife Martha, sons James H., Samuel R., William W., Jesse and Elisha Benton, son Joseph J. Benton, daughters Mary Elizabeth, Harriet E. Georgeanna and Lucinda Benton, son James H. Benton Exr. Test, J. A. Knight, Jacob Taylor.

Blanchard, Absley, Gates County, April 24, 1820; February Court

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NOTE.—R. H. L. Bond married Anna Hoskins, daughter of Charles Hoskins, Esq., of Edenton, N. C.

1829. Sons Abner and Washington, daughters Nancy and Rose, husband John Blanchard Exr. Test, T. H. Melvin, Kinchon Howell.

Bagley, Jacob, of Perquimans County, November 3, 1788; February Court 1789. Father Samuel Bagley, sons Docton, Henry and Trotman, wife Selah, brother William Bagley, father-in-law Amos Trotman, Thomas Hunter and Kedah Hill Exrs. Test, Thomas Trotman, John Hobbs, Mary Hill.

Briggs, Moses, Gates County, 1816; May Court 1826. Wife Thamer, Joseph Riddick (son of my executor), daughter Elizabeth Riddick, daughter Mary Harrell, son-in-law Abraham Harrell, grandsons Moses B., John W., Willis and Asa Harrell, grand-daughters Mary and Rebecca Harrell, Mary Griffin (daughter of my wife), Christian Overman (daughter of my wife), Abraham Harrell and Joseph Riddick Exrs. Test, Jos. Gordon, Wm. Harrell.

Briggs, Andrew, Gates County, August 19, 1858; August Term 1864. Ellen Jones (daughter of Marmaduke Jones), my brothers and sisters, brother Allen Briggs' children. Test, Thos. E. Powell, Sam'l J. Lowther.

Brooks, Francis, January 7, 1837; May Court 1837. Niece Catharine Brooks. Test, Mills Piland, Elisha B. Harrell.

Brooks, William, Gates County., June 18, 1836; May Court 1837. Sister Francis Brooks, daughter Catherine Brooks, grand-son George A. W. Brooks, grand-son Joseph I. Brooks (son of my daughter Eliza Brooks, dec'd), daughter Sarah Nicholson, son W. C. Brooks, daughter Sarah, son, Jesse G. Brooks, son, W. C. Brooks Exr.

Brooks, Joseph, Gates County, August 15, 1851; May Term 1853. Wife Sarah Ann Brooks, all my children, James, Joseph, Sally Ann, William Harvey, Elizabeth Frances, Lydia Margaret and George Exum Brooks, John Walton Exr. Test, Jacob Spivey, Alfred Spivey.

Boothe, James, Gates County, November 2, 1839; February Court 1841. Son William, daughter Polly Ann Boothe, sons Henning and Jeremiah, son William Exr. Test, Wm. L. Boothe, Elvey Russell.

Boothe, Wm. L. Gates County, March 22, 1860; August Term 1860. Daughter Elizabeth I. Howell, her husband David Howell, daughters Margaret A. and Mary L. Boothe, daughter Martha S. Boothe, son Wm. H. Boothe, wife Sarah, John R. Cross Exr. Test, Elisha Parker, Richard D. Briscoe.

Brown, James, Gates County, August 24, 1838; May Court 1842. Wife Clotilda. Test, Wm. L. Boothe, Peter Piland.

Brown, Jesse, Gates County, February 17, 1847; February Term 1847. Wife Martha Ann, daughters Celia Amanda, Martha Elizabeth, Margaret Ann and Lucy Hedding Brown, sons Levi B.,

Eskridge, Jesse Norfleet and Thomas Crowder Brown, wife Exs. Test, W. G. Daughtry, John Waller.

Blades, Abraham, Gates County, October 10, 1843; February Term 1847. Wife Annes, son William. Test, Miles Gatling, Nicholas Wade.

Bunch, Willis, Gates County, September 17, 1845; August Term 1848. Wife Margaret, sons Elisha and Ephraim, Jacob N. Bunch and wife Sarah, daughters Penina Forehand, Sarah Hobbs and Elizabeth Winslow, sons Willis, William and Isaac, son Ephraim Exr. Test, Gray Hobbs, Azer Hollowell.

Britton, James, Gates County, February 2, 1854; February Term 1854. Wife Henrietta, infant child James, Osker Britton, Edward R. Harrell Exr. Test, L. D. Ballard, R. H. Ellis.

Brothers, Rufus Sumpter, Gates County, February 1, 1861; May Term 1861. To be buried in either Green Mount or Mt. Olivet cemetery, Baltimore, Md., friend Charles R. King, mother Martha Brothers, my wife Martha I. Brothers, mother Exr. (Holograph will.)

Brothers, Sarah, Gates County, March 22, 1867; November Term 1867. Children Elizabeth J. Howell, Margaret A. Brinkley, Mary L. Brothers, Martha S. Barkley and William H. Brothers, Elisha Parker Exr. Test, Javan F. Brinkley, Jos. F. Brinkley.

Benbury, James E., Gates County, April 24, 1864; April Term 1863. Brother Richard B. Benbury. Test, Thomas B. Walton, Jno. Roberts.

Cross, Mary, (wife of Abel), Gates County, October 30, 1792; August Court 1793. All my children, husband Abel Cross.

Cross, Cyprian, Gates County, December 13, 1809; February Term 1810. Wife Christian, sons Riddick, Abraham and Jesse R. Cross, daughter Priscilla Lewis' children Betsey, Phillip and Nancy, daughters Nancy Vann, Elizabeth Vann, and Salley Cross, son Taylor Cross, John Vann Exr. Test, Jas. Usher, Jas. Williams, Wm. L. Smith.

Cross, Hardy, Gates County, July 13, 1813; February Court 1816. daughter Ann Cross, son John, daughter Mary Smith, grand-sons Hardy Parker and Joseph Parker (sons of Charity Parker), son Hardy, daughters Susan Smith, Celah Eley, Prudence Barnes, Elizabeth Daughtry and Catharine Cross, sons Hardy and Samuel Exrs. Test, John Hare, Wm. Cross, Benj. Odom.

Cross, David, Gates County, December 6, 1819; November Term 1823. Sons Willis and David, brother Abel, daughter Martha Cross, Ann Cross (daughter of Abel), Abraham and Taylor Cross. Test, Etheldred Matthews, John Vann.

Cross, Christian, Gates County, September 23, 1826; May Court 1828. Daughter Nancy Vann, grand-daughters Nancy Jenkins and Elizabeth Speight, daughter-in-law Charity Cross, grand-daughter

Margaret Jane Cross (daughter of Taylor Cross), son-in-law John Vann Exr. Test, Willis Cross, Richard Curl.

Cross, David, Gates County, January 2, 1829; February Court 1830. Sister Martha Eure, wife Mary, Mills Eure Exr. Test, A. M. Beeman, John Beeman.

Cross, Abraham, Gates County, May 13, 1830; May Court 1830. Wife Mary M. Cross, son Cyprian, daughters Harriet Norfleet, Louisa Cross and Mary G. Cross, Lemuel G. Darden, son Cyprian Exr. Test, Dempsey Griffith, John Vann.

Cross, Sarah, January 23, 1846; February Term 1853. Sons Richard, Henry and Hardy Cross, daughter Parmelia S. Williams (wife of Henry Williams), son William Cross, daughter Mary Williams, son John P. Cross, daughter Margaret Lee Cross, son Hardy Exr. Test, Francis Duke, Wm. Lee. (Gates County.)

Cross, Etheldred, Gates County, April 17, 1854; November Term 1858. Daughter Frances Story and her children, son-in-law James B. Story, wife Charity, Riddick Gatling Exr. Test, Wm. L. Broth-ers, Sally A. Odom.

Cross, Willis, Gates County, June 15, 1850; May Term 1859. Sons James, Elijah and John R. Cross, daughter Martha, daughters Nancy Lawrence and Caroline Howell, son Wm. H. Cross Exr. Test, Wm. L. Boothe, Elizabeth I. Boothe.

Cross, Emily, June 25, 1859; May Term, 1863. Husband Elisha Cross, my former husband S. E. Parker, dec'd, son Harrison Cross. Test, J. M. H. Lee, Wm. H. Lee. (Gates County.)

Cross, Riddick, March 2, 1865; November Term 1866. Wife Sarah Eliza, daughter Laura, son Elbert, son Roswell, Thos. E. Cross Exr. Test, Sarah E. Smith, Augustus Wolfey.

Cowper, Louisa, Gates County, January 16, 1804; May Court 1804. Sons Thomas, John and Willis Cowper, grand-daughter Louisa Cowper, Ann Granberry (daughter of Josiah Granberry), son Willis Exr. Test, Joshua Small, Parker Jones.

Cowper, William F., Gates County, August 23, 1849; November Term 1849. Sisters Claudia and Sarah Cowper, Henry M. Daughtry Exr. Test, Joseph Gatling, O. B. Savage.

Carter, Moore, Gates County, Decembbler 29, 1800; May Court 1805. Daughters Elizabeth, Molly and Polly Carter, son Lewis, wife Elizabeth, son Lewis Exr. Test, Geo. Williams, Wm. Brooks.

Carter, William, Gates County, November 14, 1823; February Court 1824. Daughter Mary Harrell, son Thomas M. Carter, daughter Elizabeth Nixon, son W. R. Carter, daughter Mary B. Carter, Henry Pugh and Joseph Gordon Exrs. Test, Jos. Granberry, Henry Willey.

Carter, Alex., Gates County, February 10, 1824; February Court 1824. Wife Penelope, brothers James and Henry, sister Nancy

Carter, brother Kindred Carter, wife Exx. Test, Mills Eure, Eborn Briscoe.

Collins, Abel L., Gates County, December 29, 1857; probate not dated. Nephew James Benjamin Collins, wife Theresa Exx. Test, Isaac Williams, W. L. Boothe.

Dunn, Sarah, Gates Co., April 10, 1779; Feb'y Court 1786. Husband George Dunn, daughter Catharine King, niece Sarah Skinner (daughter of Jesse Skinner), Geo. Dunn and Catharine King Exrs.

Duke, James, Gates Co., Oct. 2d, 1807; May Court 1808. Brother Josiah Duke, friends John and Daniel Duke Exrs. Test, Geo. A. Harvey, Thos. Rice, Isaac Phelps.

Daughtrey, W. G., Gates Co., March 16, 1852; May Term 1852. Brother Henry M. Daughtrey, and his present wife Penina, and their children, wife Lavinia, all my children, daughter Mary Elizabeth, Riddick Gatling and brother Henry Mills Daughtrey Exrs; also son William Mills Daughtrey. Test, Rebecca S. Wolfley, W. F. Riddick.

Daughtrey, Lavinia, Gates Co., Dec. 9, 1853; Feb'y Term 1854. Brother James L. Gatling, I bequeath \$200 to aid in building an Episcopal church in Gatesville, already commenced, brothers Wm. J. and George W. Gatling Exrs. Test, John Boothe, N. F. Riddick.

Doik, Elizabeth, Gates Co., Sept. 16, 1864; Nov. Term 1865. Sister Martha (wife of Peter M. Warren), cousins Henry C. Eure and Owen H. Eure (sons of my niece Martha J. Eure), Henry L. Eure Exr.

Ellis, John, Gates Co., Nov. 8, 1810; Feb'y Court 1811. Wife Mary, son Marmaduke Norfleet Ellis, daughter Elizabeth Riddick Ellis, Sarah Norfleet Ellis. Test, Thos. W. Ballard, Jno. Brothers, Jacob S. Powell.

Freeman, William, Gates Co., April 17, 1781; Aug't Court 1781. Son John, grand-son William Freeman (son of Joshua), sons Moses, King, James and William, daughter Sarah Haise, grand-son Reuben Hinton, daughter Susanna Spruell, grand-son William Perry, son-in-law Josiah Perry, daughter Mary Ward, wife Christian. Test, Lemuel Taylor, Nath'l Taylor, Christian Outlaw.

Freeman, Joseph, Gates Co., Sept. 9, 1842; Nov. Court 1842. Son John, Darice Freeman's estate, daughters Polly, Elizabeth, Nancy, Martha and Harriet, son John Exr. Test, Wm. Lee, Francis Duke.

Freeman, James T., Gates Co., Jan'y 26, 1840; Feb'y Court 1843. Sons James Hunter Freeman and John William Freeman, daughters Margaret Irene and Julia Ann Freeman, John Walton Exr. Test, Sam'l Ward, S. F. Freeman.

Fullington, Thomas, Gates Co., March 14, 1785; May Court 1785. Wife Judith, son Mathias, daughters Mary Morgan, Rachel Speight, Sarah Harris, Elizabeth Paretree and Millicent Brinkley, grand-



daughters Elizabeth, Polly and Treasy Pierce, wife, Abner Harrell, Sr., and Jacob Gordon Exrs. Test, Seth Eason, J. Lassiter.

Felton, Mary, Gates Co., July 12, 1784; Nov. Court 1785. Nephew Seley Smith, Robert Smith (son of Seley), Levi Smith (son of Seley) nephew John Thomas Exr. Test, Isaac Miller, James Pruden, Wm. Boyce.

Felton, Jane, Gates Co., Nov. 13, 1839; Nov. Term 1850. Grand-sons William and James Harrell, heirs of my deceased daughter Elizabeth Harrell, sons William, John R., Shadrack R., Noah and Mica-jah Felton, daughter Ann Welch, son David Fisher Felton, daughter Louisa Hare, son Samuel F., sons John R and David Fisher Felton Exrs. Test, David Riddick, Willis F. Riddick.

Felton, Penina, Gates Co., March 14, 1855; Feb'y Term 1859. Daughters Patsey Harrell and Selia Eure, son-in-law Zachariah Eure Exr. Test, Wash Harrell, Ervin Harrell.

Felton, David F., Gates Co., Dec. 31, 1856; Nov. Term 1865. My four children, viz: Eliza Ann, Noah B, John M. and Lavinia Felton, Noah Felton's wife Jane, son, John M. Felton and Miles Gatling Exrs. Test, W. H. Riddick, W. F. Riddick.

Fields, Mills R., Gates Co., May 4, 1833; Feb'y Court 1834. Wife Levina,, grand-sons Mills Fields and Mills Vann, daughter Julia Vann's children, son Reuben H. Fields, Richard, John K. and Lemuel K. Fields, grand-daughter Elizabeth Fields (daughter of Frederick), Daniel Fields, Levi Rogers and Isaac Willis Exrs. Test, Jenner Williams, H. G. Williams.

Garrett, James, Sr., Gates Co., March 6, 1781; May Court 1781. Wife Ruth, daughter Nancy, Edward Riddick (son of my friend Kedar), by brothers and sisters Thomas Garrett, Elizabeth Riddick, Deborah Hoffer, Rachel Outlaw, Leah Garrett, Mary Garrett and Christian Garrett, brother Thomas Garrett, Kedar Riddick and George Williams Exrs. Test, Robt. Parker, Willis Parker, Jane Brown.

Goodman, William, Gates Co., Nov. 3, 1780; May Court 1782. Sons Henry, William and John, daughters Mary King, Elizabeth Kittrell, Charity Holland, William and Henry Goodman Exrs. Test, Wm. Hughes, Ann Benton, Mary Cross.

Goodman, Henry, Gates Co., April 5, 1778; May Court 1783. Sons William and Joel, my relative Betsey Bathey, daughter of my grand-daughter Charity Gatlin (wife of William), my eight children, viz: Ann Bethey, William, Rose Brown, Henry Goodman, Timothy Goodman, Sarah Bethey, Joel Goodman and Sarah Pipkin, son Joel Exr. Test, Jno. Bethey, Wm. Goodman, Jr., W. G. Goodman.

Goodman, Joel, Gates Co., May 4, 1795; Aug't Term 1795. Sister Mary, brothers Cpyrian and William Exrs. Test, Rich'd R. Smith, Wm. Colling, Wm. Goodman.

Goodman, Henry, Gates Co., March 31, 1817. Son William, daughter Martha S., son Demsey, their mother Lucretia Goodman, her father's estate, my children by my first wife Mary Pipkin, viz: William Goodman, Penelope Parker, Wm. Goodman and Jane Pipkin Exrs. Test, Wm. Lee, Jos. Freeman.

Goodman, Mary, Gates Co., Aug't 27, 1823; Nov. Court 1823. Daughters Elizabeth and Edith, son Wm. H., grand-son W. G. Daughtrey, my children Peninah Cross, Lemuel, Elizabeth, Wm. H., Jincy Lawrence, and Edith Goodman, Lemuel Gordon Exr. Test, Wm. Goodman, Martha Copeland.

Goodman, William, Gates Co., Oct. 4, 1839; Nov. Term 1841. Wife Charity, son Jethro D. Goodman, daughter Edith Creecy, and her husband Charles Creecy, son Jethro Exr. Test, D. Williams, Hardy Cross.

Goodman, Mary, Gates Co., May 12, 1847. Grand-son Samuel R. Harrell, grand-daughter Mary S. Bond, grand-son Jos. N. Harrell, grand-son Isaac R. Hunter, grand-daughter Ann C. Goodman, my great-grand-daughter Ann C. Goodman, grand-daughter Sarah Ann Heathquet, grand-son Wiley Goodman Riddick, Sam'l R. Harrell and Willis R. Bond who married my grand-daughters Exrs. Test, T. H. Lassiter, Wm. Beaman, R. K. Speed.

Goodman, Barnes, Gates Co., Jan'y 7, 1862; Nov. Term 1863. Wife Harriet E., sons William T., John C., and James H. Goodman, daughter Sarah (wife of Wm. B. Smith), Sarah E. Goodwin (wife of Jesse B. Goodwin), also Jane's sons William B. and Benj. W. G., daughters Almeda P., Catharine W. and Mary B. Goodman, sons William T. and John C. Goodman Exrs. Test, John D. Pipkin, Wiley Wiggins.

Gregory, John, Gates Co., March 26, 1782; May Court 1784. Brothers Thomas and James Gregory, sister Nancy Granberry, brothers Thomas, William and James Gregory Exrs. Test, Josiah Granbury, will executed at Edenton, N. C.

Gregory, Richard B., Gates Co., April 16, 1825; Aug't Court 1825. Wife Jane A. Gregory, children Richard I., Mary Ann, Frances Elizabeth Gregory, Francis D. Charlton of Suffolk, Va., land in Gloucester Co., Va., Dr. John B. Baker and Jos. Gordon Exrs.

Gordon, Joel, Gates Co., Jan'y 31, 1786; Aug't Court 1786. Sons James, Henry, John, Timothy and David, daughters Sarah and Mary, sons Joel and Cyprian, wife Annes, sons James and John Exrs. Test, Jno. Bathey, Jas. Lang, Wm. Goodman.

Gordon, John, Gates Co., June 8, 1787; Feb'y Term 1793. Son Jacob, my children Judith, Penny, Geane, Rachel, David and Beck, son Benjamin, brother George Gordon, daughter Sarah Norfleet, wife

Mary. Test, Charles Powell, Tho. Williams, Eliza Walton.

Gordon, Jacob, Gates Co., Sept. 22, 1817; Feb'y Court 1820. Wife Barsheba, grand-daughters Sophia Hunter and Armesia Bozman, grand-son Jno. O. Hunter, sons James and George, daughter Elizabeth Harvey, son Joseph, daughter Esther Butts, son Jacob N. Gordon, daughter Wanney Granberry, my three grand-children Sophia, Armesia and John Hunter, children of my daughter Mary Hunter, dec'd, son Joseph Exr. Test, Wm. Brothers, Jno. Alphin.

Gordon, John C., Gates Co., Dec. 5, 1858; May Term 1861. Daughter Mary E. Disbrow, and her son Chas. H. Disbrow, daughters Patience B. Kellogg, Barsheba Lassiter and Martha S. Gordon, grand-son John Gordon, son of Geo. B. Gordon, daughter Caroline F. Gordon, grand-son William Gordon (son of Geo. B. Gordon), daughter Isa Gordon, sons-in-law Martin Kellogg and Timothy H. Lassiter Exrs. (Holograph will.)

Gordon, C. F., Gates Co., May 21, 1861; August Term 1861. Sister Martha S. Gordon, Timothy H. Lassiter Exr. Test, Mary E. Williams, Samuel J. Lowther, Mary E. Lassiter.

Gooding, Ann, Gates., Feb'y 1, 1805; Feb'y Court 1805. Jane, Abigail, Nancy, William, Mary, Elizabeth, Trot and Riddick Beasley, Mary Beasley, daughter of Mary Beasley, Barsheba Beasley, daughters Rachel and Mary, Cyprian Cross Exr. Test, Jno. Vann, Bethy Boyce.

Gatling, William, Gates Co., April 26, 1788; Feb'y Term 1791. Sons John, William and Edward, grand-son Edward Gatling (son of John), daughter Mary Waters, grand-son Miles Gatling (son of John), son George, daughter Sarah Winborn, my wife. Test, Jos. Speight, Henry Speight, Anna Speight.

Gatling, William, Gates Co., March 8, 1808; May Court 1808. Wife Selah, daughter Elizabeth Bond, grand-daughter Charity Harrell, grand-son Etheldred Boyd Gatling, sons William and James Gatling's son William, Wm. Goodmon, Sr., Isaac Pipkin, Jr., Exrs. Test, Henry Goodman, Charity Goodman, Barsha Sumner.

Gatling, Etheldred Boyd, Gates Co., Nov. 14, 1825; Feb'y Court 1826. Sons John B. and Richard B. Gatling, William Gatling, daughters Emily B., Elizabeth B., Mary Jane, Martha B. and Harriet B. Gatling, Isaac Pipkin and Lewis Eure Exrs. Test, Lem'l Goodman, Wm. Goodman.

Gatling, Mary, Gates Co., Nov. 10, 1825; May Court 1826. Son William, sister Ann Gatling, sons John and Riddick Gatling, daughters Martha Sumner and Ann Riddick, son Riddick Exr. Test, Jesse Lee.

Gatling, Ann, Gates Co., Sept. 11, 1852; Nov. Term 1852. Sons Authur, Joseph and Miles, daughter Zilla, son Miles Exr. Test, O. B. Savage, John Brady, Jr.

Gatling, Mary E., Gates Co., Oct. 23, 1861; May Term 1862. Daughter Sallie Ann Gatling, all my heirs.

Graham, Ebenezer, Gates Co., June 16, 1795; May Court 1809. Son John Baker Graham, brother-in-law Henry Baker of Scotland Neck, Halifax County, N. C., Lawrence Baker Exr. Test, John Baker, Hy. Hudgins.

Granberry, Nancy, Gates Co., July 30, 1836; Aug't Court 1836. Daughters Bathsheba and Elizabeth, son George Gordon, John C. Gordon Exr. Test, Jos. Gordon, Elizabeth N. Harvey.

Gilliam, Henry, Gates Co., March 27, 1835; Feb'y Court 1843. Wife Elizabeth Gilliam, children Henry A., Mary C., Martha F., Thos. H. and George Gilliam, sister Martha Parker, son John R. Gilliam, Augustus Moore and wife Exrs.

Gwinn, John, March 22, 1843; May Court 1843. Wife Threasy, son William, daughter Sally Gwinn, daughters Martha Jones and Milly Barr, sons David, Joseph and William, daughters Mary, Elizabeth and Nancy. Jesse Wiggins Exr. Test, Thos. A. Small, Daniel Powell.

Hill, Henry, Gates Co., Jan'y 4, 1780; Feb'y Court 1781. Son Henry, land binding on Seabrook Hinton's, sons Himbreck, David and Clement, daughters Charity Robins and Mary Nichols, wife Mary, Henry Hill and Thomas Hunter Exrs. Test, Thos. Hunter, Robert Taylor, Martha Harrell.

Hill, Guy, Gates Co., March 6, 1787; Aug't Term 1787. Son John, daughter Elizabeth, wife Mary, brother-in-law Rich'd Bond and Moses Mill Exrs. Test, Kader Hill, Henry Walton, Micajah Lassiter.

Hill, Himrick, Gates Co., July 7, 1802; Feb'y Court 1809. Wife Penelope, son Kedar, daughter Leah, wife and John Hare Exrs. Test, John Hare, Mary Nichols.

Hill, Ann, Gates Co., Nov. 16, 1847; May Term 1852. Step-daughter Caroline Mary Hill, sister Elizabeth Richardson, Edward R. Hunter Exr. Test, Wm. I. Hunter, Isaac R. Hunter, Sr.

Hill, Asa, Gates Co., April 6, 1859; May Term 1859. Wife Susan, son James R. Hill, daughter Philopena Harrell, son Charles, daughters Sarah M. Hill and Mary A. Hill. Test, John R. Hill, D. Parker.

Hill, Robert R., Gates Co., July 1, 1862; Nov. Term 1862. Wife Catharine, daughters Sarah C. Hill and Catharine Hill, son John R. Hill, son-in-law Wm. G. Williams, his wife and daughter Jane Rebecca, daughter Mary Ann Hill, son Patrick H. Hill, John R. Hill, W. G. Williams and Sam'l K. Harrell Exrs. Test, Elisha Williams, Martin Kellogg.

Hunter, Alee, Gates Co., April 12, 1781; Aug't Court 1781. Sons William, Theophilus and John, daughter Mary, Thos. Walton and son

Wm. Hunter Exrs. Test Sarah Walton, Mary Hunter Elisha Hunter. Hunter, Jacob, Gates Co., Feb'y 5, 1780; Nov. Court 1784. Wife Sarah, all my children, Isaac, Leah, Riddick and Elizabeth, son-in-law Seth Riddick and son Isaac Hunter Exrs. Test, Jno. Hodges, Wm. Freeman, Abram Harrell.

Hunter, Elisha, Gates Co., May 2, 1786; Aug't Court 1786. Daughter Sele Hunter, wife Ann, grand-daughter Ann Lay (daughter of Amos Freeman), son Thomas Hunter and Joseph Riddick Exrs. Test, John Gordon, Sarah Hunter, Sam'l Hunter.

Hunter, Thomas, Gates Co., Sept. 19, 1797; Feb'y Court 1798. Sons Elisha and Isaac, daughters Ann and Christian Hunter, son Elisha, Isaac Hunter, James Gregory and Jos. Riddick Exrs. Test, Wm. Carter, George Outlaw.

Hunter, William, Gates Co., March 24, 1813; May Court 1813. Wife Christian, son John, daughter Leah, sons Timothy and Elisha, daughter Julia, Job Winslow and Timothy Freeman Exrs.. Leah, Timothy and Elisha are the grand-children of Ezekiel Trotman. Test, J. Riddick, James Phelps.

Hunter, Isaac, Gates Co., Oct. 15, 1816; Nov. Court 1816. Son Isaac Riddick Hunter, wife Mary, son Jacob, Benjamin Hunter, Sophia Hunter, Sarah Ednah Adaline Hunter, son John Omugg Hunter, daughter Armesia Hunter, son Edward R. Hunter, James Lassiter, Edward R. Hunter and Isaac R. Hunter Exrs. Test, John T. Weaver, W. W. Stedman.

Hunter, Mary, Gates Co., Jan'y 23, 1838; Aug't Court 1838. Son Jacob Benjamin, daughter Sarah E. Riddick, son-in-law Willis F. Riddick.

Hunter, Edward R., Gates Co., Feb'y 13, 1857; August Term 1857. Daughter Mary Eliza, son Edward R., and his four children, Samuel Watts, Mary Eliza Frances, Martha Jane and Edward Moore White Hunter, sons William I. Hunter and Willis M. Hunter, son Henry H. Hunter, daughter Sophia C. Hunter, grand-sons Joseph Mullen and Henry Hunter Mullen, son James B. Hunter, wife Mary Eliza, sons Willis M., Henry H. and James B. Hunter Exrs. Test, Sam'l Harrell, Isaac R. Hunter.

Hare, Mary (widow of Edward), Gates Co., Sept. 22, 1780; Feb'y Court 1788. Son John, grand-son Duke Hare, daughter Ann Scott, John Miller, grand-daughter Margaret Scott, heirs of my daughter Christian West, daughter Mary Burgess, heirs of my son Bryan Hare, son John and Thomas Hare Exrs.

Hare, Moses, Jr., Feb'y 11, 1794; May Court 1794. Sons Simmons Hare Jones, Winston Hare Jones and Moses H. Jones, daughter Jennie Hare, Jethro Sumner and Simmons Hare Jones Exrs. Test, Andrew Matthews, David Benton.

Hare, Moses, Gates Co., April 12, 1793; Aug't Court 1794. Wife

Honore, sons Moses, Joseph and John, son Elisha, daughter Bridget Small, my wife. Test, K. Ballard, David Jones.

Hare, Elisha, Gates Co., Jan'y 13th, 1805; Feb'y Court 1808. Wife Esther, sons Jesse, Jacob and Thomas, daughters Elizabeth, Jane and Rebecca Hare, wife Exx. Test, Edward Parker, Crissy Small.

Hare, John, Gates Co., Oct. 16th, 1819; Nov. Court 1819. Wife Rosanna, sons Edward, Elisha, John, Kedah and James, daughter Elizabeth Morris, John Walton and D. Walton Exrs.

Hare, Joseph, Gates Co., May 23rd, 1822; Feb'y Court 1825. Wife Edith, all my children, wife Exx. Test, James Benton, John Hare, Bryan Hare.

Hinton, William, Gates Co., Oct. 27, 1796; Nov. Court 1796. Wife Mary, daughter Elizabeth Thompson, sons Noah and William, (Sam'l Harrell, Isaac Hunter, Lewis Thompson and Noah Thompson Exrs. Test, John Robbins, Isaac Rhoads, Mourning Seeman.

Hinton, William, Sr., Gates Co., Jan'y 1st, 1806; Feb'y Court 1806. Wife Priscilla, daughter Elizabeth Foster and Sally Hinton, son William, son John Exr. Test, Thos. Hoffer, Elizabeth Parker.

Hinton, Sarah, Gates Co., Dec. 28, 1824; May Court 1825. Cousins Mary Cooper and Anne Bond, George Sutton Exr. Test, Noah Hinton.

Hinton, Reuben, Gates Co., March 28, 1837; Augt. Court 1837. Wife Penelope, son Reuben Gordon Hinton, daughters Angelina and Susan Caroline Hinton, daughter Sarah Parker, grand-daughter Sarah Eliz Carver and her father Job Carver, Henry Gilliam Exr. Test, Benj. Savage, Henry Booth.

Hinton, Thomas, Oct. 11, 1844; Nov. Court 1844. Wife Eliza, William Thomas Hinton infant child of Jacob Hinton, sister Elizabeth Hinton (wife of Noah Hinton), Jacob Hunter Exr.

Hinton, Noah, Gates Co., Augt. 30, 1849; Nov. Term 1849. Wife Elizabeth, sons Robert and Jacob, daughters Emily Felton and Armesia Jackson, son Jacob Exr. Test, Mills Roberts, James Hinton.

Hinton, Penelope, Gates Co., Augt. 29, 1843; May Term 1850. Daughters Sarah Parker, Angelina Hinton and Susan Hinton, sons Gordon, Noah and James Hinton (orphans of James Hinton), son Gordon Exr. Test, Willis F. Riddick, John Boothe, James Hamilton.

Hinton, John, Gates Co., Jan'y 10, 1854; Nov. Term 1857. Wife Dorothy, son John W. Hinton, daughter Margaret Freeman and all her children, grand-sons R. H. L. Bond and James F. Bond sons of my daughter Ann Wiley, who was formerly wife of Henry Bond, grand-son Oliver H. Odom and Richard B. Odom, daughter Ann

Wiley, daughter Julia Nowell and her children, son John W. Hinton and grand-son Joseph Nowell Exrs. Test, John Walton, James R. Hoffer.

Hinton, Margaret, Gates Co., Oct. 4, 1859. Nuncupative, Jesse Jones, Henry Pearce and wife, Rainey and Mary Trevathan, "property to be equally divided between my husband's children." John Walton, Exr.

Harrell, Peters, Gates Co., June 29, 1802; August Court 1802. Wife Pleasant, son Peter, daughters Annis, Nancy, Judith, Penelope, Mary, Pleasant and Elizabeth, grand-sons Peter and Hilery Eure, Mills Eure Exr. Test, Sam'l Taylor, Peter Harrell.

Harrell, Isaac, Gates Co., March 20, 1805; Nov. Court 1805. Sons David and Noah, daughter Leah, grand-son John Lewis (son of my daughter Leah Hinton), daughters Edith Groves, Rhoda Parker, Leoner Dare, grand-children Christian Jones, Absilla and Thomas Trotman (children of daughter Christian Trotman) wife Judith, son Isaac Exr. Test, Charles W. Harvey, John Granberry, Hy Hudgins.

Harrell, Christian, Jan'y 12th, 1795. Uncles Samuel and Dempsey Harrell, mother Mary Harrell, aunt Sarah Piland, Martha and Ruth Piland. Test, Edward Piland, Susan Piland.

Harrell, Thomas, Gates Co., March 22d, 1808; May Court 1808. Wife Ann, sons Elijah and Elisha, daughters Edy, Rebecca, Mary and Milley, sons Elijah and Elisha Exrs. Test, Sanders Carter, John Eure.

Harrell, Abraham, Gates Co., March 18, 1799; August Court 1810. Son David, daughters Winea Moran and Fanny Alphin, sons Theophilus, Charles and Abraham, wife Mary. Test, David Rice, John Miller, W. Creecy.

Harrell, Samuel, Gates County, Feb'y 13, 1811; May Court 1811. Wife Sally, three youngest sons Willis, Andrew and Isaac, five youngest children Henry, Willis, Andrew, Elizabeth and Isaac, son William, daughter Mary, sons Noah, Abner and James, son Joseph, daughter Nancy, sons William and Noah Exrs. Test, John Gordon, Charles W. Harvey.

Harrell, Demsey, Gates Co., Oct. 15, 1808; Feb'y Court 1812. Sons Thomas and George, daughter Elizabeth Harrell, wife Mary, George Harrell and Mills Eure Exrs. Test, David Harrell, Elisha Parker, Wm. Crafford.

Harrell, Thomas, Gates county, Jan'y 8, 1824; Feb'y Court 1824. Brothers Elisha and Josiah Harrell, sister Penny Piland, brother Elijah Harrell, cousin Elisha Harrell Exr. Test, A. Beeman, Jesse Brown.

Harrell, Josiah, Gates county, Nov. 10, 1823; Feb'y Court 1825.

Wife Judeth, sons William and Samuel, daughter Arcada Jones, son William Exr. Test, Mills Eure, George Harrell, wife's Judeth's children.

Harrell, Judeth, Gates county, Jan'y 27, 1833; Feb'y Term 1833. Son Euarven Harrell, heirs of Peters Harrell, dec'd, Abraham Parker Exr. Test, Mills Eure, Nathan Smith, Elizabeth Taylor.

Harrel, Mary, Gates county, July 18, 1834; Feb'y Term 1834. Son William Henry Harrell, Abraham Pruden Exr. Test, Thos. Hoggard, Wiley Carter.

Harrell, William, Gates county, Dec. 26, 1833; Nov. Court 1834. Wife Elizabeth, sons William H., James A., son William, Joseph Gordon, sons William H. and James A. Harrell Exrs. Test, Marmaduke Norfleet, Jos. Gordon.

Harrell, Jesse, Gates county, Apl. 19, 1837; Augt. Court 1837. Sons Thomas and Robert H., wife Ledy, daughters Elizabeth and Ann Harrell, son James. Test, Jesse Piland, Boon Eure.

Harrell, Elisha, Gates Co., Feb'y 16, 1837; Nov. Court 1840. Wife Penelope, daughters Penelope Harrell, Ludah Savage and Celia Harrell, sons Jethro and Peter, daughter Elizabeth Taylor, grand-son Charles Eure, grand-daughters Elizabeth and Celia Eure, grand-children John and Patsey Harrell, son Jethro and W. L. Boothe Exrs. Test, Demsey Parker, Mills Sparkman.

Harrell, Penelope, Gates County, February 1, 1842; May Court 1842. Grand-daughter Celia Eure, daughters Penelope Harrell, Ludah Savage and Celia Harrell's son Peter Exr. Test, Wm. L. Boothe, John M. Mathews.

Harrell, Jethro, Gates Co., June 29, 1837; May Term 1847. Wife Nancy, daughters Mary Hare, Martha and Emily Harrell. Test, Wm. P. Jones, James Smith.

Harrell, Noah, Gates Co., July 1st, 1848; Feb'y Term 1849. Son Sam'l R. Harrell, daughter Mary S. Bond, her three children by Elbert H. Riddick, (Wm. Harvey Riddick, Willie Goodman Riddick and David Elbert Riddick) son James N. Harrell, daughter Ann C. Goodman, sons Sam'l R. and James N. Riddick Exrs. Test, Solomon Rountree, Henry Speight.

Harrell, Willis W., Gates county, Sept. 15, 1857; Feb'y Term 1858. Wife Louise, Abner Harrell (youngest son of William Norfleet Harrell) youngest daughter Mary Louisa Harrell, sons Edward R. Harrell and Noah Harrell, daughter Martha O. Hill, son Edward R. and James Noah Harrell Exrs. Test, Wm. L. Reed, Riddick Hunter.

Harrell, Nancy, Gates County, July 13, 1858; August Term 1858. Sister Elizabeth Briggs, Dempsey Jones, Nancy Jones, Allen Smith, William Smith, sister Eliz Briggs Exx. Test, Evan Parker, J. F. Manning.



Harrell, Nathan, Gates County, March 12, 1860; August Term 1860. Wife Celia, children of my sister Martha Eure and her husband Daniel Eure, wife and John R. Cross Exrs. Test, W. L. Boothe, Tamar Cross.

Harrell, Isaac, Gates County, November 20, 1861; August Term 1862. Wife, daughters Martha Louisa Harrell, and Mary Ann Hill, my children Mills Roberts, Florence Meliam, Dinah Margaret Hortense, Isaac and Samuel, wife and Joshua S. Whedbee Exrs.

Harrell, Samuel R., Gates County, April 5, 1864; August Term 1864. Wife Mary Elizabeth, daughter Sarah Augusta Harrell, son William Preston Harrell, son Samuel Bascom Harrell, daughter Mary Catharine, sons James Abner Harrell, Charles Noah Harrell, Edward E. Harrell, Claudius Willett Harrell and Emmett Eugene Harrell, Elizabeth Estelle Harrell, child in esse, Henry A. Morgan, William Prescott Harrell and Samuel B. Harrell Exrs. Test, Costen Jordan, John R. Hill.

Harrell, Isaac, Gates County, November 15, 1806; November Court 1806. Brother Noah Harrell. Test, Samuel Harrell, Henry Maroney.

Hines, Moses, Gates County, January 25, 1803; November Court 1804. Wife Ruth, daughter Rachel Ellis Hines, Aaron Smith, Judeth Wilkins, daughter Elizabeth Phelps, Kedar Parker Exr. Test, Jesse B. Benton, Kedar Parker.

Harvey, Sarah, Gates County, March 14, 1816; May Court 1816. Chas. W. Harvey, brother Thomas Riddick, mother Elizabeth Minchew, Joseph and John Riddick (sons of brother Thomas), Micajah and Lassiter Riddick (sons of brother Edward Riddick), son Robert Riddick, daughter Mary E. Riddick, brother James Riddick, Chas. W. Harvey and James Lassiter Exrs.

Harvey, George A., Gates County, August 20, 1820; February Court 1824. Wife Elizabeth, my children, Mary Ann Gordon Harvey, William Edward N. Harvey, Jacob John Harvey and George Gordon Harvey, wife, Geo. Gordon, Joseph Gordon and Jacob N. Gordon Exrs. Test, Noah Harrell, Daniel Duke.

Harvey, William M., Gates County, May 23, 1818; May Court 1827. Margaret Ann Baker Harvey, William Benjamin Harvey, Richard Marmaduke Norfleet Harvey, John Mallory Harvey, Louisa Virginia Harvey, wife Ann N. Harvey Exx. Test, Benj. Wynne, Charles Vann, John B. Baker Adm'r.

Haslet, Fletcher, Gates County, September 28, 1838; November Court 1838. Brother John Haslet, my brothers and sisters, wife Mary, Isaac S. Harrell Exr. Test, Jas. T. Freeman, John Hinton.

Haslet, John H., Gates County, October 19, 1855; February Term 1856. Wife Liddy, daughter Martha A. Williams, son John F. Has-

let, Isaac Williams and Jno. F. Haslet Exrs. Test, Thos. Pearce, Wm. K. Babb.

Hoskins, Margaret, Gates County, August 26, 1832; November Court 1838. Daughter Lydia Ann Riddick, grand-son Henry Augustus Riddick, grand-daughter Cassandra Riddick, my grand-children, Richard Edgar, Chas. Cunningham, Margaret Amelia, Evalina and Angelina Virginia Riddick (children of my daughter Lydia Ann Riddick), John Robberts Exr. Test, Hy Gilliam, Jos. I. Barnes, T. Saunders.

Howell, Miles, Gates County, July 24, 1839; February Court 1840. Sons James E. and Dempsey W. Howell, daughters Cherry M. J., Mary Frances, and Georgeanna Howell, daughter Martha Eliza Howell, Edward Howell of Edward, Peter Eure.

Hudgins, Humphrey, Gates County, December 23, 1822; February Court 1823. Sons John P., Josiah J., Jesse, William, Levin and Joel, daughters Elizabeth Hudgins, Amelia Rawls, Louisa Pugh, Sally Hudgins, grand-daughters Elizabeth Savage and Mary Ann Savage, grand-son Humphrey D. Savage, daughter Rosa Walton, sons William and Joel Hudgins Exrs. Test, Richard Smith, Jno. Matthews. He came to Gates from Gloucester County, Va.

Hudgins, Mary, Gates County, June 12, 1841; February Term 1850. Daughters Amelia Rountree and Lovicey Worrell, grand-daughter Emily Caroline Rountree, son-in-law Solomon Rountree Exr. Test, O. B. Savage, W. G. Daughtrey.

Hudgins, Mary, Gates County, December 8, 1847; August Term 1863. Son Warner Pugh Hudgins, daughter Sally Ann Blanchard (her husband James Blanchard), grand-son John Benbury Rawls (son of my deceased daughter Esther Elizabeth Rawls), son Warner Pugh Hudgins Exr. Test, John Walton, John R. Walton.

Hunter, Mary Eliza, Gates County, July 5, 1861; May Term 1862. Brothers Edward R., William I., J. Beverly, and Henry Holmes Hunter, nephew Henry H. Mullen, nephew Edward Hunter (son of Willis M. Hunter), sister Sophia Carolina Hines, brother-in-law Thomas C. Hines Exr. Test, Isaac A. Harrell, Samuel R. Harrell.

Jenkins, Winborn, Gates County, January 17, 1813; May Court 1815. Son Isaac H. Jenkins, wife Nancy, son John C. Jenkins, son Willis W. Jenkins, Jethro A. Jenkins, Henry Wiley and Isaac H. Jenkins Exrs. Test, Kedar Parker, Wm. Goodman of H.

Jones, Frederick, Gates County, August 20, 1838; November Court 1838. Sons Ezekiel, Archibald, Alfred and M. Jones, daughters Elizabeth, Almena Jones and Elizabeth Fields (daughter of F. Fields), son Ezekiel and Thos. Riddick Exrs. Test, Richard H. Parker, Ira Z. Hunter.

King, Solomon, Gates County. Wife Abigail, grand-sons Solomon

King Goodman, William Goodman, Elisha Porter, Demsey King Sumner, and Solomon King Valentine, grand-son Nathaniel Tynes land in Edgecombe County, grand-daughter Mary Goodman, daughter Eliza Tynes, son-in-law Thomas Tynes, daughters Abigail Porter, Martha Sumner and Abigail Valentine, Rebecca King Valentine (wife, David Darden, John Lee, son-in-law Jethro Sumner, and Henry Goodman Exrs. Test, Wm. Goodman, Jas. Gatling, Jane Sanders. (No date, but about 1785.)

King, Henry, Gates County, January 23, 1782; November Court 1782. Wife Mary, sons William and John, daughters Elizabeth, Mary and Sarah, wife and brother Solomon Exrs. Test, Henry King, George Dunn, Francis Speight, Abigail King.

King, Simon, Gates County, October 3, 1817; February Court 1818. Daughter Christian, sons John, William, Swain and Norman, wife Mary, brother Norman King and Joseph Riddick Exrs. Test, Wm. King, Henry King.

King, William, Gates County, July 27, 1831; May Court 1832. Wife Harriet, daughter Mary, Jesse Hobbs Exr. Test, Mary King, Amos Hobbs.

King, John, Gates County, August 7, 1849; November Term 1849. Wife Sarah, my children, viz: Ann, Hamilton, John, Sarah Elizabeth and Mary, Thos. Riddick Exr. Test, C. A. Riddick, Jas. C. King.

Kittrell, George, Gates County, September 10, 1832; November Court 1832. Wife Milly, children Mary, Sarah, Elizabeth, Mildred, John, Maria, Leah and Anna Kittrell, wife Milly and Daniel Williams Exrs. Test, Levi Rogers, Jethro Wiley, Dempsey Goodman.

Kittrell, Elizabeth, Gates County, April 14, 1823; May Court 1823. Son George Kittrell, daughter Elizabeth Fields, grand-children Enos Scarbrough, Elizabeth Williams. William Moore, daughter Mary Willey, heirs of my son William Kittrell, heirs of my deceased daughters Sarah Williams and Charity Williams, son George Exr. Test, Dempsey Goodman, William Cleaves.

Knight, Brinkley, Gates County, June 1852; August Term 1852. Wife Esther, eldest son John A. Knight, sons Thos. G., Dempsey and Wesley, daughters Elizabeth Brothers, Mary Jones, Hester Ann Knight and Peggy Ann Furlington, grand-daughters Virginia Brinkley and Pleasant Knight, sons John Thomas and William, son Wm. W. Knight, Thos. C. Hines Exr. Test, Jordan Parker, Joshua Jones.

Knight, Thomas J., Gates County, December 18, 1852; February Term 1853. Brothers John A. and William W. Knight, my father's first children and grand-children, sister Hester Ann, John A. Knight Exr. Test, Thos. P. Cherry, Joshua Jones.

Knight, Esther, Gates County, September 4, 1861; August Term 1862. Son John A. Knight, son Wm. W. Knight, daughter Hester

Ann Benton, Lincard Martin Knight, sons John and William Knight Exrs. Test, Thos. C. Hines, Thos. Benton.

Lawrence, Rachel, Gates County, August 14, 1791; February Court 1792. Husband Michael Lawrence, Judith Raby, Christopher Riddick Exr.

Lewis, William, Gates County, January 14, 1796; February Court 1796. Son John, wife Leah, brother-in-law Noah Harrell Exr., all my children. Test, Levin Duer, John Roberts.

Lewis, Phillip, Gates County, March 24, 1793; February Court 1800. Wife Elizabeth, brothers Luke, Mills, John and Luton Lewis, mother Sarah Lewis, brother Eff Lewis, David Lewis, sister Molly Lewis. Test, I. Pipkin, Benj. Barnes, Thos. Barnes.

Lewis, Luton, Gates County, October 22, 1807; August Court 1811. Wife Peggy, sons Elvey and Luton, brother Phillip, son Philip, daughters Elizabeth, Nancy and Priscilla Lewis, child in esse. Test, Jos. Speight, Eff Lewis.

Lewis, John, Gates County, October 2, 1812; February Court 1815. Wife Polly, sons Exum and John, daughters Celia, Sally and Peggy. Test, Whitmell Eure, E. H. Eure.

Lewis Luton, Gates County, April 29, 1815; August Court 1815. Uncle Benjamin Odom, grand-father John Smith, uncle Jno. Smith. Test, James Boothe, John Smith, Jesse Arline.

Lewis, Molley, Gates County, October 6, 1821; February Court 1822. Brother Eff Lewis, Elvey Lewis and his daughter Emiline Lewis, Elvey Lewis Exr. Test, Ira, Richard and Asa Odom.

Lewis, Mary Gates County, No date. Probated 1850. Son John Lewis, son John Wolfey, all my heirs, nephew Dr. Henry Willey Exr. Test, R. Gatling, Wm. Gatling.

Lank, Thomas, Gates County, December 28, 1828; February Court 1829. Wife Zilpha, Robert L. Parker, Rachel S. Parker, Collen Morgan, Thos. Morgan and Abraham Morgan, Timothy Walton Exr.

Lewis, David, Gates County, June 12, 1830; August Court 1833. Grand-sons John H. and David C. Cross, my grand-children, the children of daughter Penelope Cross, dec'd, Nancy Smith, Priscilla Ward, Elizabeth and Mary Cross, son Blake Lewis, David C. Cross Exr., grand-mother. Test, Jno. B. Baker, Wm. H. Savage.

Lee, Mary, Gates County, December 1, 1836. Daughter Elizabeth Eure (wife of Samuel), daughter Mary Valentine (wife of Solomon), grand-children Henry L. Eure, Mills Eure, Emma L. Cartwright (wife of James Cartwright), Armesia Everett (wife of John Everett), and Mary Ann Eure, my sons and daughters, William Lee, Richard H. Lee, John R. Lee, Margaret Williams (wife of Jonathan Williams), Sarah Cross (wife of John Cross dec'd), Charity Goodman, (wife of William Goodman), Ann Vaughn (wife of Joseph Vaughan), Martha Vaughan (wife of John B. Vaughan), grand-son

Lee Goodman, sons William and John Lee Exrs. Test, Edward Howell. Jno. B. Marsh.

Lee, Titus G., Gates County, August 24, 1864; February Term 1866. Wife Mary A. Lee and Mills H. Eure Exrs. Test, O. B. Savage, N. T. Riddick.

Lee, John, Gates County, November 13, 1865; May Term 1866. Wife Mildred, daughters Margaret, Ginney, Martha and Lucy Lee, daughter Frances Carter and Emma Powell, grand-son Braxton B. Lee, son Richard Lee, daughter Margaret Lee Exx. Test, Robert H. Ballard, H. C. Willey.

Mathias, William, Gates County, December 8, 1798; February Court 1799. Wife Penelope, sons John, Elisha and William, my other three sons, son John and Kedar Ballard Exrs.

Meroney, Martha, Gates County, September 9, 1814; February Court 1815. Daughters Elizabeth Barnes, Peggy Steadman, Elizabeth Riddick, Nancy Furguson, Rachel Morgan, Fanny Benton and Cynthia Powell, grand-son Gideon Powell, grand-daughter Catharine Powell, Robert Riddick and Jacob S. Powell Exrs. Test, Edwin Ballard, Jno. Granbury. (Daughter of Joseph John Alston, of Halifax County, N. C.)

Mitchell, Richard, Gates Co., May 15, 1819; Feb'y Court 1820. Esther Mitchell thro' Wm. McDonald in 1788, my plantation to be sold containing 400 acres, net proceeds of sale on a credit of twelve or 18 months, the purchaser to give bond with approved security to the President and Directors of the Bank of Edenton, for the sole purpose of building a brick wall around the Church-yard at Edenton, the Commissioners in charge of said work to give bond and security for their performance and carrying on said work to the President & Directors of said Bank at Edenton. Jas. Sumner my father-in law, Aaron Ward, Duncan McDonald son of William McDonald lots Nos. 106, 107 & 108 in Edenton, also one of the lots of Jno. Hartford. To the Chairman of the Court of Gates Co., or his successor in office, 2 acres whereon the Warwick Chapel now stands for the use of said Chapel & for a buryal ground. Burton Hathaway in Tyrrell Co., N. C., "three yellow negroes" after the death of my wife Esther Mitchell, named Tom, Fanny & Aggy, for his own family's use for a term of ten years and after that the said Burton Hathaway to protect them, but never to return to John Mitchell or any of his heirs. Elizabeth Horniblow, Hannah Pritchard & Sarah Morgan, of Edenton, \$25 each; Zilpha Powell daughter of Moses Blanchard \$25; that poor old creature Selah Mansfield \$25 to build her a better house. All the balance of my estate to my wife Esther Mitchell & her heir John Mitchell, Timothy Hunter of Bertie Co., Wm. Barksdale of Halifax county, Timothy Walton & Timothy Walton, Jr., sole Executors. I recommend to John Mitchell to be more careful

in his policy, industry & own preservation. I am owing nearly nothing and the estate nearly clear of debt. I never had no meaning nor intent in the world to do my family any injury \* \* \* \* If I have erred, May God of His infinite Mercy, forgive me. There is a duplicate of this will left in the Branch Bank at Edenton. Test, John Walton, Thos. Leak, Jno. L. Billups.

John Mitchell qualified as Administrator and gave bond in sum of £5,000.

March, John, Gates Co., May 2nd, 1821; May Court 1821. Wife Mary, sons John Barnard & Timothy Andrew March, daughter Martha Ann Hall; provided she stays with her mother-in-law, Mary March, wife Exx. Test, Lewis Eure, Nathaniel Eure.

Morgan, Charity, Gates Co., Nov. 14, 1817; May Court 1825. Grand-son Joshua Jones, grand-children Emily Small and James Small, son James Morgan Exr. Test, Abraham Benton, Seth Benton.

Matthews, John W., Gates Co., March 2d, 1833; May Court 1833. Sons Matthew and Arthur, daughters Matilda and Nancy; Holland Bailey, son John, James Morgan Exr. Test, Etheldred Matthews.

Matthews, John, Gates Co., April 13th, 1836; Nov. Court 1836. Wife Sarah, sons Anthony and Thomas, James Savage Exr. Test, Levi Beaman, Andrew Johnson.

Matthews, William A., Gates Co., Dec. 29, 1845; Feb'y Term 1849. Son Seth D. Matthews, daughter Penelope, son Jesse S. Matthews, daughter Mildred Johnson, son Wm. E. Matthews, grand-daughter Emeline Lee, son John M. Matthews, son William E. Matthews, son John and Wm. E., Exrs. Test, R. Matthews, Rich'd Davenport.

Morgan, Seth R., Gates Co., Dec. 12th, 1865; Nov. Term 1866. Daughters Margaret Ann and Sarah Virginia, son James E. Morgan, son Henry A. Morgan, son George T. Morgan, son John W. Morgan, daughter Sarah V. Morgan.

Morgan, James, Gates Co., Jan'y 15th, 1838; Feb'y Court 1838. Wife Elizabeth, son John, daughters Caroline and Ann Elizabeth, all my children, John C. Gordon Exr. Test, Richard H. Parker, Humphrey Parker.

Morgan, Mathews, Gates Co., Sept. 25th, 1827; Feb'y Court 1832. Daughters Mary Holland, Rutha Page, Nancy Britt and Sarah Copeland, grand-son George Thos. Copeland, son-in-law Exr. Test, Joel Hudgins, Wm. W. Riddick.

Miltair, Mildred, Gates Co., March 4, 1843. George Rufus and James Lewis Williams, Melon Rogers (wife of James), Margaret Williams (wife of John W.). Test, David Riddick, Elizabeth Welch.

Moor, William K.; Gates Co., Nov. 24th, 1847; May Term 1850. Wife Martha, all my children, Edwin Smith Exr. Test, Wm. J. Spiers, Thos. Mathias.

Moore, George A., Gates Co., June 20, 1855; Nov. 13th, 1855. Wife Cornelia, son Willie C. Moore, firm of Sanders & Moore at Somerton, Va., my brothers and sisters, wife Exx. Test, Edwin Smith, R. H. Saunders.

Moore, William J., Feb'y 24, 1864; May Term 1864. Thomas Riddick, sister Martha Eliza Moore, M. Effa Smith (daughter of Edwin Smith), Thomas Crowder Kittrell (son of my friend John Kittrell), sister Marietta Moore, Edwin Smith Exr. Test, Isaac Williams, Blake Baker.

Minor, William, Gates Co., Augt. 3rd, 1857. Probate not dated. Nephew James Benjamin Collins, wife Theresa Exx. Test, Isaac Williams, Wm. L. Boothe.

Norfleet, Jacob, Gates Co., Dec. 12th, 1778; Augt. Court 1780. Wife Elizabeth, son Kinchen Norfleet, daughters Esther Norfleet, Elizabeth and Pleasant Lawrence, wife, son Kinchen and brother Abraham Norfleet Exrs. Test, Willis Wiggins, Kesiah Knight.

Norfleet, James, March 19th, 1796; May Court 1796. Wife Sarah, daughter Philisia, Mary, Elizabeth and Sarah Norfleet (wife, Jethro Ballard and Kedar Ballard Exrs.) Test, Jethro Ballard, Kinchen Norfleet, Mary Rountree.

Norfleet, Kinchen, Gates Co., Jan'y 23rd, 1849; Augt. Term 1849. Sons Marmaduke, Seth and James J. Norfleet, son John R. Norfleet, daughters Nancy Jordan and Susan B. Walton. Test, Allen Smith, James Rawls.

Nichols, Jonathan, Gates Co., May 10, 1800; May Court 1801. Wife Mary, daughter Mary Pearce. Test, John Hare, Nathaniel Hare.

Nurney, Mary, Gates Co., April 27, 1831; May Court 1845. Mary Tempe and David Nurney.

Outlaw, James, Feb'y 1st, 1796; Feb'y Court 1796. Son David Outlaw, brother George Outlaw, (Seth Rountree, George Outlaw and Isaac Costen Exrs.) My brothers' and sister's children.

Outlaw, George, Gates Co., June 19th, 1801; Nov. Court 1801. Son George, sons-in-law Seth Rountree and Isaac Costen, wife Sarah, sons-in-law Harden Hurdle, Jonathan Jordan and Charles Powell, daughter Nancy Outlaw, grand-son David Outlaw (son of James, dec'd.) (Geo. Outlaw, Seth Rountree and Isaac Costen Exrs.) Test, Jo. Riddick, Rich'd Mitchell, Nath'l Taylor.

Outlaw, Jacob, Gates Co., Jan'y 31st, 1808; Feb'y Court 1808. Wife Rachel, sons John, Thomas and George, daughters Elizabeth Blanchard, Deborah, Nancy and Ketey Outlaw, Rachel and John

Outlaw Exrs. Test, Thos. Freeman, Hance Hoffer, James Freeman.

Outlaw, John, Gates Co., Oct. 29th, 1823; Nov. Court 1823. Wife Margaret, children Sarah, Julia, Jacob and Rachel, David Outlaw Exr. Test, John Hoffer Patrick Powell.

Parker, Daniel, Gates County, November 30, 1780. Grand-son Daniel (son of Luke Parker), sons Demsey, Isaac and Robert, daughters Sarah Horton and Ruth Riddick, wife Mary, grand-son William Griffin (son of daughter Judah Griffin), my three sons Exrs., grand-son Willis Chitrel (son of daughter Mary Chitrel). Test, Elisha Parker, Thos. Fryer, Peter Parker, Jacob Sumner.

Parker, William, Sr., Gates County, October 28, 1788; May Court 1789. Wife Elizabeth, sons John, William, Kedar and Willis, daughters Treacy and Polly, Umphrey and James Parker, Hugh Griffin Parker, (wife, son William and brother Amos Parker Exrs. Test, Kader Parker, Willie Parker, Abraham Vincent.

Parker, Joseph, Gates County, July 21, 1789; August Term 1789. Wife Catren sons Joseph Parker, John, Cader and James, daughters Polly, Elizabeth, Nancy and Pussa Parker, Sarah Jones. Test, John Robbins, Sr., Jno. Robbins, Jr.

Parker, Francis, Gates County, April 6, 1791; August Court 1791. Wife Febury, sons Wilday and Miles, all my children, Wm. Goodman Exr.

Parker, Elisha, Gates County, July 26, 1793; February Court 1794. Son Peter, daughters Elizabeth Eason and Mary Griffin, sons John and Jesse, daughter Peggy Parker, son Elisha, daughters Christian and Nancy, grand-son John Griffin, wife Esther, sons John and Elisha Exrs. Test, John Parker, Daniel Parker, Pa. Haggerty.

Parker, Elizabeth, Gates County, September 19, 1799; February Court 1800. Brother Isaac Parker, Jr., and his daughter Mary Parker, cousin James Parker Exr. Test, Wm. Baker, Judith Baker.

Parker, Jesse, Gates County, September 12, 1800; November Court 1800. My wife and two children. Test, R. Hunter, Hardy Cross.

Parker, Rosanna, Gates County, October 22, 1793; November Court 1800. Son James, daughter Sarah Brinkley, grand-son Simon Parker, son-in-law John West, son James Exr. Test, Jethro Sumner, John Saunders.

Parker, Isaac, Sr., April 8, 1802; August Court 1802. Sons Jonathan, Daniel and Samuel, daughters Mary and Sarah, children Ann Williams, Zechariah Parker and Isaac Parker, Isaac Pipkin and son Isaac Exrs. Test, Wm. Baker, Demsey Williams, Jr.

Parker, Elisha, Gates County, September 3, 1806; November Court 1806. Wife Peggy, daughters Elizabeth Pipkin and Polly



Lee Parker, Jonathan Rogers and Hilary Willey Exrs. Test, Daniel Parker, Pa. Haggerty.

Parker, Mary, Gates County, September 16, 1806; November Court 1806. Brother Jonathan Parker, Axum Parker, sister Sarah Parker, brother Isaac Parker, Jonathan and Isaac Parker Exrs. Test, Mary Parker, Hy Willey.

Parker, Ferebee, Gates County, November 4, 1807; November Court 1807. Son Miles, daughters Abigail, Bethany, Edith and Sally Parker, Wm. Goodman and Isaac Pipkin Exrs. Test, William Goodman of Jacob, Joseph Saunders, Amos Dilday.

Parker, Demsey, Gates County, May 6, 1808; February Court 1808. Son Miles, daughter Edith Vann, heirs of my son Robert Parker, Hillary Willey and Miles Parker Exrs. Test, Jonathan Parker, Isaac Parker, George Allen, Jr.

Parker, Joseph, Gates County, February 25, 1820; November Court 1820. Son David, wife Rhoda, son James, wife and son David Exr. Test, R. Parker, Sally Lewis.

Parker, Robert, Gates County, November 5, 1822; January 10, 1823; August Court 1823. Nephew James Brown, Abraham Parker, Ezekiel Lassiter, Mary Cross, niece Elizabeth Parker, Louisa Parker, Eliza Parker (wife of Peter), nephew Willis Brown, Priscilla Hayes and Nancy Bond heirs of Abraham Parker, dec'd, half-brother Richard Parker, Elizabeth Bullock heirs of Wm. Parker, Mary Evans, Abraham Parker and James Brown Exrs. Test, H. Gilliam.

Parker, John, Gates County, January 4, 1825; February Court 1825. Daughters Nancy and Martha, oldest son Isaac, grand-son Nathaniel Parker, son-in-law John Cleaves. Test, Clement Hill, Henry Joclin, G. Hoffer.

Parker, Thomas, Gates County, April 16, 1825; August Court 1825. Daughter Margaret, grand-sons Jordan Parker and Alfred Parker, daughters Ruth Brinkley and Elizabeth Minor, grand-daughter Margaret Ann Ballard, daughters Ann Ballard, Mary Odom, Margaret Parker and Sarah Brinkley, Demsey Wright, Jonas Morgan and John C. Gordon Exrs. Test, James B. Arnold, Thos. Duke.

Parker, William, Gates County, May 2, 1835; February Term 1835. Wife Martha, all my heirs equally in my estate. Test, Jesse P. Wiggins, John Benton.

Parker, Reuben, Gates County, November 26, 1835; February Court 1836. Wife Judeth, son Seth, daughters Sophia, Martha, Nancy and Cynthia Parker, brother Adam W. Parker Exr. Test, W. L. Boothe, D. Sparkman.

Parker, Daniel, Gates County, April 24, 1834; August Court 1837. Sister Mary Parker's sons Abraham, Luke, David and Elvey-

las Parker, her daughter Nancy Parker, Kedar Parker Exr. Test, Jesse Savage, Kedar Parker.

Parker, Kedar, Gates County, July 15, 1829; August Court 1837. Sons John, Abraham and Ira, son David Parker's daughters Thaney and Christian, daughter Elizabeth Norsworthy. Test, Jno. H. Haslet, Wm. Babb.

Parker, Abram W., Gates County, June 10, 1837; November Court 1847. Wife Mary Exx. All my children, wife Exx.

Parker, Miles, Gates County, May 26, 1848; August Term 1848. Wife Mary, my children, Henry G. Williams Exr. Test, Samuel E. Smith, Wm. Simpson.

Parker, Kindred, Gates County, December 31, 1851; November Court 1852. Daughter Nancy Lawrence, wife Priscilla, son John W. Parker, son Hardy W. Parker, daughter Sarah Babb, son John F. Parker, daughters Penelope Burgess, Mary Howell and Elizabeth Parker, son Isaac, the Rogers children of my daughter Penelope Burgess, sons John F. and Hardy W. Parker Exrs. Test, Wm. L. Booth, Riddick Cross.

Parker, Mary, Gates County, May 8, 1856; August Term 1856. Youngest daughter Sarah, daughter Mary, Louisa and Margaret (wife of Wiley Parker), son Thomas Jordan Parker Exr. Test, Seth Benton, John Porter.

Parker, Abram, Gates County, September 22, 1859; August Term 1860. Elder son Thomas, daughter Martha Brinkley (wife of Daniel), sons John and Richard E. Parker, daughter Mary A. Parker, son John Exr. Test, B. Goodman, Wm. Y. Goodman.

\*Parker, Hardy W., Gates County, now in Confederate Army, November 20, 1861; August Term 1862. Mother Priscilla Parker, also my Exx. Test, Jet. Clark, R. C. Smith.

Parker, Wm. T., Gates County, February 1, 1855; February Term 1864. Wife Christian E. Parker and all my children. Test, Ann E. Rountree, Wm. G. Williams.

Parker, Penelope, Gates County; May 8, 1862; November Term 1865. Sons Reuben and William, daughter Mary Jane Baker, son Jethro Parker, daughter Fannie Parker, son Jethro Exr. Test, H. Willey, Jno. Kittrell.

Parker, Priscilla, Gates County; probated May Term 1866. Sarah Eliza Parker, daughter Mary Lee (wife of Titus J. Lee), children of Elizabeth Parker, wife of Seth Parker, Mills H. Eure Exr. Test, Jas. E. Everett, Aug. Wolfley.

Pugh, Henry, Gates County, December 7, 1832; February Term

NOTE.—Like many others, he went but never returned. He now awaits the final roll call.

1833. Wife Ann, all my children, son William E. Pugh, son-in-law John O. Hunter Exr. Test, David Duke, Nancy Speight.

Phelps, James, Gates County, April 25, 1794; August Term 1794. Wife Ruthey, sons James, Luten King Phelps, Kinchen and Henry Phelps, sons Micajah, William and Jesse Phelps, daughters Leah Briggs, Sallie Coffield and Elizabeth Butler, Humphrey Hudgins and James Pruden Exrs. Test, Luodovick Pruden, Jacob Pruden, Wm. Godwin.

Phelps, Judah, Gates County, June 5, 1806; February Court 1809. Pleasant Speight, Jeremiah Peal, Wm. Harris, Sarah Phelps, Ruth Duke, Rachel Duke, Polly Lam, Samuel Phelps, Elizabeth Phelps, Polly Hudgins, Joanna Savage, Humphrey Hudgins, Louisa Hudgins, Kinchen Norfleet, Humphrey Hudgins Exr. Test, Jno. P. Hudgins, Josiah I. Hudgins, Jesse Hudgins.

Phelps, James, Gates County, September 6, 1832; May Court 1834. Wife Christian, George Carter Exr. Test, James Lassiter, Jonathan Lassiter.

Phelps, Gideon, Gates County, November 5, 1838; November Term 1854. Andrew Johnson heir and Executor. Test, George Costen, Margaret Ann Riddick.

Pearce, Christopher, Gates County, January 12, 1798; February Court 1801. Sons Isaac and William, wife Dorcas, grand-daughter Polly Pearce, daughters Sarah Delaney and Rachel Boyce, Isaac Pearce Exr. Test, Jo. Riddick, Fred'k Jones, John Davis.

Pearce, Jacob, Gates County, October 31, 1802; November Court 1802. Daughters Seneth Davis and Absella Nickson, grand-daughter Seneth Pearce (daughter of David), sons Daniel, Joseph and Arthur, daughter Ann Pearce, Isaac Pearce and Jos. Riddick Exrs. Test, Wm. Pearce, Solomon Eason.

Pearce, Abraham, Gates County, December 26, 1832; February Term 1834. Millicent and Milley Pearce, Joseph Riddick Exr. Test, Andrew Briggs, Allen Briggs.

Pearce, Isaac, Gates County, October 10, 1822; November Court 1834. Wife Judah, daughters Seneth, Parthenia, Elizabeth and Sophia Pearce, and Elizabeth Speight, heirs of Treacy Benton and Mary Green, Joseph Gordon Exr. Test, Joshua Alphin, Henry Willey.

Pearce, William, Gates County, December 6, 1841; August Court 1842. Wife Nicey, sons Jacob and James, daughter Sophia, other children have had their share, Timothy Walton Exr. Test, Robt. H. McCaulley, Miles Brown.

Pearce, Aaron, Gates County, August 8, 1845; May Term 1849. Sons Isaac, Thomas and James, wife Mina, daughter Mary, son James Exr. Test, Simon Walters, Margaret A. Walters.

Pearce Isaac E., Gates County, May 30, 1861; May Term 1863. Firm of Bond, Riddick & Pearce to dissolve, James Costen Exr., sister Ann, M. R. Pearce. Test, S. W. Worrell.

Pruden, James, Gates County, February 22, 1816; November Court 1823. Wife Esther, heirs of Nathaniel Pruden dec'd, Rachel Rice (grand-daughter of Abraham Pruden), all my children, sons David and John Exrs.

Pruden, Esther, Gates County, December 8, 1823; February Court 1824. Son David, Esther Bryce, Celia Pruden, Oliva Pruden, grand-son Luodovick Matthews, grand-children Mary Rice, James Matthews, Luodovick Matthews and John Matthews, David Riddick Exr. Test, A. C. Morgan, Willie Riddick.

Powell, Daniel, Gates County, August 27, 1825; February Court 1826. Son Kedar, daughter Christian Hofler, son James, Daughters Mary and Sally, son Jacob, Jno. Walton Exr. Test, Starkey Trotman, James Hinton.

Powell, Jacob S., Gates County, November 3, 1816; November Court 1816. Wife Cynthia, my four children (wife Chas. W. Harvey, Wm. W. Stedman and Benj. Pollard Exrs. Test, John Polsom, Robert Powell.

Powell, James, Gates County, November 30, 1861; February Term 1862. Sons Warren, Isaac and Richard, daughter Mary Elizabeth Tooley, wife Emily E. Williams and son Warren Exrs.

Pipkin, Isaac, Gates County, December 12, 1837; February Court 1839. Wife Mary, son John D., grand-sons James and Isaac, daughter Martha, son John D., contemplates marriage in Mrs. Penelope Perkins family in Virginia, daughter Martha Smith, son John D. Exr. Test, R. K. Speed, Dempsey S. Goodman.

Porter, James, Gates County, January 12, 1853; February Term 1853. Wife, little children, Jesse, John, Elizabeth, Mary and Sarah, H. A. Morgan Exrs. Test, John Porter, Miles Parker.

Peal, Martha, Gates Co., Dec. 23rd, 1859; Fall Term 1860. Daughters Mary Jane and Ann Elizabeth Peal, sons Charles and John Abner Peal, daughter Martha Louisa Arnold (wife of Richard), son William Peal.

Peal, William, Gates Co., July 27, 1864; August Term 1864. Cousin James H. Benton, my brothers and sisters, my wife, John A. Knight Exr. Test, Wiley Parker, Jas. H. Benbury.

Rountree, Thomas, Gates Co., April 18th, 1781; May Court 1781. Son Seth, daughters Christian, Leah, Rachel, Lavinia, Priscilla and Peniah Rountree, (brother Charles Rountree, Thos. Hunter and James Freeman Exrs. Test, Simon Stallings, John Barretts, Jas. Outlay, Luke Sumner.

Rountree, Seth, Gates Co., Jan'y 18, 1808; Feb'y Court 1808.

Wife Selah, sons Noah, James and Seth, daughters Elizabeth, Polly and Layer, sons Thomas, Isaac Costen and George Outlaw Exrs.

Rountree, Charles, Gates Co., Jan'y 3rd, 1815; Feb'y Court 1816. Wife Christian, John Benton (son of Miles), his brother Charles Benton, (James T. Freeman, Timothy Walton, Sr., and Jr., Exrs.) Test, Mills Hill, Whitmill Stallings.

Rountree, Abner, Gates Co., Oct. 18, 1816; Nov. Court 1816. Daughter Nancy, youngest son Solomon, Robert Simons, son Simeon, son-in-law Robert Rountree, Treacy Harrell (daughter of Enos Harrell), Wm. Riddick and Robt. Rountree Exrs.

Rountree, Thomas, Gates Co., Augt. 31st, 1832; Augt. Court 1832. Son Quinton Robeson, nieces Belinda and Matilda Bagley, (daughters of Trotman Bagley, dec'd), daughter Nancy Roberson, brother Seth Washington Rountree Exr. Test, J. Walton, Robert Williams.

Rountree, Jason, Gates Co., Dec. 23rd, 1840; May Court 1841. Daughters Martha and Louisa, Simmons Rountree Exr. Test, Solomon Rountree, Dempsey Harrell.

Rountree, Seth W., Gates Co. Without date, about 1865. Children, Seth, Penina, George, Sealey, Harriet, Ida, Thomas Bragg, James and William, daughter Margaret A. Riddick, son Thomas B. Rountree, son Seth Exr. Test, J. W. Hinton, James Rountree.

Riddick, Kedar, Gates Co., Nov. 3rd, 1784; Feb'y Court 1785. Sons Thomas, Edward and James daughter Sarah, wife Elizabeth and Christopher Riddick Exrs. Test, Chas. Riddick, John Walton.

Riddick, James, Gates Co., Jan'y 8th, 1786; May Court 1786. Wife Sarah, nephew Wm. Wright Riddick, cousin Robert (son of Micajah Riddick), Judah Minchew, Clevy Minchew, cousin Wm. Goodman (son of Sister Mary), Teny Minchew, Sarah Blanchard, Penelope Bird, children of brother Kedar, my sister Sarah and Mary Riddick, wife and Christopher Riddick Exrs. Test, Seth Riddick, James Hays.

Riddick, Christopher, Gates Co., May Court 1798. Wife Sarah, sons Mills, Henry, Lemuel and James Riddick, son Wm. Wright Riddick, daughter Mary Gatling (wife of James), daughter Ann (wife of Miles Gatling), daughter Penelope Gatling and Zilla Riddick, son Wm. Wright Riddick and James Gatling Exrs. Test, Mary Cleaves, Lawrence Baker.

Riddick, Nathaniel, Gates Co., Jan'y 12th, 1797; Nov. Court 1799. Mother Mary Riddick, brother David Riddick, sister Eliza Carter, brother Mills Riddick, Isaac Hunter and Jos. Gordon Exrs. Test, W. Woodley, David Harrell.

Riddick, Robert, Gates Co., Jan'y 26, 1806; Feb'y Court 1806.

Sons Robert, Willis and James, (Seth Willis and William Riddick Exrs. Test, Jethro Miltear, Palatiah Blanchard, D. Blanchard.

Riddick, Mary, Gates Co., July 13th, 1807; Feb'y Court 1808. Grand-daughter Mary (daughter of David) and wife Jane Elizabeth Riddick, grand-children Thos. Mills Carter, Elizabeth Ann Carter and Wm. Riddick Carter (children of William and Elizabeth Carter, my daughter), Joseph Riddick and Samuel Harrell Exrs. Test, J. Wheeler, Levin Duer.

Riddick, Micajah, Gates Co., Nov. 11th, 1804; Nov. Court 1804. Sons Micajah, Robert, Jethro and David, Aaron Pearce, grand-children, Riddick, Nancy, Micajah, Jane, Robert and Elizabeth Pearce, daughters Jane Felton, Ann Morgan, Ruth Riddick and Elizabeth Pearce, Micajah and David Riddick Exrs. Test, Hy Hudgins, H. Willey, Wm. Kittrell.

Riddick, Leah, Gates Co., Dec. 29th, 1816; Feb'y Court 1817. Brothers Demsey Costen and Isaac Costen, Elizabeth Gordon, Peggy and Henry Lassiter, James Lassiter, Isaac Costen Exr. Test, James Costen, Eliz Costen.

Riddick, Joseph, Gates Co., July 24th, 1818; Nov. Court 1818. Wife Ann, son Reuben, grand-son Kedah Riddick, Isaiah Riddick, son Nathan, Mills Hill, Langley Billups, Solomon Eason, Jesse Rogerson, seven children Reuben, Isaiah, Arthur, Hannah Rogerson, Esther Billups, Avis Eason and Mabel Hill. Test, John Moran, Reuben Nixon, Daniel Riddick, Willis Riddick.

Riddick, Ann, Gates Co., Jan'y 24th, 1820; May Court 1824. Children Reuben, Isaiah, Nathan, Hannah Rogerson, Esther Billups, Avis Eason and Mabel Hill, grand-son Joseph Riddick Exr. Test, Nathan Ward, Mary Stallings.

Riddick, Micajah, Gates Co., Feb'y 28th, 1832; May Court 1832. Micajah (son of Lemuel Riddick), Harriet (daughter of Lemuel), half-brother Lemuel Riddick, mother Rutha Riddick, brother Lassiter Riddick Exr. Test, H. Gilliam, J. R. Riddick, Abraham Parker.

Riddick, Josiah, Sr., Gates Co., Sept. 16th, 1838; Augt. Court 1839. Son Josiah Henry Riddick, brother Mills Riddick, friends W. S. Riddick and Robt. A. Riddick (son of Mills), nephew Josiah Riddick, Jr., Dr. W. S. Riddick, brother Mills Riddick Exr. Test, Nathan Smith, Nath'l Boothe, Iragah Langston, Benj. Wilkins, Abram Norfleet, Miles Lassiter.

Riddick, Isaiah, Gates Co., March 16, 1839; Nov. Court 1840. Sons Kadah and Daniel, son Willis, daughters Nancy Stallings, Elizabeth Riddick, Peggy Jones, grand-children Eliabeth Stallings, Elvey Pearce, David Riddick and Henry Riddick, son Daniel Exr. Test, John Riddick, James Riddick.

\*Riddick, Robert Gates Co., June 27th, 1840; Feb'y Court 1845. Wife Elizabeth, sons Henry and Benjamin F. Riddick, daughter Emily McGwin, sons James A., David and Henry Riddick, daughter Louisa Hunter, son James A. Riddick Exr.

Riddick, Nathan, Gates Co., March 4, 1845; Augt. Court 1845. Wife Mary, son Jethro H. Riddick and his sons William, Benjamin and Thomas, Bushrod Riddick and his sons Elisha and Simon, daughters Rosamond Hunter and Sarah Kee, grand-daughter Joanna Simpson, daughter Matilda Riddick, son Jason, daughters Ann Berry, Julia, Louisa and Mary Riddick (son Joseph Riddick, Quinton H. Trotman and Jesse R. Kee Exrs.) Test, Whit Stallings, Abner Eason.

Riddick, Elizabeth, Gates Co., March 8, 1845; May Term 1847. Daughter Nancy Gatling and her children, daughter Elizabeth Hays and her children, daughter Julia A. Benbury and her children, her present husband Richard W. Benbury, son Joseph Riddick, son John Exr. Test, W. L. Boothe, W. F. Cowper.

Riddick, David, Gates Co., Sept. 2nd, 1848; Feb'y 16, 1849; May Term 1849. Wife Mary, my three grand-sons (son of Elbert H. Riddick, dec'd) to-wit William Henry, William Goodman and David Elbert Riddick, son Willie. Test, Nath'l Doughtie, David F. Felton.

Riddick, Willis, Gates Co., April 11th, 1850; May Term 1850. Wife Synthia, sons Joel, Jacob, Daniel and Reuben, all my children. Test, Zachariah Nixon.

Riddick, John, Gates Co., Sept. 26, 1850; Nov. Court 1850. My afflicted daughter Mary, my children Thomas S., Laura, Roscoe, William, Frances, Rufus, Joseph and Mary, Wm. J. Baker Exr. Test, Henry L. Eure, Rebecca S. Wolfley.

Riddick, Christian, Gates Co., July 22d, 1849; August Term 1859. Son James M. Riddick, daughter Rozilla Riddick, son Thomas D. Riddick, daughter Christian E. Riddick, son Isaac S. Riddick, Joseph Riddick Exr. Test, Reuben Riddick, Joseph Riddick.

Riddick, Docton, Gates Co., June 24th, 1857; Feb'y Term 1861. Wife Isabella, son Nathaniel J. Riddick, daughters Emily R. Rountree and Christian A. Carter, son Nathaniel J. Riddick Exr. Test, Thomas E. Powell, Geo. Costen.

Riddick, James C., Gates Co., April 18th, 1863; May Term 1863.

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NOTE—Robert Riddick married Elizabeth Meroney daughter of Martha Alston, and Henry Meroney, Martha Alston was the daughter of Joseph John Alston of Halifax county, N. C., and grand-daughter of John Alston who patented lands on which Gatesville, N. C., is built. Son Henry Riddick mentioned in the will was the father of Rev. C. B. Riddick, D. D., of Ione, California, and Rev. Jos. H. Riddick of the Virginia Annual Conference, M. E. Church, South.

Nephew Lemuel Riddick, niece Margaret Riddick, brother Henry Riddick, Riddick Gatling for my niece Emeline Smith (wife of Joseph Smith), niece Caroline (wife of Thomas E. Hayes) and Isadora Hayes (widow of Jacob), nephew Lamartine Riddick, niece Zilla Gatling, cousin Elizabeth Hayes (wife of Willis R. Hayes), nephew Lemuel Riddick Exr. Test, Willis R. Hays, John R. Walton.

Riddick, James R., Gates Co., Nov. 16th, 1865; Feb'y Term 1866. Wife Caroline, son Wm. T. Riddick and his wife Emma, son Christopher, C. Riddick, son-in-law Thomas Bryant, Allen Smith special Guardian to son Christopher, and my Exr. Test, Henry Carter, Allen Smith, John C. Wolfey.

Ross, John, Gates Co., Sept. 20, 1781. Daughter Susannah Ross, grand-son Ezekiel Ross, son Solomon, wife Bethany, daughters Sarah Ross and Mary Piland, wife and son-in-law Thomas Piland Exr. Test, Henry Dillday, John Brady.

Roberts, Jonathan, Gates Co., Oct. 5th, 1785; Feb'y Court 1803. Daughter Mary Roberts, sons John and Elisha, wife Christian, daughters Nancy, Lida and Seley Roberts, Demsey Bond, Thos. Hunter and Joseph Riddick Exrs. Test, Jethro Miltear, Mary Miltear.

Roberts, John, Gates Co., March 8th, 1843; August Court 1846. Sons Miles and Mills, daughter Eliza H. Riddick (wife of Willie Riddick), daughter Susan Walton (late wife of John Walton) grand-children John Robert Walton, Emeline Walton and Thomas Benbury Walton, son Mills Exr. Test, J. R. Riddick, John W. Hinton.

Rice, Judith, Gates Co., May 31st, 1806; Feb'y Court 1808. Grand-sons James R. Creecy and William Creecy, daughter Elizabeth Creecy, grand-daughter Sally Creecy (daughter of Sally Creecy) daughter Agnes Creecy, William and Nathan Creecy Exrs.

Rogers, Phillip, Gates Co., Oct. 18th, 1820; August Court 1821. Sons Mills, Levi and Etheldred, daughters Betsey Rogers, Mary Byrd, Martha Rogers and Mary Rogers, grand-children David and Henry Goodman and Elijah, Betsey and Martha Williams. Test, W. Smith, Jonathan Rogers, Elisha Rogers.

Rogers, Jonathan, Gates Co., Feb'y 20, 1828; Augt. Court 1830. Wife Elizabeth, sons Enos, Elisha, Robert, Jonathan, Frances and James, sons Enos and Robert Exrs. Test, Wm. Lee, Dempsey S. Goodman, Jno. Odom.

Rogers, Levi, Gates Co., May 28, 1840; Feb'y Term 1846. Wife Elizabeth, my children Maria, Nancy, Robert, Elizabeth and Jonathan, daughter Emily (wife of Robt. Pearce), wife Exx. Test, D. Williams, Geo. Poulson.

Rodgers, Benjamin, Gates Co., Dec. 16th, 1823; Feb'y Court



1824. Sons Daniel and Timothy, son John, daughter Elizabeth, Lemuel Goodman Exr. Test, Lewis Eure, Sally Hedgpeth.

Reed, William, Rev., Gates Co., March 16th, 1856; May Term 1859. Wife Sarah, grand-sons John F. and William H. Reed, Sam'l Long who married my grand-daughter Margaret Ann Reed, daughter Mary L. Reed (widow of Son Thomas N. Reed, dec'd) and their children Mary Newby Reed, John Ferrell Reed, William Thomas Reed, if child in esse, son Wm. L. Reed and Sam'l Long Exrs. Holograph Will.

Sumner Demsey, Gates Co., Augt. 11th, 1779; Nov. Court 1779. Sons Demsey, Jethro, Edwin and James Baker Sumner, wife Martha, my daughter, late wife of Capt. James Riddick, is dead leaving five children, Mary wife of Dr. Thos. Peete, daughters Theresa, Letitia and Elizabeth wife of Jethro Ballard, sons Jethro and Edwin Exrs. Test, Jno. Benton, Rich'd Ashbury McKea, Jesse Benton.

Sumner, James, Gates Co., May 30th, 1787; Augt. Court 1787. Wife Mourning, son Luke, daughters Mary Hunter, Esther Mitchell, Synthia Riddick and Christian Sumner, grand-son James Hunter (son of Timothy in Bertie Co., N. C.), (James Jones, Jethro Ballard, David Rice and Timothy Hunter Exrs.) Test, James Norfleet, Wm. Parker, Wm. Matthews.

Sumner, Edwin, Gates Co., June 15th, 1793; Nov. Court 1793. Son David, wife Barsheba. Test, Jethro Sumner, Ebenezer Graham.

Sumner, John, Gates Co., Dec. 19th, 1803; Nov. Court 1808. Wife Rebecca, brother Josiah, sisters Pattie Sumner and Lisbie Sumner, wife Exx. Test, Jo. Vallentine, Henry Hare, Jr., James Hare.

Sumner, Charles E., Gates Co., Feb'y 24, 1829; May Court 1829. Daughters Elizabeth and Mary, my brother, wife Martha, James W. Riddick, wife and children not to share in my estate, brother Benjamin Sumner Exr. Test, Jethro Sumner, Aaron Pierce, Harriet E. Goodman.

Sumner, Jethro, Gates Co., Oct. 5, 1831; Nov. Court 1833. Wife Elizabeth, son Charles E. Sumner dec'd, daughter-in-law Martha widow of son Charles E. Sumner, daughter Elizabeth, grand-daughter Mary (daughter of son Charles E., dec'd) sons John and Benjamin, son Jno. V. Sumner, daughter Mary Gary and her sons John, C. F. and Thos. S. Gary, daughter Martha B. Riddick (wife of Mills Riddick), son Benjamin Exr. Codicil revokes legacy to daughter-in-law Martha (widow of Son Charles E.) on account of 2nd marriage.

Sumner, John V., Gates Co., May 12th, 1843; Augt. Court 1843. Wife Elizabeth N. Sumner, daughter Elizabeth L. A. Sumner, daughter Martha M. Sumner, wife Exx. Test, Ben B. Ballard.

Saunders, Francis, Gates Co., Augt. 6, 1783; May Court 1785.

Wife Charity, daughters Mary Parker and Zilpha Knox, sons Abraham and Francis, daughter Jemima Saunders, uncle Francis Saunders, daughter Ann, son William, wife and son-in-law John Parker. Exrs.

Saunders, Sarah, Gates Co., Dec. 16th, 1803; May Court 1804. Sons Joseph and Henry, father Henry King, children of my daughter Elizabeth Crawford. Test, Jo Valentine, Sarah Butler, Joshua Long.

Saunders, Joseph, Gates Co., Oct. 14th, 1808; Nov. Court 1808. Daughters Polly Saunders and Patsey Sumner, Thos. Barnes Exr. Test, Henry Goodman, Edith Brown.

Saunders, Margaret, Chowan Co., Jan'y 13th, 1809; Feb'y Court 1809. Son-in-law John Sanders, daughters-in-law Mary Saunders, Cissie Brinkley and Sidney Phelps, son Thomas Saunders Exr. Test, Demsey Knight, Pugh Wiggins, Jas. Benton.

Sanders, Henry, Gates Co., July 31st, 1804; Feb'y Court 1808. Son Wm. Beazeley, daughters Abigail, Nancy and Polly, brother Joseph Sanders Exr. Test, J. Sumner, Jos. John Sumner.

Sanders, Jesse, Gates Co., Augt. 8th, 1811; May Court 1813. Daughter Amariah, sons Lawrence, Bryan, Robert and John, daughters Mary Sherlock, Mary Cross, son Bray Sanders' children Jesse, Thomas, John and Mary Sanders, John March, daughter-in-law Elizabeth Sanders, Honor Parker, grand-son James Sanders, Lawrence Sanders and Riddick Cross Exrs. Test, W. H. Speight, Joseph Speight, E. H. Ellis.

Sanders, Lawrence, Gates Co., April 27th, 1815; August Court 1815. Wife Martha, John Sanders (son of Benj. dec'd), Thomas and Mary Sanders, John Anthony March, Ely Eley, Miles Parker, Henry Jones, my brother's children to-wit: Bray, Bryan and Robert Sanders. Test, Lewis Eure, Henry Hare.

Sanders, Thaney, Gates Co., June 12th, 1822; Augt. Court 1822. Daughter Sarah Boyce, Henry Hare Exr. Test, Hy Jones, Richard Jones.

Saunders, John, Gates Co., Oct. 31st, 1836; Nov. Court 1836. Daughters Margaret and Nancy, Richard Henry Saunders, Cornelius, Maria, William Alex, Samuel Smith, and Mary Elizabeth Saunders. Test, Sam'l Cross, Wm. Goodman.

Saunders, John, Gates County. July 12, 1849: August Term 1849. Wife Rachel, James Wright Exr. Test, Thos. E. Powell, Daniel Brothers, Dr. Samuel J. Lowther.

Smith, Henry, Gates County, July 10, 1786; February Court 1787. Wife Mary, son Jonathan, daughters Dority and Mary, son Henry, daughter Elizabeth Allen and her daughter Barsheba Smith. Test, Wm. Harris, Henry Forrest, Charles Smith.

Smith, Samuel, Gates County, September 16, 1800; November Court 1800. Wife Elizabeth, daughters Treasy Matthews and Ann Smith, sons John and Abraham, grand-children Caty and John Smith, son John and brother Henry Smith Exrs. Test, Hy Hudgins, Nick Meroney, Richard Smith.

Smith, Elizabeth, Gates County, July 9, 1811; November Term 1815. Daughter Treasy Matthews, grand-daughter Catharine Smith, grand-son John Smith, Matthew Matthews and Richard Smith Exrs. Test, John P. Hudgins, Jesse Hudgins.

Smith, Thomas, Gates County, April 17, 1818; May Court 1820. Sons Richard and Anthony, James Bond, children Richard Smith, Sarah Matthews, Peggy Smith, grand-children John Smith, Lavinia Smith and Nancy Smith, son Richard Exr. Test, Josiah Hudgins, Wm. W. Riddick.

Smith, Charles, Gates County, September 19, 1823; August Court 1824. Wife Pleasant, daughter Ruth, son Marmaduke, daughter Rosanah Hare, son James, daughter Nancy Howell, son Riddick, James Hare, Edward Hare and John Trevathan, son James Exr.

Smith, Joseph, Gates County, April 20, 1829. Sons Britton and Nathan, daughter Milly Umphlet, sons James and Thomas, daughter Elizabeth Umphlet, daughters Mary and Lavinia Smith, sons, Nathan and Britton Exrs. Test, Mills Eure, John Eure, Treasy Sparkman.

Smith, Robert, Gates County, October 25, 1824; November Court 1831. Wife Frances, daughter-in-law Jane Parker, heirs of Drew Parker, John Harrell Exr.

Smith, Richard, Gates County, October 18, 1823; February Term 1835. Wife Sarah, son Thomas, daughters Dorothy, Mildred, Mary and Mary Pearce, Henry Pugh and Noah Harrell Exrs. Test, Wm. Hudgins, Joel Hudgins.

Speight, Joseph, Gates County, April 2, 1792; August Term 1792. Wife Anne, sons Francis and Henry, grand-son Joseph Freeman, son John Freeman, grand-son David Freeman, grand-daughter Anne Freeman, grand-son Joseph Speight Darden, daughter Susanna Dunn, sons Francis and Henry Exrs. Test, Thos. Barnes, Mary Williams.

Speight, Moses, Gates County, December 2, 1792; November Court 1794. Sons Moses and Aaron, all my children. Test, Robert Riddick, John Riddick, Richard Briggs.

Speight, Ann, Gates County, September 4, 1805; February Court 1810. Daughter Pleasant Speight. Test, James Barnes, John Duke.

Speight, Henry, Gates County, April 18, 1826; May Court 1827. Wife Eliza, son John, daughters Susan and Sophia Emaline Speight, wife Exx. Test, John Saunders, Charity Speight.

Speight, Ann, Gates County, August 26, 1841; May Court 1843. Grand-son Joseph Speight, grand-daughter Sophia E. Wills, Wm. H. Allen (son of John), Wm. T. Wills Exr. Test, R. Gatling, H. L. Blount, Jane Saunders, Drew N. Saunders.

Small, John, Gates County, July 18, 1781; November Court 1791. Wife Charity, sons David, James and John, daughter Mary Gwin, son James and Jacob Gordon Exrs. Test, Wm. Ellis, Daniel Gwin, Jacob Gordon.

Small, James, Gates County, June 13, 1800; November Court 1800. Nephew Moses Hare Small, nephew Wm. Gwin, niece Mary Gwin, my brothers and sisters, Jethro Ballard, Thomas W. Ballard and Moses H. Small Exrs. Test, Jacob Gordon, Wm. Sumner, Hezekiah Jones.

Small, James A., Gates County, August 10, 1860; November Term 1860. Wife Christian, mother Nancy Small, children Eugenia Small and James Parker Small, friend James K. Costen, guardian to my children, also my Exr. Test, N. B. Doughtie, Richard Brothers.

Small, Elizabeth Christian, February 13, 1864; February Term 1864. Sister Margaret Small, son Eugenia Small, brother Thomas Small, friend Mrs. Parker, cousin Hester Ann Ray, friend Mary Gwin, Dr. Elisha Williams Exr. Test, Annie E. Parker, Thomas A. Small.

Sears, Henry Ebron, Gates County, July 23, 1806; August Court 1806. Wife Barsheba, sons William, Henry, Thomas and Bennett, daughters Delia Hodges and Elizabeth Savage, Nancy Sears, Lovey Sears, Thomas Scears, Patsey Scears and Polly Scears, Wm. Goodman Exr.

Stallings, Simon, Gates County, September 27, 1800; February Court 1808. Sons Simon, Joseph, Timothy and Whitnell, daughters Priscilla Stallings, Mary Stallings, Christian Stallings and Emily Rawls, Simon Stallings, son Joseph and Joseph Riddick Exrs. Test, John S. Parker, Eliza Lyons, Esther Lilly.

Stallings, Pallitiar, Gates County, March 17, 1808; May Court 1808. Daughter Polly Stallings, my brothers and sisters to wit: Henry Stallings, Simon, Polly, Daniel and Joseph, Joseph Riddick and brother Simon Stallings Exrs. Test, Asa Rogerson, Henry Stallings.

Stallings, Whitnell, Gates County, November 30, 1857; February Term 1858. Wife Mary and her daughter Frances Marion, daughters Christian Jane and Martha Caroline, grand-son Wm. Francis Bynum, son-in-law W. T. Bynum and Wm. M. Daughtrey Exrs. Test, John C. Trotman, Wm. H. Manning.

Stallings, Frusey, Gates County, March 28, 1857; November

Term 1860. Son Joseph A. Forbes, daughters Susan Hurdle and Mary Wiggins, grand-children Frusey M. Stallings, Jerry Matthews and John A. Forbes, James O. Wright Exr. Test, Whit Stallings, Martha E. Matthews.

Sutton, George, Gates County, May 24, 1827; August Court 1827. Grand-children Granberry, Richard, Ann and Sarah (children of my son John dec'd), sons Samuel and George, daughter Sarah Blanchard, son Joseph, daughter Mary Ann and Caroline Matilda Sutton, daughters Martha Barcliff and Mary Ann Sutton, son John and John Walton Exrs. Test, Henry Bond, Benbury Walton.

Savage, Jesse, Gates County, November 17, 1834; November Court 1834. Wife Sarah, sons James, Jesse M., John and Benjamin, daughters Sarah Matthews and Mary Savage, brother John Savage Exr. Test, Caleb Savage, Oliver Harrell.

Savage, Pryor, Gates County, 1836; February Court 1838. Wife Margaret, daughter Elizabeth Brown, sons John P. Savage and Cordy Y. Savage, daughter Margaret Jane Drew, sons Oliver H. Savage and Oren B. Savage, Thomas Saunders Exr. Test, Simonds Rountree, Elisha Parker.

Savage, Caleb, Gates County, January 1, 1859; August Term 1862. Son Robert M. Savage, grand-daughter Sarah Eure, daughter of Mills H. Eure, her brother Caleb M. Eure, daughter Margaret Ann Freeman and Sarah L. Eure, sons William, Jesse (son Robert M. Savage), Edwin Smith and son William J. Savage Exrs. Test, Isaac Williams, Robt. Rogers.

Savage, Sarah, Gates County, May 23, 1850; August Term 1865. Wm. Jesse Savage, John C. Savage, Francis A. Parker, Wiley Wiggins. Test, Benj. Saunders, B. Goodman.

Spencer, T. S., Gates County, March 29, 1848; August Term 1849. Mother Peninah Epps.

Sparkman, Lucretia, Gates Co., Dec. 1st, 1856; May Term 1857. Daughter Sarah Boothe, son Dempsey, grand-daughter Mary Lucretia Boothe, son William, son Mills's children, grand-children, Penina Landing (daughter of Taylor), Elizabeth Crawford (wife of Isaac), and her daughters by 1st husband, to-wit: Taylor Harrell and Caroline Virginia Harrell, son-in-law Wm. L. Boothe Exr. Test, Jno. R. Cross, Richard D. Briscoe.

Thomas, Stephen, Gates Co., Jan'y 15th, 1787; May Court 1787. Sister Rachel Woodward, brother Jacob Thomas Exr. Test, Mica-jah Blanchard, Wm. Felton.

Trotman, Quinton H., Rev., Gates Co., April 20, 1862; Feb'y Term 1862. Son John C., son-in-law George T. Harrell, his wife my daughter Jane, wife Eliza, children Grizzell McDonald, Sarah Frances, Alex Campbell and Napoleon Bonaparte Trotman, my

mother, son John C. Trotman Exr. Test, Richard H. Riddick, John Pearce.

Taylor, Robert, Gates Co., July 23rd, 1861. I give to my mother Nancy Taylor, all of my property that I have now, if I never come back again, after paying off all my debts that I now owe, but if I come back I will claim it again. Robert Taylor to Nancy Taylor. I have wrote this that she might not suffer until she does spend all that I had. This I give free to my mother in case of death. I trust that nobody will try to take anything from you, but I hope God will provide for you while I am gone to fight for our rights that God has given us. Robert Taylor, (Seal).

Feb'y Court 1862. This holograph will was proven in Court by oaths of John R. Hill and Esther Taylor. Ordered probated.

Vann, William, Gates Co., May 21st, 1788; Augt. Court 1789. Wife Rachel, Jesse Vann, (wife, Jesse Vann and son William Exr.

Vann, Darkis, Gates Co., Oct. 21st, 1793; Nov. Court 1793. Cousin Luke Langston, sister Ann Langston, Judah Langston, Cader Odom, Isaac Langston's daughter Mary, Isaac Langston, Demsey Langston, Mary Mariner, Elizabeth Odom, Jemima Brayshear, Luke and Isaac Langston Exrs. Test, Lewis Sparkman, Chas. Rookes.

Walters, James Bray, Gates Co., Feb'y 2, 1784; May Court 1784. Father William Walters, Jesse Williamson, mother Susannah Walters, wife Elizabeth my father Exr. Test, Peter Parker, Daniel Horton, Isaac Walters.

Walters, Isaac, Gates Co., Jan'y 8, 1801; Feb'y Court 1801. Wife Elizabeth, all my children, son Isaac Exr. Test, Jethro Sumner, Elisha Parker.

Walters, William, Gates Co., March 18, 1803; August Trm 1803. Wife Sarah, sons William and Bray, Sarah Smith (wife of John), Jethro Sumner and Bray Baker Exrs. Test, John Babb, Winborne Jenkins.

Walters, Elizabeth, Gates Co., Oct. 16th, 1807; Nov. Court 1807. Daughter Maria Walters, son John Swan Parker, James Bray Walters (son of my daughter), my children Anne Jenkins, Sarah Odom, Mary Babb, Dolly Barr, Isaac Walters, Susanna Odom, Pleasant Smith and Mina Walters, (John Swann Parker, Isaac Walters and Washington Smith Exrs. Test, Kedar Parker, Jesse Savage.

Walters, Jacob, Gates Co., Oct. 28th, —; Nov. 2 Court, 1794. Wife Mary, sons Brian and Hezekiah, daughters Sarah Layfield and Edith Walters, son Jacob, Milly Holland. Test, Robert Darden, Pusher Warren.

Walters, Isaac, Gates Co., Dec. 12th, 1815; Feb'y Court 1816. Wife Priscilla, all my children, Hilary Willey and George Kittrell Exrs. Test, Aaron Pearce, John C. Jenkins.

Walters, Lewis, Gates Co., Augt. 25th, 1832; Nov. Court 1832. Nancy and Milly Miltear, grand-daughter Margaret Ann Welch, daughter Sarah Smith (wife of Richard), daughter Maggett (wife of Nicholas Maggett). Test, David Riddick, Jno. Harrell, Elbert H. Riddick.

Walters, Thomas, Gates Co., Dec. 6th, 1787; Feb'y Court 1788. Son Miles, Liddy Spivey, all my children (brother Henry Walton, Benj. Goodman, Samuel Harrell and Moses Hill Exrs.)

Walton, Henry, Sr., Nov. 15th, 1818; May Court 1820. Wife Gilley, daughters Nancy Walton, Absella Welch, grand-children, Isaac Henry Berwin and Christian Berwin, son Jacob, daughter Emily Hobbs, son-in-law Shadrach Stallings, son Henry Walton, Jr., grand-son Elisha Walton, Wm. Birum, Henry Walton, Jr., Exr. Test, James Baker, Richard Bird, Sr.

Walton, Jacob, Gates Co., Sept. 19th, 1825; May Court 1825. Wife Leah, daughter Mary, sons Jesse and Henry. Test, Nath Riddick, Thomas Davis.

Walton, John Benbury, Gates Co., Jan'y 15th, 1829; May Court 1829. Son Timothy, daughter Mary Hudgins, son Benbury Walton, daughter Nancy Riddick, son John, (sons Timothy, John and Benbury Walton Exrs.) Test, Timothy Hayes, Richard Hayes.

Warren, Edward, Gates Co., April 1st, 1789; May Court 1789. Wife Mary, son William, children Ruth, John, Robert, William, Elizabeth and Mary Warren, sons John and William Exrs. Test, Esther Langston, Wm. Warren, John Lewis.

Warren, William Gates Co., Dec. 19th, 1796; Feb'y Court 1797. Mother Mary Warren, my brothers and sisters, brother John Warren's daughter Mary, John Parker and Phillip Lewis Exr. Test, Thos. Barnes, Henry Speight, Isaac Costen.

Williams, Samuel, Gates Co., April 11th, 1789; July Term 1792. Son Hatten, daughters Anice and Vance, sons Hezekiah, Hardy and Jonathan, wife Mary, all my children, viz: Dempsey, Ann Boyce, George, Naomi Parker; Miney Rooks, Mary, Samuel, Arthur, Anice, grand-son Bray Warren, sons Samuel and Hatten Exrs. Test, Jonathan Williams, Milley Williams, Moses Kittrell.

Williams, Moses, Gates Co., Oct. 4, 1795; Feb'y Court 1796. Wife Dorothy, brother William, sister Elizabeth Slaven, dec'd, Christian Williams, wife and Henry Smith Exrs. Test, Jonathan Smith, Thomas Smith, Arthur Smith.

Williams, Dempsey, Gates Co., May 9th, 1804; May Court 1804. Wife, sons James, Jason, Reuben, Charles and Thomas, daughter Mary, son Anson, daughter Peggy, Col. Wm. Goodman and Hilary Willey Exrs. Test, Jonathan Williams, Patrick Haggerty.

Williams, George, Sr., Gates Co., April 8th, 1809; Augt. Court

1815. Wife Mary, son Enòch, daughters Nancy and Peggy, sons Jethro, James and Seth, daughter Patsey Harrell, grand-children Benjamin, Mack Henry and Patsey Williams, grand-son George Harrell, Humphrey Hudgins Exr. Test, Asa Harrell, Abraham Beaman, Lucretia Beaman.

Williams, Jonathan, Gates Co., Jan'y 19th, 1815; Feb'y Court 1816. Wife, grand-children Henry G, Sally and Daniel (children of son Elisha), son Jonathan, Lilly Williams Demsey, grand-children (heirs of son Demsey), son George, daughters Priscilla and Mary, daughters Milly Arline, Mary Parker and Elizabeth Rogers, sons Jonathan and George Exrs. Test, Jonathan Rogers, Richard Barnes.

Williams, Ann, Gates Co., May 22d, 1820; Nov. Court 1822. Daughters Silvey Williams and Polly Phelps, sons Arthur and George Williams. Test, Wm. W. Riddick.

Williams, Mary, Gates Co., Nov. 9th, 1816; Feb'y Court 1817. Daughters Nancy and Peggy Williams, grand-son Robert W. Williams, Enoch Williams Exr. Test, James Williams, Nathan Cul-lens.

Williams, Lavender, Gates Co., Dec. 3rd, 1847; May Term 1848. Ann M. Daughtie (daughter of William and wife Ann), Dempsey Parker and wife Penelope and their children Reuben, William, Jane, Margaret, Jethro and Lavinia Parker, son-in-law Lemuel K. Fields, nephew John Williams, niece Mary Parker (wife of Miles), Crissy Hayes (wife of William W.), John Williams Exr. Test, D. Williams, Mary Field.

Williams, Jonathan, Gates Co., Feb'y 2nd, 1856; May Term 1856. Sons Isaac and John, daughters Charity Everett and Edith Duke, son-in-law W. H. Cross, daughters Sally Williams and Martha Eason, sons Isaac and John Exrs. Test, William Henry Lee, D. Williams.

Williams, James, Gates Co., Nov. 22nd, 1854. Probate without date. Grand-son Richard Jordan, grand-children of Demsey Jones (son of John and Elizabeth), James Eure (daughter of Mills) daughter Susan Jordan (wife of James), children of my daughter now deceased, (wife of Gilbert Saunders), friend Jane Rebecca Harrell, son-in-law James Jordan of Hertford Co., Exr. Test, J. A. Anderson, R. H. Shields, Abram Smith, David Howell.

White, John, Gates Co., March 9th, 1792; May Court 1792. Wife Elizabeth, my mother, George White (brother Joshua White's son), brothers Thomas, George and Joshua White, John White and wife Exrs. Test, Jarvis Outlaw, George Outlaw.

White, Thomas, Gates Co., March 31st, 1809; Nov. Court 1813. Wife Mary, sons Jeremiah, William and John, daughters Ruth Ward



and Charity Spivey, wife and son Jeremiah Exrs. Test, David Copeland, Nath'l Taylor, Jos. Taylor.

Wiggins, Bridget, Gates Co., June 7th, 1797; Feb'y Court 1798. Daughter Judith Wiggins and her daughter Edith Wiggins, David Rice Exr. Test, Hezekiah Jones, Chloe Jones.

Wiggins, Ambrose, Gates Co., July 6th, 1805; August Court 1805. Brother Pugh Wiggins, mother Mary Wiggins, brothers Thomas and Jacob Wiggins, Demsey Knight Exr.

Wiggins, Jesse, Gates Co., Sept. 5th, 1823; May Court 1826. Sons Jesse and Willis, Theresa Wiggins (widow of James dec'd), her children John, Mary, Margaret, Jesse, Martha and Elizabeth Wiggins, grand-son John Wiggins, daughters Sarah Powell, Nancy and Peggy Wiggins, Elizabeth Parker my grand-daughter, grand-sons John W. and Jesse Parker, grand-daughter Mary Duke, grand-sons Jesse Wiggins and Wm. Powell, sons Jesse and Willis Exrs. Test, George Kittrell, Wm. Parker, Robert Parker.

Wiggins, John, Gates Co., May 30, 1838; Nov. Court 1839. Wife Mary, sons John and James, brother Jesse Wiggins, property from Simon and Peter Brinkley's estate, Col. Jesse Wiggins Exr. Test, Wm. Hudgins, John P. Benton.

Willey, Hilary, Gates Co., March 11th, 1837; May Court 1838. Wife Mary, my children Jethro, John and Henry, Rachel Cross, Sally Morgan and Penina Goodman, sons John and Henry Exrs. Test, J. Williams, H. G. Williams.

Willey, John, Sr., Gates Co., March 15th, 1862; May Term 1864. Wife Peninah, son Henry C. Willey, daughter Mary E. Hinton, grand-daughter Caroline Willey Taylor, son Hilery, John and Benjamin Franklin Willey, daughters Emily Gatling Willey and Peninah Willey, son James Gatling Bragg Willey, sons Hilery and John Willey Jr., Exrs. (Holograph Will.

Worrell, John, Gates Co., Dec. 14th, 1855; Feb'y Term 1856. Wife Nancy, grand-son Levi Worrell, grand-children Levi Worrell, Mary Hayes, Ann Savage, Margaret Russell, Sarah Worrell and George Worrell, Henry L. Eure Exr. Test, Richard W. Benbury, W. F. Riddick.

## INDICTMENTS AGAINST EDWARD MOSELEY, MAURICE MOORE AND OTHERS.

(From Court Records at Edenton, N. C.)

These indictments have been mentioned in Histories of North Carolina but only in a general way as this paper contains all of the Court details it will be interesting to the reader.

North Carolina S. S.:

Att a General Court held for the sd Province at the Court House at Queen Anne's Creek in Chowan Precinct the 28 July, 1719 & continued to the 1st day of Augt. following. Court met and adjourned till to-morrow Morning 8 O'clock, July 29th, 1719. The Court mett according to adjournment, present Fred'k Jones Chief Justice, John Blount, Jno. Hardy, Tho. Miller, Thos. Harvey & Jno. Worley Esqs.

Coll. Edward Moseley and Maurice Moore appeared and moved this Court yt their appearance might be recorded to save them & their Bail & it was accordingly recorded. They also moved yt their Recognizances might be Discharged for Errors in the Commitm't; whereby they stand committed & for error in the Recognizances for their appearance. The Court over Ruled the Errors and ordered yt the Recognizances be continued till the third day of the Court, being the day for the Crown business.

July 30, 1719. Upon the return of the Grand Jury, they Present the following Indictm't to the Court.

North Carolina S. S.:

To the Honble. Fred'k Jones, Esq., Chief Justice & to the rest of the Justices for holding the General Court for the Province of North Carolina:

The Jurors for our Sovereign Lord the King upon their oath; do present that the seven and twentieth day of December, 1718, Edward Moseley of Chowan Precinct, in the County of Albemarle in the Province afsd: did maliciously intending & imagining Chas. Eden, Esq., the Governor, Commander-in-Chief & Admiral of the Province afsd into the hatred & evil opinion of all his Maj't's good & faithful Subjects ye Inhabitants of the Province to bring the good governm't diligent and just administration of the said Eden as Governor into contempt, to Detract, Asperse & Contemn with words and stir up Debates, Strifes, Differences, Seditions, Discord and Dissentions within ye Province to the Endangering the Destruction and Subversion of the good Governm't thereof & to the ruin and Dis-

turbance of the King's Peace at \*Sandy Point in Chowan Precinct afsd advisedly and with malicious & seditious intent agst the said Charles Eden ye Governor. He the sd Edward Moseley Did Maliciously, openly, contemptuously and opprobriously in the presence of Divers his Maj't's good and faithful subjects, Inhabitants within ye Province, speak, publish, utter & declare these false, malicious, scandalous, opprobrious & seditious words and speeches following, viz: Yt you (one John Blount, Esq., a Justice of the Peace, then & there being present) should be concerned in so foolish & frivolous a business but 'tis like their Proceedings (the sd Chas. Eden ye Governor, Fred'k Jones, Esq., ye Chief Justice of ye Province & other Magistrates & good & faithful subjects of our Lord the King there being with the sd Govern'r removing him the sd Moseley & others who had unlawfully taken into their possession ye Records of this Province the Journals of the Council, the Colony seal, the Secretary's Office and the papers thereto belonging) and they (the sd Govern'r, Chief Justice & others with him again meaning) could easily procure arms now to come & Disturb quiett & honest men, himself & others who had so possessed themselves of the Records & office, (weh meaning) but could not (tho such a number would have done) raise them to destroy Thach (one Edward Thach formerly a Pirate meaning) but instead of that he (the sd Honble Meaning) was suffered to do his Villianies; My Commitm't is illegal (meaning his being yn in custody by the command of the sd Governor). It is like ye Commands of a German Prince I (himself again meaning) hope to see the Governor (the sd Charles Eden again meaning) who has so illegally committed me a Prisoner himself soon in Irons & sent home to answer what he has done here and I (himself again meaning) will endeavor to blacken his Character (the Governor again meaning) as much as it is in my power and then if his further malicious & Seditious intent to stir up the people & to procure ye disturbance & Ruin of the Kings Peace proceeded appealing the people & By Standers in these other seditious words & Speeches. Is not ye a hard case the Liberty & Property of the subject taken away by these illegal proceedings & you are as liable to have yours destroyed as ours now are, To the great Scandal & Defamation of him the said Charles Eden, Governor of yr Province & the Governmt therof, to the moving & incitem't of Discord & Sedition within ye Province & Danger of the Subversion of the Laws & Constitution of ye Province against ye Peace & in contempt of our Lord the King yt now is his Crown

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NOTE.—Sandy Point where the secretary's office was located at the time of its seizure, is 7 miles from the town of Edenton in Chowan county. It lies immediately upon Albemarle Sound and is at present owned by H. G. Wood, Esq.

Dignity, &c., and contrary to the form of the Statute in such cases made & Provided. DAN'L RICHARDSON, Duc. Rege.

Upon return of the Grand Jury Indictment in the case between our Sovereign Lord, the King agt Coll. Edward Moseley, the Question was asked by the sd Moseley's Council how many of the Jury were agreed in the Indictm't, the foreman answered all. Coll. Edwd Moseley informed ye Court yt he was very credibly informed yt Sundry Reputable Persons in Divers parts of the Country to ye number of thirty were summoned by the Marshall of the Severall Precincts to serve as Grand Jurymen for the body of ys Governm't the greatest part of them attended but by some Practices as the sd Moseley suggests there was but sixteen returned. It's therefore, moved by him yt ye Court would admit him to produce Persons to make proof of the summons of Sundry Grand Jurymen that were summoned & not returned altho they were present in Court or yt the Officers might be called & Examined on oath touching the Summons & Return.

The Court were of opinion yt Mr. Moseley might call any Evidence to prove any ill practice in the Marshall or any other of the officers but he not doing yt & there not appearing any anything in ys matter contrary to the constant method & Practice in ys Court for Summoning & Impannelling Grand Jurys & Jurys and the Officers of ys Court being upon their oaths & in their places. It is the opinion of ye Court that they ought not upon ys motion & suggestion to be sworn now & examined whether they had been Guilty of any Evill Practice in this matter.

Whereupon the Court ordered the Indictment to be read which was accordingly read and then the said Edwd Moseley moved that he might have time till the next Court to answer the sd indictment And the sd Moseley making oath that he had evidences which he believed material who were out of the Governmt. Ordd yt the Tryall be referred till the next Court and also yt the sd Moseley enter into bond with security to appear the 3d day of the next Genl Court, &c., which is further ordd yt the said Moseley Plead to-morrow.

Coll. Edwd Moseley & Maj. Thos. Luten as surety entered into bonds in the sum of 100£ each for the appearance of sd Moseley at the next term of the Court.

July 31st, 1719. The Grand Jury present ye following Indictmt. North Carolin, S.S.:

To the Honble Fred'k Jones, Chief Justice & to the rest of the Justices for holding the General Court for the Precinct of North Carolina:

The Jurors for our Sovereign Lord the King upon their oath Do

Present ye Maurice Moore, Esq., Thomas Luten, Jr., Joseph Moore Laborer & Edwd Moseley, Esq., all of Chowan Precinct in the County of Albemarle afsd and Henry Clayton of Perquimans Precinct in the County & Province afsd Gentlemen, on the six and twentieth day of December, 1718, at Sandy Point in Chowan Precinct afsd with force and arms into a certain Dwelling house yn in the possession of John Lovick, Depty Secretary of & for ys Province wherein the Records of ye Province, the Journals of ye Council the Colony Seal were then being the Secretary's office, &c., Naval Officer for the District of Roanoke, were then kept did unlawfully enter & the said house did fasten & nail up & him the sd John Lovick from the possession of the sd House, Records, Journal, Seal & Offices with like force & Arms did by the space of twenty hours Riotously hold & Keep against the Peace of our Sovereign Lord the King yt which is his Crown & Dignity & against the fame of the Laws in such Cases made and provided.

DANIEL RICHARDSON, Duc. Rege.

To which Indictment (being read) they plead not guilty.

Coll. Edward Moseley and Maurice Moore gave bond in the sum of 100£ each to answer sd Indictmt. Thomas Luten surety for Coll. Moseley & Thomas Swann for Col. Maurice Moore, Henry Clayton & Thomas Luten, Jr., also appeared and gave bond in the sum of 100£. Thos. Betterly surety for Henry Clayton and Thomas & Henry Bonner surety for Thos. Luten, Jr.

Att a General Court held for the Province at the Court House at Queen Anne's Creek in Chowan Precinct the 29th Sber (Oct.), 1719. Present Fred'k Jones, Esq., Chief Justice, Jno. Blount, Jno. Worley, Jno. Palin, Jno. Hardy, Thos. Pollock, & Maj. Robert West, Justices.

Coll. Edwd Moseley, Maurice Moore, Thomas Luten, Jr., and Henry Clayton being bound by Recognizance to appear at this Court to answer indictments found against them by the Grand Jury last Court, made their appearance. Ordered that they make their appearance to-morrow morning at 10 O'clock.

Friday, Sber 30th, 1719. Court met according to adjournment. Present as before.

Daniel Richardson, Esq., Attr Genl, comes to prosecute an Indictm't found by the Grand Jury last Court agt Coll. Edward Moseley in these words, &c. (See Indictment heretofore given in full.) and as by the sd Indictment there upon record doth appear, to which he then Pleaded sd Pleas being lost or Imbezzled cannot be had, but the Court being assured the said Pleas was not Guilty, saving to himself all Lawfull advantage & putting himself upon the Country for

Tryall & which said Pleas was Joyned by the Atty Genl afsd to which he the said Moseley was this day Called & appeared according to order yesterday & moved the Court's opinion whether he was Regularly here in Court this day. To which the Court's opinion is that he the sd Moseley is regularly here in Court this day.

Whereupon, the said Edward Moseley Desires the Court to consider whether the entry made this day of the Plea to this Indictment is the same plea he delivered in writing the last Court succeeding to their order & which was Joyned & subscribed by the Atty Gen'll for the sd Edwd Moseley saith. "It contained more than a bare not guilty for it contained a Protestation & Saving to himself all advantages of Exception to the whole Proceedings of this case" & Desires the sd Pleas my be referred to which being impossible. It is the Resolve & opinion of this Court that the prosecution of his Majies Suit ought not to fale for want of the Plea put into the last Genll Court by the sd Moseley which hath Either been lost or Imbezzled by the Clerk but as the Court is well satisfied that the pleas was Genl. Issue not Guilty. Saving to the sd Moseley all lawfull advantages they ought to proceed on his Tryall, whereupon it was commanded the Marshall that he call & cause to come twelve, &c., and these came viz: James Castellow, Edward Carter, Thos. Blitchenden, Lewis Skinner, John Jennett, Rt. Patterson, George Turnage, Moses Hill, Jno. Bentley, Thos. Elliott, Rich'd Wilson & Edwd Wingate who being sworn say Wee of the Jury find Edward Moseley Guilty of Speaking the words contained in the Indictment according to the Indictment if the Law be for our Sovereign Lord the King then we find him the sd Edwd Moseley guilty: but if the law be for the sd Moseley then we find him not guilty.

Whereupon the Council for our sd Lord ye King moved the Court to assign the time when the matter of Law shall be argued & this Court has appointed to-morrow being Saturday the 31st of ys Instant Ten of the Clock.

And upon motion of the Attorney Genll Ordered that the sd Edward Moseley be continued upon the same Recognizance by which he stood bound in the above suit for scandalous words till to-morrow the 31st of this Inst 10 O'clk.

Coll. Edwd Moseley, Col. Maurice Moore, Thos. Luten, Jr., and Henry Clayton being called to answer the Indictmt found agt them made their appearance & were continued upon the same Recognizance till to-morrow 10 of the clock being the 31st of this Instant, Saturday 8ber, 1719. The Court met according to adjournment.

Present as before. Read the orders of the Court.

Upon Mr. Edwd Moseley troubling the Court with several unnecessary questions It is Resolved by the Court that they will not

stuff ye Records with his motions but that he shall have full liberty to plead everything that is pertinent to his Tryall.

And now here at this day comes the Councill for our Sovereign Lord the King, Pltff, & Edwd Moseley, Deft., according to the time assigned by the Court for arguing the matter of Law in the suit Depending between the Plt & Deft afsd and the same being fully Argued & Debated on both sides the Court adjourned for half an hour to consider thereon.

The Court mett according to adjournment.

And this Court having advised with themselves & well & duly considered the arguments on both sides and the verdict of the Jury last night do find & adjudge the Law is for our Sovereign Lord the King Plt.

The Attorney Genl moved for Sentence.

And thereupon the Court take time untill Monday morning next 10 O'Clock to consider of the Sentence, and the sd Moseley as well as the others in the other Indictment were called and their Recognizance continued untill the same time.

Monday, Nov. 2nd, 1719. The Court met according to adjournment. Present as before.

Coll. Edward Mosdeley being called to answer the Indictment found against him for scandalous words, &c., made his appearance according to the order of this Court Saturday last. And the Attorney Genll moved for sentence upon the Indictment upon wch he had by the Court & Jury been found guilty.

And it being asked the sd Moseley if he had anything to say in stay of the sd sentence answered that he would not trouble the Court any further but submitt himself to ym upon which the Court adjourned for half an hour to advise & consider thereon. The Court mett according to adjournment. And this Court having well & Duly considered the Indictmt throughout the Evidence proceeded in the whole Tryall. The Verdict of the Jury found thereon and the Arguments both on behalf of the King & upon Edward Moseley, Esq., Deft., have adjudged the Law to be with the King. It is therefore considered & adjudged by the Court That the sd Edward Moseley, Esq., pay a fine of 100£ & be incapable of bearing any office or place of Trust in this Governmt for three years & give Bond with sufficient security in the sum of 200£ for his good behaviour a year & a day & that he be taken into Custody untill he perform the same.

Daniel Richardson, Esq., comes to prosecute an Indictment agt Maurice Moore, Esq., Thos. Luten, Jr., Esq., Edward Moseley, Esq., all of Chowan Precinct, Albemarle County, & Henry Clayton, Gent of Perquimans Precinct in the county afsd and saith as in & by the sd Indictment remaining upon Record doth appear become bound

by recognizance to appear this Court & being called had leave to erase out the word (not) which accordingly they did and pleaded guilty to the said Indictment and threw themselves upon the Mercy of the Court. Whereupon the Court takes time till to-morrow morning to consider thereon, and then adjourned till to-morrow 10 O'clk.

Tuesday, Nov. 3rd, 1719. The Court mett according to adjournment. Present as before except Fred'k Jones, Chief Justice.

And the Court having considered the Indictment with regard to ye Severall agravations of the Persons therein mentioned & the sd Persons Pleas & throwing themselves upon the Mercy of the Court have ordered and give judgment that the sd Coll. Maurice Moore pay a fine of 5£ & Mr. Thos. Luten, Jr., a fine of 20 shillings & that each of ym give bond with sufficient security in the sum of 20£ for their good behaviour till the next Genll Court and ye Coll. Edwd Moseley & Mr. Henry Clayton pay a fine of five shillings each and that they all be taken into Custody untill they have performed the same.

North Carolina Ss.:

Att a Genll Court held for the sd Province at yr Genll Court House at Queen Anne's Creek in Chowan Precinct the 28th Mch., 1721. Present Jno. Worley. The Court adjourned till to-morrow morning 8 O'clock.

Wednesday ye 29th Mch, 1721. The Court mett according to adjournment. Present The Honble Fred'k Jones, Chief Justice, Jno. Blount, Thos. Miller, Jno. Worley & Thos. Pollock, Esqs., Justices.

The following order of Council being read is ord'd to be Entd.

Att a Council held April 4, 1720, Mr. Chief Justice Jones having made a motion to ys Board representing yt Severall persons Inhabitants of ys Governmt are Injured & putt to very great hardship & difficulty by reason of Coll. Edwd Moseley his Suspension from Pleading, he having undertaken their business & having their papers in his hands. Whereupon ys Board unanimously agreed that the said Moseley might have liberty to plead & speak to such matters only as he can make appear to Mr. Chief Justice he was actually retained in before the sentence passed upon him by the Genl Court held in October, 1719.

Friday 31st Mch, 1721. Court mett according to adjournment. Present Honble Fred'k Jones, Chief Justice, Jno. Blount, Thos. Miller, Jno. Worley & Thos. Pollock, Justices.

Coll. Edward Moseley made the following motion, viz:

Edwd Moseley sheweth That a prosecution was commenced agt him in his Maj's name for speaking Sundry words as appears by



the Grand Jury at the Genll Court held in Chowan Precinct in July, 1719. Upon which Prosecution Judgmt was passed agst the sd Edward Moseley at the Genll Court held in October, 1719, in which Prosecution & Judgmt and the proceedings thereupon Error manifest has intervened.

The sd Moseley therefore humbly Prays That upon this his Motion a day may be assigned by this Court Pursuant to an Act of Assembly Intituled an Act concernig Appeals & Writts of Error for the hearing the Errors at the next Court and that a day may be appointed for the sd Edward Moseley to file his errors, in the meantime whereupon the Chief Justice & Thos. Pollock take time to advise till the next Court, whrether his motion be within the meaning of the Law. Justices Blount & Worley reject the motion as not within the meaning of the Act. Mr. Justice Miller was absent.

Court adjourned till the next Court in course.

### RELATING TO THE MEETING OF THE ASSEMBLY.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.

North Carolina Ss. By the Honble the Govr and Councill.

Whereas by an Act of Assembly Intituled an Act Relating to the Biennial and other Assemblys and Regulating Elections and Members inter alia. It is enacted that the Burgesses for the Biennial Assembly shall meet and Sitt the first Monday in November ensuing each Election at the same place the Assembly last satt Except the Pallatine Court shall by their Proclamacon Twenty dayes before their meeting appoint some other place.

And Forasmuch as for divers Reasons and Inconveniencies to us known this present Biennial Assembly cannot meet and sett at the same place they last satt at.

We therefore by this Proclamacon do Give Notice to al persons Concerned herein that this present Assembly is appointed and We do hereby appoint the same to meet and sett at the house of Col. Jno. Hecklefield in Little River on the aforesaid Monday in November.

Given under our hands and the Seale of the Colony this 12 day of September in the Fourth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King George &c. Anno Dom 1717. God save the King.

CHARLES EDEN,  
FRED'K JONES,  
FRAS FOSTER,  
WM. REED.  
T. KNIGHT, *Sect'y.*

[*Locus Sigilli.*]

# ABSTRACT OF MARRIAGE BONDS OF CHOWAN COUNTY.

(From originals in office of the Clerk of the Superior Court at Edenton, N. C.,  
with names of sureties.)

Miller, Solomon and Sarah Copeland. Jan'y 16th.  
McClenny, ————— and Mary Smith. April 23rd.  
Parish, Edmund and Melunca Simpson. May 17th.  
Parish, Richard and Nelly Bacchus. October 25th.  
Phelps, William and Eliza Luton. Nov. 14th. James Phelps.  
Perry, Orrister and Nancy Dail. Dec. 21st. Joshua Dail.  
Roberts, Frederick L. and Sarah Jane Pophelston. July 19th.  
Smith, Amos and Mary Boyce. Jan'y 1st. Elijah Smith.  
Skinner, Job and Elizabeth Ann Jordan. March 23rd.  
Spivey, Jacob and Peninah Goodwin. July 21st.  
Smith, Alfred and Temperance J. Chambers. October 16.  
Skinner, James B. and Martha Hartmus. Dec. 13th.  
Woodward, Nathaniel and Emily Elliott. March 14th.  
White, John and Axey Hollowell. Nov. 20th. Silas White.

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Ashley, Josiah and Judith Haste. April 20th. Henry Morgan.  
Ashley, Miles and Winney Perry. May 4th. Isaac Cail.  
Birum, James I. and Elizabeth Forchand. Feb'y 13th.  
Byrum, Isaac J. and Easter Hollowell. March 13th.  
Byrum, Edwin and Mary Hollowell. April 6th. James Boyce.  
Butts, Willam E. and Mary Jane Elliott.  
Boyce, Benjamin and Levinia Walker. May 6th. Jos. Norcom.  
Birum, William and Eli Asbell. Augt. 19th. Humphrey Birum.  
Bacchus, Thomas and Prudence Bunch. Augt. 23rd.  
Brooks, Joseph and Elizabeth Goodwin. September 3rd.  
Bunch, Josiah and Tamar Asbell. Nov. 1st. Humphrey Birum.  
Davenport, Richard and Elsey Chatman. Feb'y 12th.  
Elliott, Elisha and Ann Elliott. Dec. 4th. Nath'l Hathaway.  
Felton R. R. and Mary A. Fitt. June 20. Micajah J. Bunch.  
Floyd, William and Sarah Morgan. June 29th. Halsey Floyd.  
Fife, Charles and Martha Proctor. July 17th. Moses D. Hare.  
Goodwin, Richard and Christian Ward. Augt. 20th.  
Goodwin, Sanford E. and Penelope Small. March 27th.  
Halsey, Isaac and Harriet Woodward. Feby 6th.  
Hurdle, Lemuel and Susan Goodwin. March 16th.

Jordan, John R. and Sarah Cochrane. May 29th.  
 Jackson, Samuel and Frances Taylor. Sept. 10th.  
 Jordan, Theophilus and Eliza Dail. Nov. 28th. Julius B. Dail.  
 Kirby, Samuel H. and Lucinda C. Benton. Nov. 26th.  
 Miller, Smith and Temperance Ward. Jan'y 22nd.  
 Morgan, Hardy and Elizabeth Munds. March 9th.  
 Mallory, William S. and Mary D. Hoskins. March 19th.  
 Manning, Richard H. and Lydia S. Howett. Nov. 28th.  
 Morris, John and Eliza Stallings. Dec. 23rd. Benj. Gregory.  
 Nixon, Robert and Frances Smith. June 12th. Nath'l Bond, Jr.  
 Perry, Willis and Ashley Smith. March 9th. William Bush.  
 Parish, Joshua and Milley Green. Nov. 1st. Jas. Robinson.  
 Riddick, Thomas E. and Ann B. Carter. Jan'y 28th.  
 Smith, Henry and Martha P. Liles. Feb'y 16th. Alfred Smith.  
 Skinner, James C. and Elmira Ward. Augt. 20th.  
 Ward, William and Sarah Lane. July 8th. James Boyce.  
 Walker, Manuel and Mary B. Nixson. Oct. 8th.  
 Winslow, Job and Clarke Spivey. Nov. 1st. Elisha Bunch.  
 Ward, Allen and Juliana Winslow.

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Bonsal, John and Elizabeth D. Skinner. Jan'y 7th.  
 Bunch, Paul and Charity Hudgins. Jan'y 21st. Wm. Bush.  
 Beasley, Nathaniel I. and Emily Norcom. June 23rd.  
 Blount, Edmund C. and Mary E. Whedbee. June 7th.  
 Bond, Henry A. and Margaret G. Manning. Dec. 31st.  
 Elliott, Willis J. and Sarah Bateman. Dec. 15th. William Rea.  
 Gregory, Mathias and Penelope Jordan. July 23rd.  
 Halsey, Lemuel B. and Eliza A. Blount. Jan'y 20th.  
 Hottler, Asa G. and Sarah Welch. May 3rd. Noah P. Deanes.  
 \*Hathaway, Burton W. and Sarah A. Bent (2nd wife). May 14.  
 H. E. Rascoe.  
 Hardy, Jackson and Lucy Ann Bullock. Oct. 26th.  
 Jones, John and Mary Jordan. Feb'y 14th. Josiah H. Jones.  
 Jones, Enoch and Martha Ann Waff. July 14. Henry Martin.  
 Luton, Noah and Martha Cabarrus. Jan'y 25th.  
 Long, Henry A. and Sarah Elliott. April 1st. Henry Scott.  
 Leary, William and Mary Eliz Taylor. May 26th. Wm. Deanes.  
 Naxon, Robert M and Mary Small. Dec. 22nd.  
 Privett, William and Elizabeth Freeman. March 5th.  
 Parker, John and Peninah Griffin. Oct. 26th. Cadet Piercy.  
 Rea, Christopher C. and Mary Frances Nixon. Nov. 21st.  
 Skinner, Augustus and Martha Taylor. Feb'y 5th.

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\* Father and Mother of the Editor of the REGISTER.

Standin, William H. and Elizabeth B. Littlejohn. April 2nd.  
Wm. A. Littlejohn.

Smith, William and Mary Newbern. Augt. 11th.

Whiteman, Richard and Mary Sitterson. January 20th.

Wood, Jordan M. and Elizabeth Felton. Feb'y 25th.

Warren, Dr. Thomas D. and Penelope J. D. Skinner. March 12.

White, George Sr., and Temperance Baker. July 20. Wm. Bush.

Williams, William and Sophia Topping. Nov. 9. Willis Evans.

1841.

Asbell, William and Jane Harrell. May 27th. Job Parker.

Brooks, Josiah H. and Mary P. Gorham. June 29th.

Barelift, John H. and Penelope Waff. July 29th.

Bunch, Nathaniel and Rebecca Floyd. Sept. 28th.

Blanchard Easton and Absala White. Oct. 9th. Jos. Brooks.

Bunch, Willis and Michel Ward. Nov. 30th. Thos. Forehand, Jr.

Blanchard, Jesse and Elizabeth A. Blanchard. Dec. 27th.

Cameron, John W. and Elizabeth A. Smith. Oct. 5th.

Dail, Elisha and Achsa Mitchell. Dec. 24th. Dan'l Hollowell.

Forehand, Joel and Ann Dail. July 28th. Daniel Hollowell.

Goodwin, Harvey P. and Elizabeth Mary Evans. January 9th.

Goodwin, John A. and Martha L. Small. Augt. 11th.

Hurdle, Henry and Elizabeth Elliott. March 3rd.

Hudson Joseph and Sarah Twine. April 23rd.

Hare, Moses D. and Elizabeth Moore. June 16th.

Hudgins, Thomas W. and Lavinia M. Small. Dec. 14th.

Harris, Joseph and Sarah Burruss. Dec. 28th. Jacob Bass.

Jordan, Cader and Eliza Chappell. Jan'y 27th.

Kirby, Isaiah and Corasand Elliott. April 1. Willis J. Elliott.

Martin, Henry and Ann Catharine Chambers. Feb'y 18.

Moore, Charlton and Sena Winslow. April 6th. Asa Blanchard.

Norfleet, Rev. William J. and Eliza P. Howett. Dec. 2nd.

Perry, John and Mary Bunch. Feb'y 8th. Wm. Jordan.

Riddick, Jethro and Elizabeth J. Jones. Jan'y 19th.

Roberts, John W. and Mary S. B. Haughton. July 27th.

Simpson, William and Elizabeth Hurdle. April 8th.

Sanderlin, Nathaniel and Jane Whaley. April 24th.

Small, Elisha C. and Mary Bond. July 9th. Richard Wilder.

Topping, Samuel and Milley Parish. Nov. 10. John Williams.

Virnelson, James and Milley Green. Sept. 16th. Chas. Smith.

Waff, George W. and Susan Ann Elliott. March 2nd.

Walker, Thomas and Elizabeth Stone. Sept. 30th.

1842.

Ashley, Benbury and Eliza Halsey. July 6th.

- Byrum, Joseph J. and Elizabeth Privett. Jan'y 8th.  
 Bateman, Nathan and Nancy Riddick. March 18th.  
 Briggs, Henry and Zenith Todd. April 11th. B. W. Hathaway.  
 Bazemore, Malachi and Penelope Sampson. Nov. 16th.  
 Caddy, James and Sarah Canaday. Dec. 28th. Thos. Jones  
 Cochrane, Thomas, Jr., and Clarissa E. Benton. September 20.  
 Ferrell, John L. and Martha Bartie. Nov. 27th.  
 Harrell, James N. and Ann Goodwin. Jan'y 17th.  
 Harrison, Thomas A. and Louisa M. Collins. Dec. 8th. W. C.  
 Warren.  
 Kail, Isaac and Nancy Smith. Jan'y 10th. Charles Smith.  
 Leary, John L. and Harriett A. Skinner, July 15th.  
 Miller, Solomon and Thusey Belch. Jan'y 17. John B. Small.  
 Paxton, Richard and Elizabeth C. Benbury. June 18th. H. A.  
 Gilliam.  
 Riddick, Joseph E. and Margaret E. Harvey. Oct. 25th.  
 Swain, Thomas and Martha Mann. May 12th. Wiliam Kirby.  
 Snowden, Rev. William E. and Harriet Skinner. August 1st.  
 Yelverton Read.  
 Small, Baker D. and Rosina Hudgins. Oct. 24th.  
 Turner, Asbury and Sophia Jordan. February 9th.  
 Webb, James, Jr., and Sarah Frances Cheshire. Feb. 17th.  
 White, Henry and Peninah Boyce. Feb'y 7th. William White.  
 White, James and Sarah White. Feb'y 7th. R. R. Felton.  
 Wiggins, William and Celia Blanchard. Oct. 11th.  
 White, Gabriel and Ann Hudson. Dec. 23rd. Samuel Lane.

1843.

- Ainesley, Asa and Margaret Wynni. Feb'y 20th. Tully Daven-  
 port.  
 Bass, Arassila (Horatio) and Cassandra Nixon. Jan'y 2nd.  
 Cruthers, Wilson and Sarah Dail. March 25th.  
 Coffield, Henry and Ann Bacchus. Dec. 9th. John Bush.  
 Davenport, Ephraim and Mary E. Speight. Feb'y 24th.  
 Elliott, William B. and Mary Jolliffe. Jan'y 16. Moses Burke.  
 Elliott, Elisha and Sarah L. Elliott. Feb'y 21. J. R. Lemmett.  
 Eds, Joseph and Harriet Carliles. Feb'y 14th. Willis Elliott.  
 Hare, Burrell and Ann Perkins. Jan'y 17th. Wm. Kirby.  
 Hurdle, Charles and Penelope Ming. Jan'y 17th.  
 Halsey, Samuel and Mary Munds. May 31st. Benbury Ashley.  
 Jacobs, Solomon and Elizabeth Coffield. May 25th.  
 Jordan, John and Charity Woodward. Nov. 21st.  
 Kirby, William and Elizabeth Smith. May 11th.  
 Long, Thomas B. and Elizabeth M. Bartee. January 25th.

Mixson, Charles W. and Anna Maria Underhill. Feb'y 23rd.  
 Newbold, James and Mary Elizabeth Bonner. December 27th.  
 Parrish, Joshua and Mahala Simpson. July 6th.  
 Parish, Stephen and Lucinda Roberts. Nov. 1st.  
 Stafford, John and Mary Wood. Feb'y 7th. Wm. Bush.  
 Stafford, William and Susan Wood. May 25th. James White.  
 Shepard, William B. and Ann D. Collins. May 25th. W. C.  
 Warren.  
 Sutton, Samuel and Elizabeth Ann Mixson. Sept. 4th.  
 White, Josiah and Susan Hurdle. January 25th. Washington  
 Spivey.  
 Warren, Dr. Thos. D. and Margaret L. Coffield. May 31st. R.  
 F. Paine.

1844.

Birum, Humphrey and Mary Ward. Jan'y 2nd. William C.  
 Simpson.  
 Bratten, John and Deborah Smith. May 16th. Willis Elliott.  
 Boushall, John and Deborah F. Gaskins. Dec. 12. Chas. Mc-  
 Nider.  
 Coffield, William and Margaret Simpson. January 18th. Benj.  
 Howcott.  
 Cannon, James Iredell and Harriet E. Baker. Augt. 24th. Ed-  
 ward Brown.  
 Dixon, George B. and Mary B. McDonald. March 13th. Cas-  
 per W. Norcom.  
 Dixon, Alexander and Corisand McDonald. July 4th. Casper  
 W. Norcom.  
 Forehand, Thomas, Sr., and Catharine Hollowell, Jan'y 6. Jno.  
 Forehand.  
 Godfrey, Joseph G. and Margaret M. Haughton. Jany 29th.  
 Chas. G. Haughton.  
 Goodwin, Miles and Elizabeth Cochrane. Nov. 22nd.  
 Hurdle, Seth and Mary Winslow. Jany 17th. Robt. Stallings.  
 Hatfield, James and Naomi Spruell. Jan'y 24th. Hezekiah Ar-  
 nold.  
 Hines, Benjamin A. and Elizabeth Chapman. March 27. Jno.  
 Cox.  
 Hammond, Henry George and Harriet Ann Swinson. Apl. 28th.  
 John W. Cameron.  
 Hall, William T. and Mary Smith. Dec. 26th. Jesse Williamson.  
 Moore, Edward and Lucy Ann Moore. Dec. 17. Chas. S. Moore.  
 Manning, Dr. Joseph and Emily L. Cleveland. October 22nd.  
 Thos. C. Manning.  
 Parker, Samuel T. and Lydia Kail. May 1st. Jas. C. Bond.

Perry, Allen H. and Margaret Ann Bush. May 13th. Miles Goodwin.

Parish, James and Margaret Mitchell. Nov. 8th. James L. Roberts.

Pierce, John and Lydia Hobbs. Nov. 29th. C. L. McNider.

Simmons, John W. and Mariam Jordan. Jan'y 11. Zachariah Evans.

Speed, Dr. Rufus K. and Elizabeth M. Jones. Feb'y 13. Thos. G. Haughton.

Small, Humphrey and Elizabeth Floyd. April 9th. Jeremiah Floyd.

Todd, William H. and Susannah Smith. Dec. 9. Smith Miller.

Ward, David and Mary Moore. Feb'y 7th. Moses W. White.

White, Moses and Sarah Ward. Dec. 15th. William King.

Wilson, James and Catharine Boyce. July 25th. Jas. C. Bond.

Winslow, Jos. H. and Maria Hurdle. Feb. 7th.

## 1845.

Brown, Benjamin and Cynthia Harrell. Jan'y 1st. John H. Jones.  
Byrum, Henderson H. and Elizabeth Burruss. Augt. 26. Gideon Byrum.

Bunch, Thomas and Sophia Mood. Nov. 5. John C. Fleetwood.

Bonner, James and Caroline E. White. Nov. 17th. P. F. White.

Bonner, Abraham and Harriet Ann Simpson. November 29th. John Bonner.

Clayton, Addison W. and Elizabeth Bond. Feb'y 1st. W. H. Wilder.

Featherstone, Edward (of Amelia Co., Va.) and Mary H. Howett. Apl. 23rd. R. H. Manning.

Goodwin, Stephen and Judy Boyce. July 14th. Theophilus Goodwin.

Gordon, George and Mary G. Standley. Dec. 3rd.

Hobbs, Henry and Elizabeth Smith. Jan'y 8th. Abner Hollowell.

Harrell, John and Margaret A. Miller. January 9th. Samuel Eshon.

Hatfield, Charles and Deborah Pratt. Apl. 15. Whitaker Myers.

Hinton, Peter W. and Sarah J. Righton. July 21st. N. Leggett.

Halsey, Cullen A. and Charlotte Perry. Augt. 28th.

Hackney, Henry and Caroline Lawrence. Sept. 12. Wm. H. Todd.

Hinton, John W. and Martha J. Small. Dec. 16th. Thomas W. Hudgins.

Jones, James and Sarah Harriss. July 24th. R. R. Felton.

Jordan, Willis H. and Sarah Halsey. Oct. 3rd. Arasha Bass.

Jordan, Joseph J. and Elizabeth Ann Clements. Dec. 9th. Jas. C. Bond.

Morris, John and Harriet Ward. Dec. 17th. Drew Welch.

Norfleet, James E. and Nancy Hill. April 15. Richard Wyatt.

Perry, Willis and Elizabeth Ward. Feb'y 12th. Allen C. Ward.

Pearce, William and Martha Nixon. Augt. 15. Henry Byrum.

Small, Malachi H. and Eliabeth Ward. June 4. John D. Small.

Sansberry, Charles and Rebecca Bagley. Oct. 3. William McCoy.

Ward, Wellington and Asbilley Gregory. June 20. Jas. C. Bond.

Wilson, Henry and Nancy Veazey. May 13th. Elijah Smith.

Ward, Trotman H. and Charity White. July 22. Henry W.

Hobbs.

Williams, William and Julia Hill. Sept. 3rd. Jos. B. Newby.

Wyatt, Richard and Eliza M. Norfleet. Dec. 23rd. Thomas B.

Howett.

1846.

Alexander, James and Mary Hall. March 10. Asa Ainesley.

Asbell, James and Martha Ann Twine. June 19th. William Asbell.

Baker, Andrew and Elizabeth Brinn. May 4th. Harvey P. Goodwin.

Bonner, John and Sarah E. Waff. May 6th. Jos. T. Waff.

Bunch, Harvey and Nancy Parks. July 22nd. Henry White.

Bunch, Josiah and Ruth Nixon. July 26th. Horatio Bass.

Bond, George and Harriet F. Parker. Sept. 10th.

Coffield, John and Grissell Bunch. Feb'y 23. Cullen Mitchell.

Costen, James K. and Mary White. May 16. Rizop Rawls.

Culipher, James C. and Sally Ann Smith. July 30th. Abram Culifer.

Floyd, Jeremiah and Temperance Smith. Oct. 22. Sam'l Eshon.

Griffin, Exum and Leah Goodwin. Nov. 2nd. Leah Perry.

Halsey, Samuel and Lydia Roberts. May 5. Samuel Topping.

Jackson, James S. and Sarah Sansberry. June 4th. Augustus

A. Skinner.

Kehoe, Richard and Penelope Bazemore. Nov. 2. Enoch Jones.

Legget, William and Mary Ann Ashley. Dec. 22. Miles Leggett.

Messmore, Daniel and Mary Matilda Norcom. April 16th. Geo.

Price.

Mitchell, Henry and Martha Jones. Oct. 14. Jeremiah Floyd.

Miller, William and Mary Dail. Dec. 31st. Thos. I. Miller.

Pratt, Joshua and Margaret Johnson. Augt. 22nd. John L.

Ferrell.

Smith, Zachariah and Harriet Hofer. Augt. 14. William Bush.

Smith, Charles and Mary Bond. Dec. 3rd. Stephen Smith.



Taylor, William and Matilda Pratt. July 4th. Joseph Taylor.  
 Thompson, John and Hester King Lee. July 18th. John Cox.  
 Winslow, John L. and Harriet P. Winslow. Oct. 14th. Allen  
 C. Ward.

1847.

Avery, Joseph and Sarah S. Harvey. Dec. 27th. John Bush.  
 Byrum, Isaac, Jr., and Mary Copeland. Jan'y 19. Joseph Cope-  
 land.

Byrum, James W. and Anna I. Asbill. July 21st. Wrighton  
 Ward.

Bockover, Benjamin T. and Sarah E. Hathaway. October 27th.  
 Chas. R. Hankins.

Byrum, Francis and Elizabeth Halsey. Nov. 11. Bryant Burross.  
 Copeland Timothy and Elizabeth Veazey. January 30. Isaac  
 Byrum, Jr.

Citizen, Charlton and Lewey Spruell. May 27. Joseph Taylor  
 Evans, Josiah and Martha Perry. Jan'y 26. Harvey Goodwin.  
 Hendrix, John F. and Catharine Sanderlin. Dec. 29th. Thos.  
 S. Hoskins.

Haste, Abner and Achsah Ward. May 20th. Tredwell Bunch.  
 Halsey, Samuel and Elizabeth Chappell. July 5. Edwin Evans.  
 Halsey, Baker and Sarah Parker. Nov. 18th. Josiah H. Jones.  
 Mitchell, Lewis and Jemima Griffin. Jan'y 15th. Alfred Boyce.  
 McNair, Edmund D. and Elizabeth Ann Cheshire. February 11.

A. H. McNair.

Nixon, Andrew and Lovey Nixon. Dec. 1st. Horatio Bass.  
 Price, George and Maria L. Haughton. March 31. H. E. Rascoe.  
 Perry, Harvey and Emily Perry. May 30th. Miles Goodwin.  
 Perkins, Martin C. S. and Corasand Kirby. Dec. 29th. John  
 J. Maurice.

Spruell, Joseph and Mary Ann Phelps. April 10. Jas. H. Spruell.  
 Saunders, Willis N. and Elizabeth Coffield. May 4th. Mark D.  
 Hathaway.

Skinner, Myles and Sarah Jordan. June 8. Jordan D. Elliott.  
 Skinner, John and Elizabeth Halsey. Dec. 6th. T. L. Skinner.  
 Twine, Joel and Sarah Jordan. Oct. 2nd. Nathaniel Griffin.  
 Waff, Joseph T. and Elizabeth A. Benbury. Feby 9th. Chas.  
 W. Benbury.

Williams, John and Mary Rea. May 11th. H. E. Rascoe.

1848.

Bunch, Newby and Elizabeth Burke. Jan'y 19. Josiah Coffield.  
 Bunch, Micaiah and Harriet Byrum. Jan'y 29th. Fred'k Bunch.

Boyce, William and Christian Hollowell. Feb'y 14th. William Byrum.

Bond, Henry and Elizabeth Hudson. April 11th. Thomas W. Hudgins.

Burke, James W. and Martella Johnson. July 13th. James D. Bruer.

Boyce, Baker F. and Harriet Jordan. August 8th. Daniel Hollowell.

Copeland, Joseph Jr., and Susan Boyce. Jan'y 12th. Elijah Smith.

Creecy, William F. and Sarah E. Brinkley. March 9th. James E. Norfleet.

Cannon, Caltern C. and Martha Winslow. Dec. 12th. James I. Cannon.

Denson, John B. and Elizabeth M. Boushall. Feb'y 7th. James C. Bond.

Evans, Josiah and Lavinia Newberne. September 7. Jeremiah Evans.

Foxwell, Thomas L. and Rebecca K. Boushall. May 25. Joshua T. McCoy.

Hendricks, Josiah and Sarah Holloway. April 12th. Josiah Byrum.

Hudson, John W. and Sarah Frances Dolby. Oct. 17th. Thos. W. Hudgins.

Jordan, Thomas and Harriet McClenny. March 14th. James Bass.

Jones, Albert G. and Nelly Miller. April 27th. Jesse Parker.

Manning, Thomas C. and Mary Blair. Jan'y 18th. Tippoo S. Haughton.

McClenny, Jesse and Elizabeth Jordan. March 23. B. Nixon.

Moore, Charles S. and Martha L. Goodwin. June 27th. Sam'l T. Bond.

Miller, Reuben and Lavinia Coffield. Sept. 21. Wm. H. Todd.

Moore, Jackson and Mary Ann Copeland. Oct. 27th. Charlton Moore.

Munroe, Patrick M. C. and Elizabeth Satterfield. December 19. James Bonner.

Nixon, John and Caroline Rudolph. Oct. 2nd. N. S. Perkins.

Perry, Alfred and Rachel Wood. March 30th. Jno. A. Busby.

Parks, Elisha and Milly Modlin. May 8th. Francis Modlin.

Parish, Richard and Pheriby Bunch. May 24. John Churchill.

Riley, William Charles and Martha Harrell. Dec. 14th. T. J. Robertson.

- Reed, Thomas N. and Mary Ferrell. Feb'y 24. Thos. B. Long.  
 Smith, Willis and Mary Lane. Feb'y 23rd. John R. Smith.  
 Spivey, Jesse and Cynthia Hobbs. April 15th. Moses W. White.  
 Smith, Stephen and Nancy Jordan. Sept. 8th. Charles Smith.  
 Trotman, Ezekiel and Elizabeth Blanchard. Nov. 24th. Josiah  
 H. Blanchard.  
 White, George and Mary Hollowell. Jan'y 12. Elijah Harrell.  
 White, Josiah and Martha White. Feb'y 9th. Moses W. White.  
 Williams, Nathaniel and Frances Churchill. March 15. Wm.  
 Williams.  
 Walker, Emanuel and Naomi Hatfield. March 17th.  
 White, Silas and Mary Ann Byrum. April 13. Henry White.  
 Wilson, Samuel P. and Sarah Ann Smith. Oct. 19th. James  
 C. Bond.  
 Wilder, Henry and Harriet Stanton. Nov. 29. A. W. Clayton.  
 Welch, Dorsey and Emily Welch. Nov. 29th. Wm. Coffield.

1849.

- Burke, William and Susan Smith. Jan'y 18th. Charles E.  
 Robinson.  
 Burrows, Bryant and Nancy James. Feb'y 24. Frances Byrum.  
 Burk, John and Harriet Privett. June 4th. Josiah Coffield.  
 Byrum, Jesse W. and Sarah A. Ward. Augt. 23. Allen C. Ward.  
 Baker, Richard B. and Nancy Johnson. Nov. 13. W. C. Wood.  
 Caddy, John and Lovey Ward. Nov. 21st. John L. Bratten.  
 Evans, Stark B. and Esther Hobbs. Jan'y 16th. W. H. Elliott.  
 Eason, George and Sarah Jordan. Feb'y 11th. Thomas L. Hol-  
 lowell.  
 Foxwell, Thomas L. and Mary C. Gaskins. July 5th. Jesse A.  
 Williamson.  
 Goodwin, Gabriel and Lydia Chappell. May 3. Ambrose Perry.  
 Morris, Eason A. and Sarah Hedricks. March 8th. William  
 Hedricks.  
 Munds, William and Harriet Ann Munds. Nov. 13th. Alex G.  
 Bailey.  
 Moore, Joseph M. and Martha A. W. Howcott. Dec. 4th. Jas.  
 C. Bond.  
 Parish, James and Leah Hobbs. March 21st. James Parish.  
 Pritchett, James and Mary B. Harvey. May 26th. James Nor-  
 com, Jr.  
 Privett, William, and Harriet Smith. Dec. 26th. Willis Jordan.  
 Parker, Newborn and Elizabeth Small. Dec. 24. Jesse Parker.  
 Roberts, James L. and Elizabeth Simpson. March 17th. Chas.  
 E. Robinson.

Stacey, Stephen B. and Nancy Davenport. March 31st. Stephen B. Stacey.  
 Saunders, Rev. John M. and Sarah A. Thorpe. May 3rd. Rev. W. H. Wheelwright.  
 Smith, Isaac and Mary Hobbs. Augt. 18th. Wm. H. Todd.  
 Smith, James and Emma Harris. Sept. 18. Francis A. Harris.  
 Webb, Moses W. and Agnes P. Rea. April 24th. T. M. Nixon.

1850.

Butler, Starkey and Harriet Newborn. Feb'y 14th. William H. Wilder.  
 Byrum, Jacob and Rachel Copeland. May 7. Thos. S. Hoskins.  
 Bland, Theodorick J. and Mrs. Julia A. Miskell. May 15th. J. N. Floyd.  
 Bratten, William and Penelope Floyd. May 23rd. Richard Goodwin.  
 Cullifer, Benjamin and Judith Ashley. April 10th. Starkey Perry.  
 Copeland, Thomas J. and Rachel Ward. Nov. 28th. Henry R. Chappell.  
 Evans, Zachariah and Penelope Goodwin. Jan'y 1st. Jeremiah Goodwin.  
 Felton, William and Sesson J. Bartee. March 2nd. Joseph S. Leary.  
 Goodwin, William and Mary White. Dec. 24. Jeremiah Evans.  
 Goodwin, James and Sophia Jordan. Jan'y 1st. Richard Woodward.  
 Hunter, William C. and Mary M. Whedbee. August 27. E. S. Hunter.  
 Harris, James and Penelope Eliz Ashley. Nov. 2. Myles Ashley.  
 Jones, John M. and Martha Ann Jones. June 27th. Jos. S. Jones.  
 Miller, Jonathan S. and Leah Copeland. Jan'y 24th. Wm. H. Todd.  
 Munds, Lemuel and Mrs. Tempey Savage. June 4. Chas. Smith.  
 McClenney, Henry and Rosa Jane Savage. Sept. 24. Jas. Bass.  
 Outlaw, David and Charity Goodwin. Sept. 19. Jas. C. Bond.  
 Perry, Turner and Balinda Deanes. Feb'y 19th. Thos. Coch-  
 rine, Jr.  
 Pickett, James T. and E. J. Haughton. July 18th. W. A. Littlejohn.  
 Phelps, William and Hester Canaday. Oct. 31. Jas. Wilson.  
 Robinson, Charles E. and Martha Swain. Jan'y 26th. Jesse A. Williamson.

Spivey, Allen and Sarah J. Blanchard. April 10th. Jesse W. Blanchard.

Spivey, Baker and Cynthia Ward. Nov. 29th. Jas. C. Bond.

Trotman, Elisha and Ann Eliza Hagarthy. July 28. Chas. S. Moore.

Ward, Righton and Sally Ann Byrum. Feb'y 12th. Andrew Ward.

White, Thomas and Esther Hudgins. Jan'y 14th. James L. Roberts.

EXPENDITURE FOR FIRST COURT HOUSE IN NORTH  
CAROLINA, AT QUEEN ANNE'S TOWN,  
AFTERWARDS EDENTON.

(Original in Court House at Edenton.)

Publick Court House	DR.	£	s	d
Pd Capt. Lee in Specie 20£ 50 per cent makes..		£30		
3 Horses & hired man carting, &c.....			15	
Feb'y 25. Paid Capt. Fortce,, Carpenter in bills.....		20		
Mar. 17. Paid Capt. Lee, ye ball of his acct.....		13	10	
Nails at Sundry times, cost in Boston.				
500—20d, ..... ..	10s			
500—10d, of Abban...	12s			
2000—8d ..... ..	19s			
1000—6d, ..... ..	7s			
6500—4d, 4 6 ..... ..	£1 9s 3d			
	£3 17s 3			
50 from Boston.....	£1 18s 7½	—£5 15 10½		
Cent per cent in lieu Specie.....		£ 1.1 11 9		
Augt. 24. Paid Fortce in bills.....		30		
Sept. 2. Paid Do .....		30		
2000 Nails pd Mr. Bray, in Specie 1. 8x2.....		2 16		
Pd Jno. Marks, pr Pay for shingles in bills....		3 5		
Oyster Shells for ceiling & plaistering pd Paine..		5 5		
Feb'y 18. 2000—4d from Boston£	9s			
1900—6d ..... ..	10s 6d			
500—10d ..... ..	6s			
500—20d ..... ..	10s			
	£1 15s 6d			
50 per cent .....	17s 9d	—£2 13 3		

Cent per cent in lieu of Specie.....	£	5	6	6
Pd Mr. Lee .....		70		
2000 Nails of Mr. Harvey 3d. Specie.....		4	10	
500 Nails of Mr. Vail.....			15	
Nails of Mr. Vail 2d.....			5	6
Nails, Mr. Bray, Specie £1 8s.....		2	16	
Pd Mr. Lee the full ball of his acct. for Plank.....		48	15	
Commissions for paying 279£ 9s 9d. at 3 per cent....		8	8	
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				£287 17 9

## OR

Col. Hastings 10£, C. Gale & E. Moseley 10£. 20£				
Mr. Tookes 5£, From Assembly 100£.....		105£		
Accounted for Last Assembly.....	91£	1	5	
Nails returned Fortce as per his acct.....	3	3	-£219	4 5
				<hr/>
Bal. due E. Moseley .....	£	68	13	4
Errors Excepted.				

E. MOSELEY.

Mch. 9th, 1719.

The Court House was used for the first time in Nov., 1718, and stood on the same lot occupied at present by the beautiful Brick Structure fronting "Edenton Bay."

## THE OWNERSHIP OF ROANOKE ISLAND IN 1669.

Governor Sam'l Stevens died in 1669, leaving the Island to his wife, who in 1670 married Sir Wm. Berkley, Governor of Virginia, among the papers in the Court House, at Edenton, N. C., appear the following showing some of the transfers made of the property since that date, the first of which is a deed from Governor Berkley to Joshua Lamb, of Roxbury, Mass., and reads as follows:

"To All Christian People. To whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Know ye that I Sir William Berkeley Knt Captain General and Chief Governor of Virginia and one of the Proprietors of Carolina & Albemarle send Greeting, Know yee that I the said William Berkeley for and in consideration of the sum of One Hundred pounds Sterling to me in hand already paid or secured to be paid have Bargained, sold, agreed, alienated, enfeoffed, and confirmed and by these presents Do fully Clearly and absolutely bargain sett Alienate enfeoffe and confirm unto Joshua Lamb of New England, Merchant,

the whole Island of Roanoke Scituate and Being in the County of Albemarle in the Province of Carolina, Together with is thereon standing Growing or being with all the Profits privileges and advantages, thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining and also all the Cattle hoggs and other Stock with the Marishes houses and Buildings thereon, he the said Joshua Lamb, To have and to Hold the premises and every part and parcell thereof to him his heirs, Executors, Administrators and Assigns forever free from any Lett hindrance or molestation of me the said Sir William Berkeley or any other person or persons Whatsoever, And I do hereby further Authorize and Impower the said Joshua Lamb his heirs Executors Administrators & Assigns to enter upon and possess himself of all and Every of the premises and to oust Eject and Expell any person or persons whatsoever pretending any right, Title or Interest thereunto. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Seventeenth Day of April, 1676.

WILLIAM BERKELEY (*Seal*).

Signed Sealed and Delivered in

the presence of James Bray.

Darby Maguire, John Culpepper.

This 20th Day of December, 1676, p me Paul Latham Clerk Cout. John Culpepper this 19th December, 1677, that he was present & saw Sr. Wm. Berkeley sign & seal the above mentioned Deed to which his name is Subscribed as a witness. Taken before us Simon Bradstreet, Edward Tyng assistants p Isa Addington Cler.

A true copy as is entered with the Records of Deeds for the County of Suffolk (Mass) Libre 13, folio, 180, &c.; Examined p John Ballentine Regr.

(Next follows the deed from Joshua Lamb of Roxbury, Mass., to Nicholas Paige of Boston, Mass., for one Moiety of Island, as follows :)

To all Christian People To whom these presents shall come Joshua Lamb of Roxbury, in the County of Suffolk in New England Merchant, sendeth Greeting Know ye That I the said Joshua Lamb for and in consideration of the sum of One hundred and fifty pounds sterling by the value thereof received at and before the Ensealing hereof Do by these presents fully Clearly and absolutely give grant bargain sell assign Set over and confirm unto Nicholas Paige of Boston in the County above sd Merchant one Moiety or a full half part of that his Island called Roanock situate and being in the County of Albemarle in the Province of Carolina which he lately purchased of Sr. William Berkeley one of the Proprietors of Carolina and Albemarle according to a Deed or writing for the same

under his hand and seal bearing date the 17th of April, 1676, with one half part of the Marishes houses and buildings and what is thereon standing growing or being as also the half part of all Cattle Hoggs and other Stock upon the same and all profits privileges and advantages thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining with a full and good estate right Title & Interest of and into the same so I the said Lamb have from Sr. Wm. Berkeley and no otherwise.

To Have and to Hold the above bargained premises and Every part and parcell thereof unto him the said Nicholas Paige his heirs Exeers and Assigns, To his and their sole use benefit and behoof forever free from any Lett hindrance or Molestation from me the sd Joshua Lamb my heirs, Executors, Admrs or any other person or persons whatsoever from by or under me by my Means Title, Consent or procurement. In Witness whereof I the said Joshua Lamb have hereunto put my hand and seal this nineteenth day of September in the 29th year of his Majesties Reign Anno Domini 1677.

Signed, Sealed & Delivered in

presence of us  
Rowland Butler,  
Isa Addington.

JOSHUA LAMB, (*Signeth.*).

This instrumeint was acknowledged by Joshua Lamb to be his Act & Deed the 19 Sept., 1677. Before me

SIMON BRADSTREET, Assist.

A true copy as is entered with the Records of Deeds for the County of Suffolk Lib 10 folio 180.

Exam'd p JOHN BALLENTINE Regr.

WILL OF JOSHUA PAIGE OF ROMNEY MARSH IN THE TOWNSHIP OF  
BOSTON, IN NEW ENGLAND, 1703.

In the name of God Amen, I Nicholas Paige sometime of Plymouth in England, Merchant, & Anna Paige his wife being both of us through Gods kindness at Present in Health & in perfect memory & good understanding Do make & appoint this to be our last Will & Testament in manner & form following vitz.:

Impr We do give & bequest our precious Souls to God that Gave them us in full assurance of Salvation by Jesus Christ our alone Saviour & Redeemer, & our bodys to decent Christian burial in full assurance of Resurrection both of our Souls & bodys by the Virtue, power & merits of Christ's death & Resurrection to Eternal Glory both of our Souls & bodys at the Great & General Day of Judgment when both Soul & body shall be Reunited again together.



First we do order and appoint that all our Just Debts & Funeral Charges be duly paid.

Item. We give to the poor of Boston twenty pounds to be in money or as money in three months after our Death.

Item we give and bequeath unto Mr. Nicholas Pridex of Barba-does if then Living & if dead then to his eldest son or any child of his that may be then Living Three Score Pounds Money to be paid with-in twelve months after our deaths.

Item We give & bequeath unto Mrs. Sarah Gerrish wife of Lieut. John Gerrish & to her heirs one hundred & fifty pounds to be paid in money in Twelve Months after our Deaths.

Item. We give unto Mrs. Mary Roveck our well beloved Kins-woman Thirty pounds money or as money to be paid in Twelve months after our deaths if she be then alive & if dead then the same to be divided equally between Mr. John Danforth Minister at Dor-chester & Mr. Samuel Danforth Minister of Taunton, Mrs. Mary Bromfield and Mr. Abial Fitch as a token of our Love.

Item. We give & bequeath unto Mr. John Rogers Minister ten pounds Money, &c.

Item. We give unto Mrs. Margaret Leveret Ten Pounds money, &c., also our Coach with all its harness, &c., in case of her death then to her eldest child by Mr. Leveret then living, &c.

We give & bequeath unto Mrs. Nancy Wade wife of Mr. Nathaniel Wade Eight Pounds money, &c.

Item we give to Mrs. Elizabeth Wade of Mystick, now widow Wade if then Living, five pounds money as a token of our Love.

Item. We Give to Mrs. Anna Whitmor formerly Anna Pearce, five pounds money.

Item. We give to the Reverend Benjamin Woodbridge & to the Rev. Mr. Timothy Woodbridge five pounds a piece in money.

Item. We give to the Rev. John Wigglesworth Minister of Mal-den six pounds money & the Rev. Mr. Samuel Willard misister at Boston six pounds money.

Item. We give unto Gapt. Jno. Wilson of Brantrey five pounds Money.

Item. We give and bequeath unto Mrs. Ann Dudley now second daughter to the Honble Gov. Joseph Dudley fifty pounds money, &c.

Item. We Give and bequeath unto the two Daughters of our Sister Eliza Hobbs now living in Crookhorn, England, Margaret & Eliza Hobbs, Twenty Pounds a piece in money, &c.

Item, We give unto our sister Margaret Forgeson now living in Marteneco twenty pounds money.

Item, We give unto Ellenor Owen three pounds money.

Item, We give unto Mr. Josiah Woolcot eldest child, grand child

to Mr. John Freeke six pounds in money to buy a small piece of Plate.

Item, We do give & bequeath unto our cousin John Gerrish & Sarah his boy Jethro for to live with him & her untill he is thirty years of age which he will be the twentieth day of February, 1725 and at that time the boy is to be free for himself & we do pray our Cousin Gerrish for to teach the boy his trade perfectly & then when he is free for himself which will be in the year 1725 we do give & bequeath to him five pounds money.

Item. We do give & bequeath to all our negroes three pounds a piece in money or as money.

Item. That in case I Nicholas Paige do Dye before my beloved wife then I do make & appoint her to be whole & sole Executrix of this my last will & Testament during her life & she is to enjoy the whole Estate so long as she liveth & at the death of my beloved wife then we do both of us with our consent make nominate & hereby do make & appoint our beloved Kinswoman Mrs. Martha Hobbs to be our whole & sole Exer'x to us both of this our Last will & Testament & do hereby Give & bequeath unto her our Execx all our Estate Real & Personal. This farm we now live on at Romney Marsh & the Farm William Owen now liveth on which is besides the Farm John Chamberlin liveth on which we have Given unto Mr. Paul Dudley. Also we give & bequeath unto her our Exec'x all our houses & Lands lying & being in Boston & all our Debts due to us here & elsewhere to her & to her Heirs forever, She satisfying & paying all our Just Debts & Legacys by us owing & by this present Will Disposed of. But in case that this our Execx Mrs. Martha Hobbs should have no children or dye without children then in that Case our will is that her husband shall enjoy the Estate during his Life & at his death we do hereby will & bequeath the whole Estate of housing & Lands both in Boston Town & Romney Marsh unto our cousin William Paige now in London in England & to his Heirs forever & Lastly we do hereby nominate & appoint & Desire our good friends his Excellency Joseph Dudley our new Honored Gov'r & Coll. Nathaniel Thomas for to be our Overseers of this our Last Will & Testament humbly beseeching them that they will be pleased for to be helpful in Advising & Guiding our Exec'x in Ordering & Governing the whole Estate Real & Personal in behalf & for the Good of our Exec'x Inabling her the better to pay & satisfy all our Just Debts & Legacys. To whom we do Give & bequeath as a Pledge of our Real Love fifty pounds a piece in money & we do further & earnestly request of our Honored overseers for to advise & Councill this our Exec'x in her marriage with any person that she may marry with all we do hereby leave it as a Solemn Charge

upon her & as our Dying request that she do take your advice therein & be very careful how she doth dispose of herself in marriage & that she match unto a Good Family & with one yt feareth God that so neither the nors of air an Estate be not thrown away in her match & In Testimony whereof we do acknowledge & Declare this to be our Last Will & Testament hereby declaring all others to be void & of no force & for evidence of the same we set our hands & Seals in Romney Marsh, the fourteenth day of April, 1703, & in the Second year of the Reign of Queen Anne, &c.

NICHOLAS PAIGE, & a Seal.

ANNA PAIGE, & a Seal.

Signed Sealed & Published by  
the within written Nicholas Paige, Esq.,  
& Dame Anna, his wife, to be their  
Last will & Testament in the presence  
of

JOHN LEVERETT,  
WILLIAM DUDLEY,  
STEPHEN NORTH,  
THOMAS HARWOOD. Exam'd.

A true copy as of Record p. John Boydell Reg.

JOHN BOYDELL, Reg.

Capt. Nathan'll Oliver and Mrs. Martha Hobbs were married by the Rev'd Mr. Eben'r Pendleton Minist'r, Novemb'r the 30th, 1709.

A true Copy as Entred in the Registry of Marriages for the Town of Boston.

Attest, SAM'L CHECKLEY, Town Clerk.

Boston, Jan'y 16th, 1727.

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DEED FROM NATHANIEL OLIVER AND WIFE MARTHA TO OLIVE NOYES  
OF BOSTON.

To all People to whom this present Deed of Sale shall come, Nathaniel Oliver of Boston in the County of Suffolk & Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England Merch't & Martha his wife Sole Execut'x of the last Will and Testament of Coll. Nicholas Paige late of Romney Marsh within the Township of Boston aforesd, Esq., Dec'd, & Residuary Legatee in the said Will named send Greeting: Whereas many other things in the said Will contained One moiety or full half part of the Island called Roanoke situate

& being in the County of Albemarle in the Province of Carolina is by the said Nicholas Paige given & bequeathed unto the said Martha wch the said Nicholas Paige bought of Joshua Lamb, who purchased of Sir Wm. Berkeley one of the Proprietors of Carolina & Albemarle as by a deed for the same from Sir William Berkeley to the said Lamb bearing date the 14 April, 1676. May appear Now Know ye that We the said Nathaniel Oliver & Martha Oliver for & in consideration of the sum of Two Hundred & forty Pounds in money to us in hand at and before the Ensealing & delivering hereof well & truly paid by Oliver Noyes of Boston aforesaid, Esqr., The Receipt whereof we hereby acknowledge & thereof acquit & discharge the said Oliver Noyes his heirs & assigns for Ever, Have given, granted, bargained & sold released, enfeoffed conveyed & confirmed & by these Presents do fully & Absolutely give, grant, bargain, sell, release, enfeoffe, convey & confirm unto the said Oliver Noyes his Heirs & Assigns for Ever all that our afore recited Moyety or Half Part of the Island Roanoke aforesaid together with one Half Part of the Marishes Houses & Buildings and what is thereon standing, growing & being as also the Half part of all Cattle Hogs & other stock &c., To Have and to Hold, &c.

And the said Nathaniel & Martha Oliver have hereunto set our hands & seals this 30th day of December, 1719.

NATHANIEL OLIVER, & a Seal,  
MARTHA OLIVER, & a Seal.

Signed, Sealed & Delivered in  
presence of us, PETER OLIVER, ROBT. ROE.

Rec'd on the day of the date above of Oliver Noyes, Esq., Two hundred & forty pounds being ye full consideration within expressed.

p NATH'L OLIVER.

Suffolk, Ss., Boston, Jan'y 22nd, 1719. The above named Nathaniel & Martha Oliver personally appearing acknowledged the afore within Instrum't, to be their full act & deed. Before me Dan'l Oliver Just. Pac.

Examined p J. WILLARD, *Sect'y.*

A true copy from the Records in the Secretary's Office in Boston.

Examined p J. WILLARD, *Sect'y.*

On April 4, 1721. Samuel Sewall Commissioned by His Excellency Samuel Shute, Esq., Governor of Massachusetts Bay in New England issued letters of administration to Katharine Noyes of Boston upon the Estate of her deceased husband Oliver Noyes, Certified by John Boyddell, Regt.

On April 12, 1721. Jonathan Belcher qualified as Guardian of

Sarah Noyes a minor aged about 11 yrs, Anna Noyes a minor aged about 12 years, children of Oliver Noyes of Boston, Certificate signed by Samuel Sewall & certified to by John Boydel, Reg'r.

Then follows a Power of Attorney from Katharine Noyes to Col. Edward Moseley dated Jan'y 8, 1727, witnessed by Jona Belcher, & Richard Hubbard, attested by Samuel Tyley Not' Pub', also another Power of Attorney from Jona Belcher to Col. Edward Moseley bearing the same date & witnessed by Katharine Noyes and Rich'd Hubbard, attested by Sam'l Tyley Not' Pub', to take charge of their interest and estate consisting of one moiety or half part of Roanoke Island. (In No. 2 of the Register page 306, will be found other interesting items relating to Roanoke Island, for 1764 in the 2nd item read 1704, the former was a typographical error.)

So much interest centres in Roanoke Island as the first white settlement in America, (antedating that of James Town in Virginia by about twenty years and that at Plymouth, Mass., by about thirty three years) and being the birthplace of Virginia Dare the first white child born on American soil, we have thought any early records referring to the Island would be interesting to our readers. Not only to North Carolinians, but as well to all Americans where soever they may be found. Virginia Dare was the daughter of Ananias Dare and his wife Ellenor daughter of Gov. White, the Executive of the Colony. Roanoke Island is a historic spot, all our history begins there, it is the centre of interest from a historical standpoint.

#### MONEY DISBURSED ON ACCT. OF THE CHURCH.

	£	s.	d.
1736. Paid to Cook for bringing over Boards.....	6	0	0
Augt. 6th. To do for 215 Bushels of Shells c1-6.....	18	7	6
May 10. To money for clearing Lotts.....	12	0	0
Augt. 6. To Do in part for Bricks.....	100	0	0
Sept. 26. To Do .....	100	0	0
Jan'y 4. Do to Mr. Bonner.....	36	0	0
1737.			
May 2d. Pd. Do .....	28	15	0
“ “ Capt. Cozier for $\frac{1}{2}$ Ton of Iron.....	95	0	0
June 1st. Pd. for 112 Bushels of Shells c1-6.....	8	8	0
2. Pd for 200 Do c1-8.....	16	13	4
13. Pd for 129 do & 10 S for a hand.....	10	4	0
To 191 Do & getting them ashore.....	14	7	6
To 675 Do c1-6 & getting them ashore 3. 7. 6.	54	0	0

25.	To 150 Do & bringing them ashore.....	11	5	0
30.	To 53 Do .....	3	19	6
July 6.	To 100 Do c1-6.....	12	16	6
18.	To 269 Do c1-6.....	20	2	6
Augt. 9th.	To 141 Do c.....	10	11	0
	To Capt'n Turnbull for scaffolding Rope....	1	16	0
Sept. 19th.	To Cook for Scaffolding Rope.....	3	0	0
	Pd Mr. Richards for a hogshhead to fetch water	1	0	0
Oct. 10.	To Mr. Paget for Hyde for Scaffolding.....	6	0	0
	To 2 hydes found myself for do.....	3	0	0
	To Hackett in part for 293 br. Shells.....	11	0	0
.13.	To 275 bs Shells.....	20	12	6
24.	To 286 Do .....	21	9	0
Nov. 23.	To Hackett for Shells.....	10	0	0
Dec. 5.	To the Bricklayer .....	561	0	0
	To 3½ Days 2 negroes work omitted.....	3	10	0
	To money pd for the Gabb'd work on the East end window .....	20	0	0
	To Mr. Sherwyn for **** Expenses in agree- ing with Cookman.....	29	0	0
	Pd to Potter by Beef & Davis for bringing over plank .....	20	0	0
	To money pd Potter by him.....	37	0	0
	To Robinson for Hodirons.....	6	0	0
	" Trotter for Carting .....	10	15	0
	" Shells omitted .....	3	0	0
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				1317 12 4

## CONTRA.

Of Wm. Smith £100, Maxwell £50, Mr. Hope 25£ .....	£175	0	0
Of Mr. Richards 25£, Mr. Payne 50£, Mr. Trotter 20£ .....	95	0	0
Mr. Maney 10£, Col. Scarborough 10£, Col. Hill 20£ .....	40	0	0
Capt'n Gale 50£, Mr. Thos. Blount 30£, Dr. Blackall 16£ 13s 0d.....	96	13	0
Ross 10£, Mr. Anderson 15£, Mr. Mont- gomery 35£.....	60	0	0
Of the Parish 195£ .....	195	0	0
To several sums I am to pay to such people as are indebted to ye Church, viz: Trotter,			

Mr. Paget, Mr. Jones, Mr. Moseley, Jno.			
Wynns, Dr. Blackall, amounting to .....	94	0	0
My own subscription .....	100	0	0
By more Parish money to Baker.....	205	0	0
By Trotter's Carting .....	20	15	0
“ Forster .....	100	0	0-1317 12 4
“ Bryan .....	10	0	0-1191 8 0

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Balance .....	126	4	4
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The above is a copy of a paper found in the records of St. Paul's Parish, Edenton, N. C., and relates to the money received and disbursed for the building of St. Paul's Church commenced May 10, 1736 and ready for Divine Worship April 10, 1760. The above account embraces only the items for the years 1736 & 1737, and amounts to about \$6,600. There are expenditures for the other 22 years to give the total cost of the Church, these have not yet come to light. It is to be regretted that no name attaches to the paper, to designate the name of the Treasurer, or Commissioners in charge of the building.

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### LETTER FROM THOMAS GARRETT RELATING TO THE MEHERRIN INDIANS.

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(Original in the Court House at Edenton )

October the 17, 1706.

HONRBLE SR: I thought to a beane ye bearer myself butt not being well at present having a could I thought going from home might increase it theire fore I send my Son to give ye acounte about the Indians they weare gon to Meaherin Towne no men at the Cabins uppon Lewis Williams Land. I tould them to get together all the Indians and I would tell them my business then and I warned them of Lewis Williams his land and to be gon with theire Towne and Cabins outhur wise they must expectt to be forced of if they did not be gon by the twenty day of this Instant making them senseable the meaning plane of this warning, making them sensable the \*\*\* and danger they would bring upon them selves if they did not hasten a way by the time limited. And after a long Consultation a mongst them-selves Theire Answer it would Ruin them to Remove now. All Indians is a going a great way of a hunting now is the time a year to gett skins be sides they must shell theire towne be for they can remove it and bark will not strip now they can not Break up theire cabins, again neather have Anny land to go tow

for the great towne is full they say but this winter they will provide them selves with land and Remove all they have by the Spring thear of Lewis Williams land; they desire to have liberty till the Spring but if they can not have the liberty the Inglis may work this winter upon the land only, they are very dutifull they will receave great damidges by reason theire Towne and Cabins lieth all open they desired that we might make no lise of them for they heard some doth make a great many lise of them they did not give a mis be having word to Anny body but were very civell and kinde more Resons then I doe hear express for their not removing this winter.

Your humble Servant to command,

THO. GARRETT.

“At a Councill helde at ye house of Capt. Jno. Hecklefield on Little River ye 5th day of Nov., 1706. Present Honble. Wm. Glover, Esq., Thomas Pollock, Sam'l Swann, Rd Sanderson, Jno. Arden, Francis Forster, Esq., Lord Deputies.

Upon Petition of Meherrin Indians praying they may have time till ye Spring to remove their corne & effects. Ordered that they may have to ye last of March to remove their effects to the other side of Meherrin River and no longer.”

## PETITION OF CERTAIN PERSONS TO THE HONB. GRAND COURT.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

North Carolina March ye 26, 1713.

To the Honb Grand Corte and ye Gentt her Majist, Justices Ther setting. The Honble Pertision of your Loyall subjects Humbly sheweth.

That your partisioners Having business depending in ye Generall Cort, that is to be held ye Last of this month & we are forst to keep in Close garrasons for fere of ye Ingons & darst not leave our famelies To cume to Courte, we Humbly Begg yt what business Is there in Court against any of us may Ly tell the next Court & yt no advantage may be Taken Against any of us nor our Securities nor ye Marshall for we are very rady & willing to give our attendance as soon as we dare to Leave our families which We Hope will be Before ye Next Court. We hope yt your Honners will Consider



what danger we are in at this Present time and your pertesiners is ever in Duty Bound to pray.

JOHN MIXON,  
WILLIAM JOHNSON,  
ARCHABELL HARTLE,  
AMBROSE MCCOY, Senr.

Affidavit relating to the Indians. 1707-8.

In and abt ye month of September, 1707. I being yn att Pamticough & Archibald Holmes Coming yn on board my Sloop wth Sev'll others told me yt they expected ye Indians every day to come & Cutt their throats & yt they had no pson to head ym or Else they would goe & secure all ye Pamticough Indians & yt the ye sd Holmes made severell reflecting words on Maj. Gale wch ye sd Deponent does not now remember and further saith nott.

ROBT. KINGHAM.

Capt. et Jurat Quarto,  
Febry Ano Dom 1707-8.  
Before me,  
W. GLOVER.

## ASSEMBLY ITEMS.

A Proclamation for dissolving this Present Assembly and the Speedy calling of another.

No. Carolina Ss. By the Honble Dep'ty Governor & Councill.

Whereas Severall of the Members of this present Assembly which mett at ye house of Capt. Jno. Hecklefield in Little River the fifth of November Last pursuant to an Act of Assembly and by prorogation continued to the fifteenth day of Jan'y next. After many repeated affronts Manifest Contempts and Deceits refused to Qualify themselves by taking such Oaths as might make them Capable of doing the Country Business to the great loss of tyme the very great and unnecessary charge of the Publick and to the great Grievance of the Publick Creditors for Prevention whereof Wee have thought fitt to dissolve this Present Assembly and Wee doe by this our Proclamation dissolve the same accordingly.

And Wee hereby make Known to all the Inhabitants of this Colony that wee have Jurisdiction for the Issuing out of Writs in our Course of Law for the Calling of a New Assembly which shall begin and be holden at the Home of Capt. Jno. Hecklefield in Little River on the one & twentieth day of June next. Given under our

hands and the seal of the Colony this third day of December Anno Domi, 1705.

SAMUEL SWANN,  
JOHN ARDERNE,

THOMAS CARY,  
THOMAS POLLOCK,  
EDWARD MOSELEY.

### PROROGATION OF ASSEMBLY.

North Carolina Ss. By the Honble the Governor and Council.

Whereas the Present Assembly stands adjourned to Monday the 4th of August, wee doe hereby Publish and Declare that the sd Assembly shall be further adjourned to Tuesday the first day of November and we doe hereby further declare that the sd Assembly shall on the sd first of November be held and set for the dispatch of Divers Affairs, and all the Members of the Lower House are hereby required and commanded to give their attendance accordingly. Given under our hands and the Seal of the Collony this 30th day of July in the fourth yeare of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King George Anno Domi., (1717).

God save the King.

FRED JONES,  
THO. POLLOCK,  
WM. REED.

CHARLES EDEN,  
RICHARD SANDERSON,  
FRAN. FOSTER,

J. LOVICK, Sect'y.

### A PHYSICIANS ACCOUNT IN 1694.

(Original in Court House Edenton.)

MR. ARTER WORKMAN, July 24, 1694.		£	s.	d
To my visit & 1 dose pill Anodyne at . . . . .		0	15	0
July 25th To 1 Dose phisick & 1 dose pill Anodine at . . . . .		0	08	0
26 " 1 Emetic & 1 one pill Anodyne at . . . . .		0	08	0
27 My attendance at . . . . .				
28 1 Dose physick & 1 dose pill Anodine at . . . . .		0	08	0
29 1 emett & 1 pill Anodine at . . . . .		0	08	0
30 1 dose pill Anodine at . . . . .		0	05	0
Aug 14 Several glisters administered at night . . . . .		0	15	0
" 1 pill Anodine . . . . .		0	05	0
2 3 doses pills Anodine at . . . . .		0	15	0
To 8 days attendance at 10s per day . . . . .		4	00	0
8 My visit at Mr. Jno. Godfreys, Jalep & attend . . . . .		0	16	0
Sep 26 My visit at Madam Clark's . . . . .		0	10	0
		£9	13	0

JONH KING, M. D.

Arthur Workman lived at Little River Perquimans Precinct.

## TONNAGE DUTIES PAID IN POWDER, SHOT AND FLINTS.

(Original in Court House at Edenton.)

## ANTHO HATCH DR. TO THE PUBLIC.

		Tons	Powder. lbs.	Shot. lbs. oz.	Flints. Doz.
Dec. 3rd.	1714.	James Darrrell. Sloop James & Edward.	29	9.10	38.10
" "	"	James Nolan Sloop Providence.	37	12.5	49.5
" 4	1714.	Daniel Burgess Sloop Ruben.	30	10.0	40.0
" 8	"	Daniel Spawford Sloop Sarah.	40	13.5	53.5
" 18	"	Thomas Beadle Sloop George.	32½	10.8	43.8
" 19	"	Eliakim Swain Sloop Brother Adunlar.	15	05.0	20.0
Jan'y 3	"	Charles Howell Sloop Mary.	30	10.0	40.0
" 10	"	John Mitchell Sloop Hannah & Mary.	32	10.12	42.12
" 21	"	Thos. Hunderys Sloop Sary.	40	13.5	53.5
" "	"	David Prince Sloop Adventure.	30	10.0	40.0
" "	"	Benj Pickman Sloop Abigail.	45	15.	60.
" "	"	Thomas Faulkes Sloop Dolphin.	30	10	40.
Feb 14	1714-15	John Ela Brigantine Eagle.	49½	16.8½	65.¾
" "	"	Saml Dearly Sloop Fisher.	23½	07.13	21.5
Mch 1st	"	Thomas Hatch Sloop Seaflower.	33	11.	44.
" 12	"	John Vinnard Sloop Merian.	15	05	20.
Apr 19	1715.	Mr. Miles Cary Sloop Mary Williamsburg.	8	02.10½	10.10½
May 12	1715.	Charles Howell Sloop Mary.	30	10	40.
June 5	1715.	Nehemiah Ealles Sloop Two Brothers.	30	10.	40.
			192.5	761.9	192.2

## ACCT OF POWDER, SHOT &amp; FLINTS DELIVERED FOR YE COTNTRY'S USE.

Dec 25	1714.	Delivered Maj'r Hecklefield as per Rt.			36
Jan'y 10	1714-15	do		42 ¾	
Feby 2	"	do	100		
Mch 20	"	Richd Greaves.		50.	100.
Apr 15	1715.	Jno. Palin for Boyd & Vaughan.	42.		
Apr 18	"	Maj. Hecklefield.		200.	
June 6	"	Col. Maurice Moore.	111¾	210.	362.
			253¾	502¾	498

## THE BONNER FAMILY OF BEAUFORT COUNTY, N. C.

Early in the Eighteenth Century, there came to Beaufort County, N. C., three brothers surnamed Bonner, their Christian names being Thomas, James and William. They came directly from the State of Maryland where they had sojourned possibly some years, having emigrated from England. William settled in some adjoining or not far distant county, not yet definitely ascertained. James settled the Town of Washington in Beaufort Co., N. C., which before its charter was known as Pea Town. He died unmarried and was buried on his premises, the spot being on what is now the south portion of Main Street just East of Bonner Street; when Main Street was extended beyond and just East of Bonner St., his remains were removed to the extreme South west corner of the present Episcopal Church yard and cornered by Main and Bonner Streets. The inscription plate has been displaced from the flat stone over his remains hence we have no accurate date.

Thomas located on what he named Bonner Hill one mile North of the Town his brother settled and the estate composed miles of pasture and timber lands.

His remains lie interred at the old family burying ground, probably selected by himself, it is less than a stone's throw from his dwelling-house and is located on that part of Bonner Hill known as the Sycamore where the Smallwoods now live. We copy the inscription on the stone which marks his resting place:

"Beneath this stone lies the body of Thomas Bonner, Esq., who departed this life 7th of April, 1765, aged 75 yrs."

He was Sheriff of Beaufort Co., in 1759. He married Abigail ———; who bore him the following children:

(A) Henry, (B) Thomas, (C) Elizabeth, (D) Sarah md ——— Bryan. (E) Abigail md Simon Jones, (F) Mary md John Harvey, (G) Ann md Edward Salter, (H) James (Col.) md Mary Snode.

A. Children of Henry Bonner who married the daughter of Col. John Snode. (He was in 1776 Major of a North Carolina Regiment in active service for the Independence of his Country. His will was executed in 1779. He is buried at the Sycamore, but no tomb marks his grave)—his children are as follows:

(a) Mary md ——— Newman, 2nd ——— Carraway, (b) William, (c) Henry Snode, (d) Patience born Sept. 27, 1763, md Chas. Cook, died Sept. 27, 1823, (e) James, (f) Ann, (g) Edward, (h) Elizabeth Snode.

(8) Col. James Bonner son of Thomas & Abigail his wife was

Colonel of the Beaufort Co., Regiment in 1775 (Wheeler's History of N. C. page 29). The town of Washington was laid off on his farm, (Book B p. 515 Beaufort Records). He married Mary Snode. His will was executed in 1782 & mentions following children:

(1) John born Sept. 15th, 1746. On his tomb at Windmill Point we find the following, "Perpetuate the memory of Capt. John Bonner title derived from his services as Mariner both on his own and country's account. He was born in the town of Washington, N. C., 15 Sept., 1746, and after an illness of seven weeks expired in his perfect senses 6th Dec., 1788. Erected by his brother James Bonner (II) and lies interred at the feet of his maternal grand-father." His will mentions his brothers James, Henry and Joseph Bonner, nephews Joseph and Wilson Blount and nephew James Foreman. He was a member of the State Senate in 1786 and 7.

(2) Sarah md Joseph Blount.

(3) James II born 1753 md Nov. 29, 1770 Sarah Wilson. Will executed 1791.

(4) Elizabeth born July 1st, 1755, md Caleb Foreman Dec. 11th, 1782, died Feb'y 2nd, 1806. Caleb Foreman was Clerk of Hyde County in 1783. He is buried in Spady's Old Field on Pungo Creek. The following is taken from his tombstone: "In Memory of Caleb Foreman who was born the 23rd Feb'y, 1751 and died the 18th of Feb'y 1790. He was a Lieutenant in the Revolutionary War in Eighth Regiment N. C. Troops."

(5) Samuel died without issue.

(6) Mary no record.

(7) Henry md Miriam Young. He and his brother sold a number of lots in Washington, N. C.

(8) Joseph md Mary ——. His will was executed Dec. 15, 1805. He had no issue, but gave his property after the death of his wife to John Y. and Joseph Bonner, his brother Henry's children. He was a seafaring man.

9. Willis no record.

(10) Ann no record.

(11) Wilson born March 14, 1760. The following is found in Col. James Bonner's Bible: "Wilson Bonner son of James Bonner & Mary his wife died on the 6 Nov., 1777, in latitude 35.25 North, Long 72 W. which happened by his falling from the topsail yard of the Brig Commerce overboard and was drowned. Aged 17 yrs, 7 mos & 22 days. The above is here recorded by his brother John Bonner who was Master of said Brig."

The Bible is in the possession of Mrs. Sallie Mayhew, Roanoke, Virginia.

B. Thomas Bonner, Jr., son of Thomas Bonner and wife Abi-

gail was Lieutenant-Colonel in the war of the Revolution and Sarah ———. He died before 1787. His children are as follows:

(1) Benjamin, ancestor of the Hyde Co. branch of the family. (B 6, p. 150 Beaufort County records).

(2) Sarah, born May 30th, 1759, and 1st Henry Norman, 2nd John Marriner Sept. 2, 1804 & died Oct. 1822.

(3) Robert S. and Mary Young. He died before 1818.

(4) Abigail and Charles Cook, Jr.

(5) Barbara born 1770 Washington, N. C., and 1st Major F. Bowler 1800, 2nd ——— Brown. She died at Cincinnati, Ohio, Aug. 22nd, 1850, where she lies interred. The name Major is a Christian name not a title.

Children of Major F. Bowler and Barbara Bonner:

(1) Sarah Louisa Bowler born Sept. 5th, 1801. (2) Robert Bonner Bowler born Providence, R. I., Dec. 8, 1803. There was no issue by the 2nd marriage. Robert Bonner Bowler and at Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 20, 1842, Susan Louisa Pendleton daughter of Nathaniel Pendleton of Cincinnati. Children (1) George Pendleton Bowler born Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb'y 22d, 1846, died in Paris, France, Mch 23d, 1878. (2) Robert Bonner Bowler born Cincinnati Jan'y 17th, 1856. (3) Louisa Foote Bowler born Cincinnati Mch 27th, 1861. Three other children died in infancy their names were Nathaniel Pendleton Bowler born Cincinnati, Ohio, died July 15, 1843; Jesse Hunt Bowler born Cincinnati, Ohio July 31st, 1848 died May 28, 1850; Jane Hunt Bowler born at Cincinnati, Ohio, about 1850, died April 2nd, 1856.

George Pendleton Bowler and Oct. 15th, 1867 in Paris, France, May Williamson daughter of George T. Williamson and Jane Taylor Williamson, of Cinn., Ohio. Their children are Robert Pendleton born July 25, 1871. George Pendleton Bowler born Sept. 21, 1878. Address, New York.

Robert Bonner Bowler and in London, England, Aug. 8th, 1877, Alice Bernard Williamson, daughter of George T. Williamson and Jane Taylor Williamson, of Cincinnati, Ohio. Children (1) Robert Bonner Bowler, Jr., born Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 4th, 1880; (2) Jane Taylor Bowler, born Little Boar's Head, N. H., Aug. 17th, 1882; Alice Bowler, born Washington, D. C., Feb'y 21st, 1894; Louisa Foote Bowler and in Berlin, Germany, John C. Livingston, of New York, Child Louise Alida.

Sarah Louisa Bowler, born Sept. 5th, 1801, married Oct. 22d, 1818, Ezra Foote, died Sept. 12, 1888. Mr. Foote died Aug. 28, 1887. Their children were (1) Mary Ann, born Sept. 14th, 1819, died March 31st, 1899; (2) Charles Bowler, born Sept. 10th, 1821; (3) Caroline Amelia, born Oct. 12th, 1823, died; (4) Sarah Louisa,

born April 26, 1826, died Oct. 3, 1826; (5) Edward Augustus, born Oct. 22, 1827, died Dec. 8, 1878; (6) Sarah Louisa, born Jan. 23, 1830, died Jan. 25, 1831; (7) Robert B., born June 4, 1832, died Nov. 11, 1867.

Mary Ann Foote, born Sept. 14, 1819, md Rev. Henry Tullidge, Sept. 17, 1845, died Mch. 31st, 1899; Dr. Tullidge died Mch. 18th, 1897. Of their children seven died in infancy; those now living are (1) Edward Kilbourne, born Aug. 14, 1854; (2) Sarah Foote, born Feb. 16, 1860; (3) George Bowler, born Feb. 16, 1860.

Edward Kilbourne Tullidge, born Augt. 14th, 1854, md Elizabeth Muhlenburg Irwin, of Phila., Pa., July 16th, 1884. No issue. Their address is The Rev. and Mrs. Edward K. Tullidge, 924 Walnut St., Phila., Pa.

George Bowler Tullidge, born Feb'y 16th, 1860, md Katharine O'Donnell, of Phila., Jan. 4, 1887. They have had six children; two died in infancy. Those living are (1) Mary Louisa, born Nov. 20th, 1887; (2) Edward Kilbourne, born Sept. 3, 1890; (3) Margaret Agnes, born Aug. 17, 1892; (4) Katharine Bulkley, born Dec. 25, 1895. Address, Dr. & Mrs. George B. Tullidge, N. E. Cor. 54th St. & Lansdowne Ave., West, Phila., Pa. Miss Sarah F. Tullidge's present address is Care of Charles B. Foote, 2535 Moorman Avenue, Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Charles Bowler Foote, born Sept. 10, 1821, Md Sarah Ewing Hall, of Cincinnati, Apl. 3, 1851. Their children were (1) Mary Posey, born Apl. 12, 1852; (2) James Hall, born Feb'y 19, 1854; (3) Edward Kilbourne, born Mch. 4, 1857; (4) Charles Bowler, born June 11, 1859; (5) William Whiteman, born Jan. 4, 1862, died July 23, 1873; (6) Fanny Hall, born Mch. 28, 1864, died Feb. 9, 1865; (7) Louisa Bowler, born Apl. 3, 1866; (8) Roger, born Aug. 10, 1869, died Apl. 12, 1870.

Caroline Amelia Foote (2nd daughter of Ezra and Louisa Bowler Foote), born in Middle Haddam, Conn., Oct. 12, 1823, md to Edward Kilbourne, of Iowa, July 26, 1843, died in N. Y. City, Nov. 12, 1882. Children (1) Louisa Bowler Kilbourne, born at Fort Madison, Iowa, Nov. 6, 1845, md Dr. Edwin A. Kilbourne, of Elgin, Ill., Jan'y 17, 1872; (Dr. K. died at Elgin, Feb. 26th, 1890); (2) Charles Foote Kilbourne, born at Keokuk, Iowa, Jan. 28, 1848, died in 1851; (3) Henry Wells Kilbourne, born at Keokuk, Iowa, June 2, 1851, md Mary Haight, of Peekskill, N. Y., July 27, 1870. Has had four children and resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.; (4) Edward Foote Kilbourne, born at Keokuk, Iowa, April 4, 1853, died in 1854; (5) Mary Tullidge Kilbourne, born at Keokuk, Iowa, Aug. 6, 1855, md Dr. Eldorus DeMotte Lyon, of Peekskill, N. Y., June 17, 1880. Resides at Peekskill. No children; (6 &

7) Alfred Lewis and Arthur Foote Kilbourne, born at Keokuk, Iowa, Jan. 5, 1858. Alfred L. resides in Brooklyn, N. Y., and is unmarried. Arthur md Ella Donahower, of St. Peter, Minn., and resides at Rochester, Minn., where he is Medical Supt. of the State Insane Hospital. He has two children.

(8) Caroline Foote Kilbourne, born at Keokuk, Iowa, May 23, 1862, md Frank A. Kellogg, of N. Y. City, and resides there.

Louisa Bowler Kilbourne (wife of Dr. Edwin A. Kilbourne). Children (1) Jennie Louise Kilbourne, born in Elgin, Ill., May 18, 1873, md Charles H. Dutro, of Chicago, June 21, 1892. Resides in Milwaukee, Wis.; (2) Walter Foote Kilbourne, born at Elgin, Ill., Oct. 10, 1874, is unmarried and resides in Chicago; (3) Edwin Dearborn Kilbourne, born at Elgin, Ill., June 6, 1877, md Alberta I. Marshall, June 8, 1899. Is a Physician and resides in Chicago. Has one child Janet Louise, born in Chicago, June 2, 1900.

Henry Wells Kilbourne, md Mary Haight, July 27, 1870. Children (1) Daniel Haight Kilbourne, born in Peekskill, N. Y., May 22, 1871, died in July, 1878; (2) Annie Louise Kilbourne, born at Peekskill, N. Y., in 1872, died in 1876; (3) Lucy Allen Kilbourne, born in New York City, June 12, 1878, md Edward Larrabee, in Aug., 1898, and had one child, Eldorus DeMotte, who died when only a few months old; (4) Dorothy Kilbourne, born ————. She is now about twelve years old.

Edward Kilbourne Foote, 2nd Son of Charles Bowler and Sarah Hall Foote, was born March 4, 1857. He was married in St. Andrews Church, Aberdeen, Scotland, Aug. 30, 1886, to Margaret Knight Ingram, daughter of John Ingram, Surgeon of Oldmeldrum, Scotland. Their only child, Reginald Charles Ingram, was born in Venice, Italy, Sept. 28, 1889, and died and was buried there in 1890. Mr. & Mrs. E. Kilbourne Foote are both artists and live abroad. Their present address is Poste Restante, Venice, Italy.

Charles Bowler Foote, Jr., (3rd son of Charles Bowler and Sarah Hall Foote), was born June 11, 1859, md Mollie Williams, of Cincinnati, Feb. 6, 1889. They have four children (1) Eleanor Williams, born May 31, 1890; (2) Ellis Burdette, born June 17, 1892; (3) Nathaniel, born Oct. 20, 1894; (4) Mary Ellis, born Sep. 17, 1899. Addresses, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Foote, Miss Mary P. Foote, Miss Louisa B. Foote, James H. Foote all same address, 2535 Moorman Avenue, Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Foote, Jr., 1343 Burdette Avenue, Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Caroline Amelia Foote, born Oct. 12, 1823, md Edward Kilbourne, July 26, 1843. Addresses of three of their children, Mrs. Louisa B. Kilbourne, Kimbark Avenue, Chicago, Illinois; Mrs. E.



D. M. Lyon, Peekskill, N. Y.; Dr. Arthur F. Kilbourne, Rochester, Minn.

Edward Augustus Foote, born Oct. 22d, 1827, md Sarah A. Bowler in Prov., R. I., July 16, 1861, died Dec. 8, 1878. Their children were (1) Edward Bowler, born Ap'l 30, 1862; (2) Robert Bonner Bowler, born Mch, 15, 1867; (3) Edward Augustus, born Jan. 1, 1869; (4) Susan Louisa Bowler, born Oct. 22, 1870; (5) Amy Lee, born July 10, 1872; (6) Roger Lee, born June 25, 1874; (7) Alice Bradford, born Jan. 25, 1876; two children died in infancy. Addresses, Mrs. Sarah Bowler Foote, Henry B. Foote, Susan L. B. Foote, Amy Lee Foote, Alice Bradford Foote, No. 2628 Hackberry St., East Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, Ohio. Rev. R. B. Foote, South Centre St., Terre Haute, Ind. Edward A Foote and Roger L. Foote, Williamson Building, Cleveland, Ohio.

Robert Bonner Foote, born June 4, 1832, md Louisa Foote Bowler, of Providence, R. I., April 30, 1861, died Nov. 11, 1867; Their children were Daniel Bowler, born Oct. 8, 1862; Eliza Bowler, born June 11, 1867; other two children died in infancy. Address, Mrs. R. B. Foote, 1115 Yale Avenue, Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, Ohio.

———— Carroway and wife Mary nee Bonner are the ancestors of the Burbanks of Washington, N. C.

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## THE EDENTON TEA PARTY.

Was held Oct. 25th, 1774, it was composed of fifty-two of the Ladies of Edenton and vicinity, that such a gathering actually occurred, is clearly proven by the following extract of a letter from Arthur P. Iredell, of London, to his brother James Iredell, of Edenton, N. C. The letter is dated

London, Queen's Square, Jan. 31st, 1775, and says  
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 "What do you think? Pray are you become patriotic? *I see by the newspapers, the Edenton ladies have signalized themselves by their protest against tea-drinking.* The name of Johnston I see among others; are any of my Sister's relations patriotic heroines? Is there a female Congress at Edenton too? I hope not for we Englishmen are afraid of the Male Congress, but if the Ladies, who have ever, since the Amazonian era, been esteemed the most formidable enemies, if they, I say, should attack us, the most fatal Consequence is to be dreaded, So dexterous in the handling of a dart, each wound they give is mortal; Whilst we so unhappily formed by nature, the more we strive to conquer them,

the more we are conquered! The Edenton ladies, Conscious, I suppose, of this Superiority on their side, by former experience, are willing, I imagine, to crush us into atoms, by their omnipotency; the only security on our side, to prevent the impending ruin, that I can perceive, is the probability that there are but few places in America which possess so much female Artillery as Edenton. Pray let me know all the particulars when you favor me with a letter." (Life and Correspondence of James Iredell Vol. I pages 230-1.)

This letter is dated just three months and seven days after the meeting. As sail-vessels only existed at that time, from Edenton to London required sometimes two or more months, to compass the journey across the Atlantic. We could not well establish the fact, by better testimony, save a copy of some newspaper published about that date, containing the resolutions and names of the participants.

Again some years afterwards, Lt. W. T. Muse of the U. S. Navy was in the Port of Mahon, Island of Minorca, and discovered in a shop there, a painting on glass, purporting to be a caricature of The "Edenton Tea Party." Some of the faces were so well developed in the picture that they were easily recognized. Lt. Muse purchased the picture, and on his return to Edenton, presented it to the ladies of the town, the writer remembers to have seen it in his youth quite often, in one of the offices of the Court House in Edenton, where it remained for a number of years, by some accident it was broken, but the fragments were preserved, and a few years since our highly esteemed townsman Dr. Richard Dillard, secured them, placed them together, and at his own expense, had the picture reproduced on canvas, by a competent artist, and presented it to the North Carolina State Library where it can be seen.

The meeting was held at the house of Mrs. Elizabeth King, in the town of Edenton, N. C. Mrs. King then lived in a house facing to the East on the "Old Court House Square," the old structure was razed about fifteen years ago, to give place to a more modern building, we regret the town did not purchase it, and retain it as a souvenir of the event. The full text of the resolutions passed at this meeting, seem to have been lost, diligent search has been made, we regret without success, to find them, the only fragment that has been preserved appears in Wheeler's History of North Carolina, Vol. II, page 90, and is as follows:

EDENTON, NORTH CAROLINA.

25th Oct., 1774.

"As we cannot be indifferent on any occasion that appears to affect the peace and happiness of our Country, and as it has been thought necessary for the public good to enter into several particular resolves

by a meeting of the members of the deputies from the whole province, it is a duty we owe, not only to our near and dear relations, and connections but to ourselves, who are essentially interested in their welfare, to do everything as far as lies in our power to testify our sincere adherence to the same; we therefore do accordingly subscribe this paper as a witness of our fixed intention and solemn determination."

"Signed by Fifty-six Ladies."

Wheeler says fifty-six ladies but the correct number is fifty-two. Only five of these fifty-two were positively and definitely known until a very short time since, the list had been lost; many days and hours have been spent, in the attempt to rescue it from its grave of oblivion, and all hope of ever finding it, had about vanished, when lo! a message from Durham, N. C., brought the welcome intelligence of its recovery. Capt. J. Beverly Hunter, of the *Durham Recorder*, whose ancestress—Charlotte Hunter, was one of the number composing the party, is entitled to the credit for having snatched from oblivion the names of these highly patriotic and noble ladies. Their names appear as follows:

Mrs. Penelope Barker, Presd't; Mrs. Elizabeth King, Vice-Presd't, and Mrs. Winnefred Hoskins, Secretary; Miss Isabella Johnston, Mrs. Sarah Valentine, Fanny Morgan, Mrs. Sarah Littlejohn, Ann Blount Little, Margaret Bond, Ann Grandy, Mary Muse, Frances Johnston, Hannah Iredell, Jean Blair, Margaret McKenzie, Sophia Gallop, Maria Louise Skinner, Benedicta Smith, Clara Cotton, Cornelia Manning, Adelaide Knox, Cora Norfleet, Mary Swann, Amelia Collin, Sallie Hathaway, Edney Roulhac, Amelia Rice, Elizabeth Roberts, Charlotte Hunter, Penelope Hill, Betsey Walton, Jane Hinton, Mariah Beasley, Nellie Blair, Ann Hathaway, Lucy Bonner, Helen Miller, Peggy Cox, Mary Satterfield, Penelope Brownrigg, Eliza Standing, Phyllis White, Caroline Pophelstone, Lydia Willis, Lucy Thompson, Hester Cross, Susan Jones, Chloe Bozman, Delia Pollock, Sarah Benbury, Priscilla Duckenfield, Mary Hooper.

The scroll on the painting clearly indicates by the words inscribed on it, that these ladies passed resolutions discarding the use of tea and other articles, upon which an unjust and oppressive tax had been levied by the British Government.

The event has been so elegantly and gracefully portrayed by the gifted pen of our distinguished and talented friend, Dr. Richard Dillard, A. M., of Edenton, N. C., that we hesitate to let our footsteps fall along the literary path he has so recently trod, his article has become one of the series of "The Booklet" published by the

Daughters of the Revolution at Raleigh, N. C., from whom the series can be obtained, and as the object of the publication is to secure the necessary funds to erect a suitable monument in the City of Raleigh, to perpetuate the memory of this event, as well as the memory of the noble women of the "Old North State," whose patriotism placed so bright a page in their country's history, we shall confine ourselves to the task of preparing for our readers, as far as it can be gathered, a short sketch and history of the individuals composing the party, together with their ancestry and descendants.

To do this successfully requires the hearty co-operation of the families interested, we therefore earnestly entreat the descendants of these ladies to prepare and furnish us with as full and complete data as they may or can secure of their families, including the ancestors of the ladies as well as all of their descendants, of whom they have accurate knowledge.

As we have all of the information that can be obtained of Mrs. Sarah Valentine, we commence our task with her name.

#### MRS. SARAH VALENTINE.

was the wife of \*Alexander Valentine, who first appears in Edenton about 1770, from whence he came does not appear, but is supposed to have been a descendant of Thomas Valentine of Boston, Mass., nor as yet have we been able to supply the name of his wife Mrs. Sarah Valentine, (Mrs. Valentine md 2nd George Morgan, he is buried in St. Paul's Churchyard, Edenton, N. C., and we think his wife sleeps at his side.) Issue by the 1st marriage (1) Joyce Valentine md ——— Small. Issue, Joyce Valentine Small md Joseph Mardre. No issue. She died a few years since and is interred in Beaver Hill Cemetery.

(2) Elizabeth Valentine became in 1796 the 2nd wife of James Hathaway, Sr. Issue, (A) Thomas Valentine Hathaway, who for many years prior to his death was Clerk of the Court of Chowan County and a "Local" Minister in the M. E. Church, South. He married Oct. 10th, 1822, Caroline E. R. Hankins (daughter of Thos. Hankins and wife Miss Roberts), they both died the same week in March 1849 and are buried in St. Paul Cemetery, Edenton, N. C. They left one daughter, Sarah Elizabeth, married 1847, Benjamin T. Bockover, a native of New Jersey, who settled in Edenton in 1844; they removed to Norfolk in 1853, where Mrs. Sarah E. Bockover died in 1867, and is interred in the Cemetery at Norfolk, Va.; her husband is still living in Norfolk with his 2nd wife Miss Lizzie Taylor. Issue by the 1st marriage.

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\* Alexander and James Valentine appear in Hertford Co., N. C., in 1760.

(a) Sarah Caroline, born in Edenton, N. C., md M. Gordon, of Norfolk, Va. Issue, Terry Gordon md Grace Goodenow, of Bangor, Me. They live in Brambleton Ward, Norfolk, Va.

(b) Mary Jane, born in Edenton, N. C., md Robert B. Toy, of Norfolk, Va., and removed to Atlanta, Ga., where they now live on Forest Avenue. Issue (1) Mary Ethel Toy md Chas. Healey, of Atlanta. No issue. (2) Rogers B. Toy, of Atlanta; (3) Bockover Toy, of Atlanta.

(c) Lela Isadore Bockover died young.

(d) Emma Eunice Bockover, born in Norfolk, Va., md Thomas C. Gale, of Norfolk, Va. Issue, (1) Sarah Gale died young; (2) Cecil Gale died young; (3) Frank Gale died young; (4) Hector Jason Gale; (5) James Leslie Gale; (6) Emma Eunice Gale, all living in Norfolk, Va.

(e) George Etta Belle Bockover md William Read Butcher, of New York. Issue, (1) John Henry Butcher; (2) William Read Butcher, Jr., all living in Norfolk, Va.

(f) Elizabeth Hathaway Bockover md Ira Mowery, of New Jersey. Issue, (1) Elizabeth Mowery; (2) Florence Cecil Mowery, all living in Nutley, N. J.

(g) Florence Dudley Bockover md Cecil Percy Poole, of Elizabeth City, N. C. No issue, living in New York City.

(h) Benjamin T. Bockover, Jr., died unmarried.

(i) George Hathaway Bockover died in infancy.

(B) Nancy Hathaway, 2nd child of James Hathaway, Sr., and wife Elizabeth Valentine, died in infancy.

Thomas Valentine Hathaway is buried in St. Paul's Cemetery, Edenton, N. C., and his daughter Mrs. B. T. Bockover, is buried in the Cemetery at Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hathaway widow of James Hathaway, Sr., md 2nd Thomas Brownrigg (his 3d wife). No issue.

#### SUSAN JONES.

The only record we can find of her, we copy from the stone at the head of her grave in St. Paul's Cemetery, Edenton, N. C. The epitaph reads thus: "In memory of Susan Jones, a native of Philadelphia, who departed this life the 28th Sept., 1817. Aged 72 yrs. 5 mos. & 4 days.

"Here below a stranger sleeps awhile, to rise once more,"

Perhaps some of our readers may be able to give us some record of her. We would be glad to have it.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## SOLDIERS OF THE N. C. CONTINENTAL LINE, REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

**FIRST REGIMENT—Thomas Clark, Colonel.**

Adams, Niper, pt., Dixon's Co., died July 27, 1777. Enlisted 3 years.  
 Adcock, George, pt., Reid's Co., died August 21, 1778. Enlisted 2 1-2 years.  
 Adkins, David, sergt., Boman's Co., November, 1777. Discharged.  
 Aroglino, Cornelius, pt., Dixon's Co., died July, 1777. Enlisted 3 years.  
 Allen, Jesse, sergt., Childs' Co., enlisted April 16, 1776—pc. June '78 Sergt.  
 Sept.  
 Armstrong, William, Lt. Hogg's Co., enlisted 1777, Capt. 29 Aug., 1777.  
 Apperson, William pt., Brown's Co., 13 June, disc. March 16, '79.

**SECOND REGIMENT—Alexander Martin, Colonel.**

Adams, Lanier, pt., William's Co., enlisted '77. Omitted Jan. 1778.  
 Alderson, Simon, pt., Vail's Co., enlisted '77, Sergt. May 20, 1779, prisoner  
 June 1, 1779.  
 Alexander, Joseph, pt., Fenner's Co., enlisted April '77. Deserted 1 Jan. 1780.  
 Alexander, William, mus., Fenner's Co., enlisted 1777, pt., Sept. '77.  
 Alexander, William, Ailen's Co., enlisted 1777, died March 14, 1778.  
 Allen, Charles, capt., Allen's Co., enlisted 1777, omitted Jan. 1, 1778.  
 Allen, William, Allen's Co., enlisted 1777, died Jan. 7, '78.  
 Ambrose, David, Allen's Co., enlisted 1777 pt. April '78, mus. in 1781.  
 Armstrong, John, Capt., enlisted Sept. 1, '75, Major Oct. 4, '77, 4th Reg.

**THIRD REGIMENT—Jethro Sumner, Colonel.**

Acock, Moses, pt., Turner's Co., enlisted '77, died May '78.  
 Acock, Robt., pt., Turner's Co., enlisted April 20, '76, discharged Nov. 10, '78.  
 Ayed, Benj., pt., Turner's Co., enlisted May 11, '76, discharged Nov. 10, '78.  
 Ammis, James, pt., Granberry's Co., enlisted May 25, '76, discharged Nov. 10,  
 1778.  
 Angel, Benj., pt., Emmet's Co., discharged March, '78.  
 Ashton, Wm., Lt.-Col., enlisted April 16, '76, resigned Oct. 25, '76.

**FOURTH REGIMENT—Thomas Polk, Colonel.**

Alexander, Charles, Lt., Williams Co., enlisted 1777, omitted January '78.  
 Andrews, Abiel, Lewis' Co., enlisted 1777, omitted January '78.  
 Anderson, James, Dr. Major, enlisted Jan. 25, '77, died June 12, 1778.  
 Armstrong, John, Major, enlisted Oct. 4, '77, Lt.-Col. July 17, '82.  
 Atkins, James, Chaplain, enlisted April 5, '77, resigned Aug. 10, '77.

**FIFTH REGIMENT—Edward Buncombe, Colonel.**

Abbt, Ezekiel, Mus., Alderson's Co., enlisted 1776, omitted Jan'y 1778.  
 Alberton, Henry, pt., Enloe's Co., enlisted 1777, deserted Feb'y 29, 1780.  
 Alderson, Simon, Capt., Enloe's Co., enlisted April 16, '76, omitted Sept. '77.  
 Aldridge, Joseph, pt., Alderson's Co., enlisted Dec. 18, '76, discharged May  
 20, '79.  
 Allen, Thomas, 2d Lt., Stedman's Co., enlisted 1777.  
 Allen, John, Lt., Caswell's Co., enlisted Oct '76, omitted Jan. '78.  
 Allen, Walter, Ens., Blount's Co., enlisted March 28, '77, Lieut. Oct. 4, '77,  
 omitted Jan. '78.  
 Allison, Achis, pt., Darnal's Co., enlisted 1777, pris. June 1, 1779, mus. Nov. '79.  
 Ammons, Jordan, Caswell's Co., enlisted April 20, '77, for war.  
 Angel, Thomas, pt., Caswell's Co., enlisted May 12, '77, pris. June 1, '79, mus.  
 Nov. '79.  
 Anderson, James, pt., Caswell's Co., enlisted 1777, died Nov. 14, 1777.

Anderson, Thomas, mus., Caswell's Co., enlisted Dec. 18, '76, pt. Jan. '78.  
 Anderson, Wilson, Corp., Enloe's Co., enlisted 1777, died March 15, '78.  
 Anderson, John, pt., Enloe's Co., enlisted 1777, deserted Feb'y 29, '80.  
 Armstrong, Thomas, 1 Lt., William's Co., enlisted April 16, '76, Capt. Oct. 25, '77, prisoner.  
 Arnold, Arthur, pt., Blount's Co., omitted Feb. '78.  
 Arthur, L. John, pt., Caswell's Co., enlisted March 27, '77, Corp. '79.  
 Atkins, Benj., pt., Blount's Co., enlisted 1777, omitted June '78.

#### SIXTH REGIMENT—Gideon Lamb, Colonel.

Adams, Ezekiel, pt., Donoho's Co., enlisted Jan. 26, '77, dstd. Aug. 25, '77.  
 Adkinson, John, Corp., White's Co., enlisted April 24, '76, pt. June '78, omd. Nov. '78.  
 Alexander, Levy, pt., Donoho's Co., enlisted 1777, died Aug. 1777.  
 Arthur, William, Sergt., Taylor's Co., enlisted 1777, dstd Aug. 25, '77.  
 Ash, B. John, Major, Jan. 26, '77, Lt.-Col. Nov. 2, '78.  
 Armstrong, Andrew, Lt. McRee's Co., enlisted Sept. 19, '76, om'd Dec. '77.

#### SEVENTH REGIMENT—James Hogan, Colonel.

Alexander, Benj., pt., Walker's Co., enlisted '77, dischd Feb. 27, '80.  
 Alsworth, Joseph, pt., Walker's Co., enlisted '77, dstd Sept. 17, '77.  
 Ames, John, pt., McGlauhan's Co., enlisted '77, died Nov. 15, '77.  
 Ames, Thomas, pt., McGlauhan's Co., enlisted Feb. 1, '77, dest'd Feb. 12, '79.  
 Anderson, William, pt., McGlauhan's Co., enlisted 1777, dest'd April '77.  
 Archer, Dempsey, Ely's Co., enlisted Nov. '77, omd Feb. 14, '78.

#### EIGHTH REGIMENT—James Armstrong, Colonel.

Armstrong, Col. James, enlisted Nov. 26, '76, retired Jan. 1781.

#### NINTH REGIMENT—John Williams, Colonel.

Ammons, James, pt., Wade's Co., enlisted May 10, '77, omd'd July '79.  
 Anthony, James, pt., Rice's Co., enlisted May 4, '77.  
 Arbuckle, John, pt., McCrary's Co., enlisted 1777, dest'd Dec. 2, '77.  
 Austin, Absalom, pt., McCrary's Co., enlisted 1777, died March 7, '78.  
 Avery, James, pt., McCrary's Co., enlisted 1777, dstd Dec. 28, '77.

#### TENTH REGIMENT—Abraham Shepard, Colonel.

Abbott, John, pt., Quinn's Co., enlisted June, 24, '79.  
 Abute, John, pt., Lytle's Co.  
 Abbott, John, mus., Hogg's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Abbott, John, Sergt., Yarborough's Co., enlisted 1781. Time out April 22, 1782.  
 Aaronheart, John, pt. Brevard's Co., enlisted 1781. Left service April 28, '82.  
 Acock, Samuel, pt., Carter's Co., enlisted April 1781. Time out April 25, '82.  
 Adcock, Joshua, pt., Wilson's Co., enlisted May 6, '77, for 3 years.  
 Adcock, John, pt., Wilson's Co., enlisted May 6, '77, for 3 years.  
 Adams, Arthur, pt., Shepard's Co., enlisted Aug. 12, '77, for 3 years.  
 Adams, John, Sergt., Hearne's Co., enlisted July 5, '77, pt. June '78.  
 Adkins, Thomas, pt., Gregory's Co., May 22, '77, for 3 years.  
 Adkins, Benj., pt., enlisted Dec. 10, '77, for 3 years.  
 Adams, Phillip pt., Montfort's Co., enlisted July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Addleman, John, pt., Ballard's Co., enlisted 1779 for 3 years.  
 Adkerson, Rich'd, pt., enlisted 1779 for 9 mos.  
 Adams, Wm. pt., McRee's Co., enlisted June 6, '81, for 12 mos.  
 Addams, Phillip, pt., Raiford's Co., enlisted May 2, '81. Time out 2 May, '82.  
 Adams, Zach'l, pt. Lytle's Co., enlisted '82.  
 Adams, David, pt., Lytle's Co., enlisted June 6, '81. Time out June 6, '82.  
 Adams, William, pt., Brevard's Co., enlisted 1781, left service May 1, '82.  
 Aderson, Thomas, pt., Brevard's Co., enlisted 1781, left service May 28, '82.

Aderson, Geo., pt., Brevard's Co., enlisted 1781, left service April 12, '82.  
 Addleman, Jno., pt., Hall's Co., enlisted 1781, left service Sept. 29, '82.  
 Adkins, Richard, pt., Yarborough's Co., enlisted 1781, time out June 17, '82.  
 Adkison, Rich'd, pt., Carter's Co., enlisted April 1781, died Oct. 18, 1781.  
 Addleman, Daniel, Corp., Coleman's Co., enlisted April 15, '81, for 12 mos.  
 Adkinson, Joel, pt., Hadley's Co., enlisted Aug. 1, '82, for 18 mos.  
 Adkison, John, pt., VanNoy's Co., enlisted May 26, '77, musc. June 1778.  
 Adams, Wm., pt., Bacot's Co., enlisted 1782, died May 28, 1783.  
 Adams, James, pt., Sharp's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Adkins, Sam'l, pt., Sharp's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Adecock, Edmund, pt., Brevard's Co., enlisted 1782, died June 7, 1783.  
 Akins, Gideon, musc., Ballard's Co., enlisted June 16, '78, for war.  
 Ains, Pat, pt., McRee's Co., enlisted April 28, '81.  
 Ains, Ezek., pt., Hall's Co., enlisted 1781, left service April 21, '82.  
 Akins, Gideon, musc., Yarborough's Co., enlisted 1781, time out April 1, '82.  
 Alcock, Wm., pt., Stevenson's Co., enlisted Aug. 31, '77, dst'd Jan. 20, '78.  
 Albertson, Caleb, pt., Moore's Co., enlisted May 10, '77, omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Allen, Joseph, Sergt., enlisted July 3, '77, Lieut. March 31, '82.  
 Allen, Thomas, Corp'l, Baker's Co., enlisted July 20, '78 for 9 mos.  
 Allen, Hardy, pt., Ballard's Co., enlisted July 20, '78, for 9 mos.  
 Allen, Joseph, pt., Quin's Co., enlisted 1779, for 9 mos.  
 Allen, Wm., pt., enlisted 1779 for 9 mos.  
 Allen, James, pt., Raiford's Co., enlisted April 25, '81, died Feb. 14, '82.  
 Allen, Arthur, pt., Lytle's Co., enlisted April 12, '81, dest'd July 7, '82.  
 Allen, Walter, Sergt., Sharp's Co.  
 Allen, Elijah, pt., Jones' Co., enlisted Dec. 1781 for 12 mos.  
 Allen, Jona, pt., Jones' Co., enlisted Feb. 1, '82.  
 Allen, Michael, pt., Brevard's Co., enlisted 1782, dest'd June 18, 1783.  
 Allen, Joseph, pt., Evans' Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Alsbrook, Amos, pt., Montford's Co., enlisted July 20, '78, for 9 mos.  
 Albridge, Thomas, pt., Quin's Co., enlisted July 20, '78 for 9 mos.  
 Altman, Garret, pt., Bradley's Co., enlisted July 20, '78, for 9 mos.  
 Aldridge, Gess, pt., Bradley's Co., enlisted July 20, '78, for 9 mos.  
 Alexander, John., pt., Ballard's Co., enlisted 1779 for 9 mos.  
 Alexander, Wm., Ensn., enlisted May 10, '81.  
 Alsbrooks, Wm., pt., McRee's Co., enlisted April 28, '81, left service 28 Apl. '82.  
 Alsbrooks, Jesse, Corp'l, Raiford's Co., enlisted 25 April. 81. Time out.  
 Alexander, Anthony, pt., Bailey's Co., enlisted April 3, '81, left service April 3, '82.  
 Alexander, Ezek'l, pt., Hall's Co., enlisted March 1, '82, 12 mos.  
 Alexander, Benj., pt., Hall's Co., enlisted March 1, '82, 12 mos.  
 Alsbrook, Clayborn, pt., Bacott's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Alison, Peter, pt., Raiford's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Albrooks, Wm., pt., Raiford's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Aldridge, Francis, pt., Sharp's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Albritton, Matthew, pt., Evans' Co., enlisted 1782, dest'd April 20, 1783.  
 Albright, John, pt., Evans' Co., enlisted 1782.  
 Amesley, James, pt., enlisted 1782.  
 Ammons, Thos., pt., Montford's Co., enlisted July 20, '78, for 9 mos.  
 Ammons, Mark, pt., Lytle's Co., enlisted April 12, '81, dest'd July 5, 1782.  
 Amos, John, pt., Rhodes' Co., enlisted 1781. Time out April 12 1782.  
 Anderson, Wm., pt., Blount's Co., enlisted July 20, '78, Sergt. Oct. 25, '78.  
 Anderson, Isaac, pt., Ballard's Co., enlisted 1779, for 9 mos.  
 Anderson, George, pt., Quin's Co., enlisted 1779.  
 Anderson, John, pt., McRee's Co., enlisted April 28, '81, for 12 mos.  
 Anderson, Robt., pt., Armstrong's Co., enlisted 1781, left service May 22, '82.  
 Antony, John, Corp., Ballard's Co., enlisted June 22, '79, for war.  
 Andrews, Isaac, pt., Blount's Co., enlisted June 5, '79, for war.



Andrews, Joseph, pt., Walton's Co., enlisted April 25, '81. Time out April 1, 1782.  
 Andrews, Alford, Corp., Armstrong's Co., enlisted 1781, disch'd March 27, '82.  
 Angel, Thos., pt., Evans' Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Arnold, John, pt., Stevenson's Co., enlisted April 21, '77, omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Armstrong, Benj., pt., Hall's Co., enlisted 1781, dest'd April 1 '82.  
 Arnold, Wm., pt., Carter's Co., enlisted April 1781. Time out April 25, '82.  
 Arnold, David, pt., Lt.-Col.  
 Arnold, Aaron, pt., Hall's Co., enlisted April 1, '82, for 12 mos.  
 Arrington, John, pt., Jones' Co., enlisted March 1, '82.  
 Art ers, Stephen, pt., Hall's Co., enlisted 1781. Time out Nov. 21, '82.  
 Archdeacon, Rich'd, pt., Rhodes' Co., enlisted Aug. 1, 1782, for 18 mos.  
 Artis, John, pt., Hall's Co., enlisted 1781. Left service Nov. 1, '82.  
 Ashett, James, pt., Blount's Co.  
 Ashley, John, Sergt. Major, enlisted May 5, '81.  
 Askins, John, pt., Doherty's Co., enlisted May '81. Time out May 25, '82.  
 Aspley, John, Sergt., Donoho's Co., enlisted May 5, '81. Left service May 5, '82.  
 Ashlock, Jesse, pt., Dixon's Co., enlisted May 15, '81. Left service May 21, '82.  
 Ashe, Samuel, Lt., Hall's Co., enlisted Jan. 23, '81, discharged Jan. 1, 1783.  
 Ash, Charles, pt., Bacott's Co., enlisted 1782, for 18 mos.  
 Atkins, Benj., Sergt., Bacott's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Atkinson, James, pt., Bacott's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Attwood, John, Brevard's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Avent, James, pt., Brevard's Co., enlisted May 15, '76, discharged Nov. 10, '78.  
 Avarret, Thomas, Sergt., Childs' Co., enlisted July 20, '78, died Nov. 28, '78.  
 Avery, Geo., pt., Bacott's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Avery, Isom, Brevard's Co., enlisted 1782 for 18 mos.  
 Axum, Phillip, pt., Ballard's Co., enlisted July 20, '78, for 9 mos.  
 Axum, Elijah, pt., Mills' Co., enlisted Feb. 7, 1782, for 12 mos.

#### FIRST REGIMENT.

Bradley, Richard P., Mr., March 5, '77, omt'd June '78.  
 Brown, John, Capt., April 26, '77, omt'd June '78.  
 Brannon, Chrisn, pt., Brown's Co., 1777, war, Corp'l '78 omt'd.  
 Bryley, Charles, pt., Brown's Co., killed Sept. 17, '77.  
 Bagnall, John, pt., Brown's Co., 1777, omt'd Feb. '78.  
 Burrow Wyley, pt., Tatum's Co., 1777, Corp'l March '78, pt. July '78.  
 Barnard, Peter, Dixon's Co., dst'd 14 Sept., '78, dst'd Sept. 14, '78.  
 Bowman, Joshua, Capt. Sept. 18, '76, killed March 30, '80.  
 Bowlin, Jeremiah, pt., Rolston's Co., dest'd Aug. 4, '77.  
 Bowlin, Baxter, pt., Rolston's Co., Nov. '77, omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Boyd, Adam J., Advt., Oct. '77, omitted Nov. '77.  
 Brown, Wm., pt., Tatum's Co., Sept. 1, '77, for 3 years or war.  
 Barco, Willis, pt., Dixon's Co., Sept. 23, '77, died Nov. '78.  
 Bryan, Randle, pt., Bowman's Co., Oct. 1, '76, omt'd Nov. '79.  
 Bradley, Rich'd, Corp'l, Reid's Co., Aug. 9, '77.  
 Burgess, Isaac, pt., Sharp's Co., Aug. 15, '77, died July 10, '78.  
 Blythe, Sam'l, 1 Lt., Bowman's Co., Feb. 5, '77, resigned Apl. 16, '78.  
 Baker, Peter, 2 Lt., Bowman's Co., Feb. 8, '77.  
 Bell, John, mus., Bowman's Co., 1777, pc. June, '78.  
 Blue, Neil, pt., Bowman's Co., 1777, Corp'l July 1, '79, dest'd Dec. 7, '79.  
 Barnes, Britton, pt. Bowman's Co., 1777, omt'd Sep. '79, dest'd.  
 Berry, John, pt., Bowman's Co., 1777, omt'd Sep. '77, dest'd.  
 Bozar, Thomas, pt., Thompson's Co., 1777 for war.  
 Brown, Collins, pt., Dixon's Co., 1777, died April 14, '78.  
 Barler, Wm., pt., Dixon's Co., 1777 pris. April 14, '79, mus. Nov. '79.  
 Bailey, Wm. H., Sergt., Hogg's Co., Nov. 5, '76, 3 years, pt. Oct. 22, '77., Sergt. March 21, '79, omt'd Nov. '79.

Brown, Thomas, Sergt., Hogg's Co., Aug. 1, '76, 3 years, pt. May '78, omt'd March '79.

Bowman, Robt., pt., Dixon's Co., for war. Deserted in '76.

Blake, William, pt., Ralston's Co., Sergt. Oct. '77, pt. May '78, Corp'l Nov. '78, Ser. 10 Feb., '80.

Batey, Hugh, pt., Rolston's Co., Corp. Nov. '77, died Aug. 6, '78.

(To be continued.)

## AN EXAMPLE OF GOV. BURRINGTON'S TYRANNY.

North Carolina Ss. July General Court 1732.

Petit John Bapt. Ashe, Esq., came into Court, and gave the Court to understand, that Edw'd Moseley, Esq., stood committed Prisoner in ye Common Gaol at Edenton, Wherefore the said John Bap't Ashe as a friend of the said Edward Moseley prayed this Court to grant his Majesties Writ of Hab. Corp. for bringing the sd Edward Moseley into the Court now sitting with the cause of his commitment which is granted and Issued in these words, vizt.: North Carolin Ss. George the Second by the Grace of God, King of Great Britain, &c., To the Provost Marshal of the sd Province his deputy or other Keeper of the Gaol of Edenton, Greeting: Wee command you that the body of Edward Moseley, Esq., in our sd Prison (as it is said) you have Immediately on the Receipt hereof together with the cause of his commitment before our Chief Justice & his Assistants of the General Court now sitting for the sd Province at the Court House in Edenton to do & receive as Our said Justices shall thereon in that part then & there consider. Witness, John Palin, Esq., Our Chief Justice, this 4th day of August Anno Dom. 1732.

Signed, JOHN PALIN, Cf. Just.

Whereupon the Marshall brought the body of the sd Edward Moseley into Court and made the following Return in these words, vizt.: North Carolina Ss: August the 4, 1732. I hav herewith the body of Edward Moseley, Esq., committed about half an hour since to prison by verbal command of his Excellency, George Barrington, Esq., Governor and Commander in Chiefe of this Province for some crime unknown to me, having as yet no witnesses in writing so can Return no further cause of his detention the Governor Declaring he would Grant a Mittimus in due time.

pr WILLIAM MACKEY, D. P. M.

And the Court upon mature consideration theron had, are unanimously of opinion that there appears no sufficient cause for the detention of the sd Edward Moseley, Wherefore it is here by the Court Considered and ordered that the said Edw'd Moseley be discharged from the said Confinement and be forthwith set at liberty.

## ACT OF ASSEMBLY RELATIVE TO COURT HOUSE, &amp;c.

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(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

Whereas the Rt. Honble Phillip Ludwell, Esq., Governor and Capt. Generall of Carolina hath offered Severall Honble Contributions towards the Building Churches, Court Houses and Prison for wch we are very thankfull and willing to comply soe far as we are by reason of other emergent burdens \*\*\*.

Be it Enacted by the Pat and Lords Proprietors by and with the advice and consent of this present Grand Assembly and the Authority thereof that forty-six pounds be levied upon the Publick the ensuing year towards such public buildings to be disposed of at the discretion of the Rt. Honble the Governor and honble Councill and that yearly such advancement may be made for the carrying on of the work as ability of the Country will permit.

CALEB CALLOWAY, Speaker.

This assented to provided the Building of a Publick Corte House & Prison gose.

DANIEL AKEHURST, Sec't'y.

And that the Secretary and Thos. Harvie & Wm. Wilkinson, Deputy, be assignated to agree with workmen to take the care of the building of Corte house sixty feet long, twenty wide and nine  $\frac{1}{2}$  foot pith the Prison to be thirty foot long to be in to Rooms. The Corte house to have to Rooms and an entry of ten foot a standing case into the Entry to chambers on Chambers to make a Se's office the other for the Clerk of the Assembly a ten foot bench on one side of the Corte house the chamber to be sealed.

(Without date but prior to 1706). Wm. Wilkinson was dead in 1706.

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THE NAME OCRACOCK.

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As some discussion has been elicited by a statement made to the effect that Ocracock took its name from an expression "O Crow Cock," made by Teach the pirate during the engagement with Lieut. Maynard, the following paper found in the Court House at Edenton, N. C., settles the fact that the Island bore the name "Oeacock" in 1716 two years before the Capture of the pirate which occurred in 1718, it is published simply to settle the above question, as it is not pleasant to think that any place in North Carolina was

named from any expression uttered by any person so desperate and notoriously wicked as Teach. It cannot be stated whether the *r* in the name was accidentally dropped or substituted afterwards.

No. Carolina Ss. The Inquisition for our Sovereign Lord ye King Indented and taken upon the Sand Banckes called Ocracock Island, the *30th day of December, 1716*. And in the Third Year of ye Reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God, King of Great Britain, &c. Upon the oaths of Messrs. Obediah Rich, William Johnson, Archibald Hartley, Nathaniel Curtis, Jacob Perkins, Moses Rainer, John Whitmarsh, Walter Clark, Isaack Chabonas, Robt. Potter, Edmond Rich, Jno. Aires, before Christopher Gale Chief Justice, who upon view of the body of Thomas Johnson late of the pree't of Currituck, planter, & upon examination of Capt'n John Norton brother-in-law to the sd Johnson & upon knowledge of the Major part of themselves of the manner how, the means whereby & the time when the sd Thomas Johnson came by his Death, who Impaneled & sworn, say, That on the day preceding the date hereof, Capt. Jno. Norton and the Dec'd Thos. Johnson went out a hunting together. That the said Norton following upon the foot of a Deer & perceiving something to move in the Thick bushes & concluding it to be his game fired his gun at it, By weh Shot ye sd Johnson was by misadvantage off the sd Norton wounded in several parts of his body of weh wounds he instantly died.

In testimony whereof the said Chf Justice & Jurors have hereunto interchangably sett their hands & seals, the day & year first above written.

C. GALE, Chf Justice.

Jn. Whitmarsh (Seal), Obadiah Rich (Seal), Walter Clark (Seal), Wm. Johnson (Seal), Isacek Chabonas (Seal), Arch Hartley (Seal), Robt. Potter (Seal), Nath. Curtis (Seal), Edmon Rich (Seal), Jacob Perkins (Seal), Jn Aires (Seal), Moses Rainer (Seal).

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#### COMMISSION OF EDMUND GALE AND THOMAS POLLOCK.

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At a Council held at the Council Chamber at Edenton, N. C., the 17th day of July Anno Dom. 1725. Present: Sir Richard Everard Barrot Governor & Commander in Chief, Wm. Reed, Chris'r Gale, John Lovick, Edw'd Moseley, Fra's Foster, Thos. Pollock, Thos. Harvey, John Palin & Henry Clayton, Esqs., Members of the Council.

Whereas the true and Absolute Lords Proprietors by their Commission under their hands & great Seal of this Province to Chris-

topher Gale, Chief Justice, have impowered and directed the Governor & Council to Nominate and choose two persons of Abel Skill in the Law to be assistants to the Chief Justice, who when so appointed are in sd Commission Constituted and appointed by the True and Absolute Lords Proprietors. This Board doth therefore in pursuance and according to the direction of the said Commission unanimously choose and name Edmond Gale & Cullen Pollock, Esqs., to be assistants to the said Chief Justice.

J. LOVICK, Sect'y.

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North Carolina Ss. The Examination of George Allen of Edenton in Chowan precinct Gent taken on oath before me Christopher Gale, Esq., Chief Justice of the said Province.

This Examinant sayeth that on Sunday the 21st of this instante Novem'r he being at the house of Sir Richard Everard, Baronett, Gover'r, &c., of the said Province in Edenton aforesaid about twelve of the Clock Mr. Thomas Bayley came there & informed the Governor that the people were waiting to hear Divine Service from him, the said Bailey and desired the Governor to let him have the Key of the Court House to perform it there, Whereupon Sr. Richard ask't by whose appointment the people were mett to which the sd Bailey answered, that he had given them notice of his intentions to preach there and advised Sr. Rich'd to let him have the Key for if he did not the Door would be broke open. And upon the Governor forbidding him or any other person to break open the door at his perill or to preach, he made answer it should be done and he would preach.

GEO. ALLEN.

Taken & sworn to before me this  
21st Nov., 1725. C. GALE, C. J.

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### INDICTMENT AGAINST THOMAS BAYLYE FOR PREACHING, &c.

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Whereas Information is this day made upon oath before me that Thomas Baylye, Clerk, a person of very ill fame without any leave from the Minister resident or Incumbent or the Church Wardens or Vestry of the Eastern parish of Chowan Precinct and contrary to the express commands of the Honble the Governor did Convene a number of People to hear him preach and having been refused the Key of the Court House the said Baylye with Severall others in Company did after an unlawfull and riotous manner break open the Door of

the Genl. Court House in Edenton within the parish aforesaid where the records of the General Corte and the Journals of the Assembly are kept to the great indangering of the said Records and against the peace of our Sovereign Lord the King, &c.

These are therefore to require & Command you in his Majesty's name to apprehend the said Thomas Baylye (if to be found within this Government) and forthwith to bring him before me at Edenton aforesaid to make answer to the premises and to be dealt withall according to Law herein & you are not to faile at Yo'r perill.

Given under my hand & seale at Edenton aforesaid  
this 21st day of November Anno Dom. 1725.

C. GALE, C. J. (Seal.)

To the Provost Marshall or his Deputy or  
any Constable—

Thos Baylye entered into bond with George Burrington as Surety for 50£ sterling for his appearance at the next term of the Gen'l Court to be held at Edenton the last Tuesday in March next.

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### LEE'S MILL, WASHINGTON CO., THEN CHOWAN PRECINCT.

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N. Carolina. To the Honble ye Chief Justice & ye Rest of ye Justices for ye General Court.

The Petition of Will Downing, sheweth that whereas by the Last Will of Mr. Thomas Blount, late of this province he did give & appoint Three Acres of land to be taken out of a Tract of Land then in his possession known by the name of the Middle Plantation for ye use of a \*Mill on ye Sd tract and to be contiguous with ye said Mill, and your Honble Petitioner (having since bought ye said tract of Land and ye said three acres having not yet been surveyed or sett apart from ye sd Tract) humbly prayeth yt an order of this Honble Court may be granted him for ye Surveying & setting apart ye sd three Acres of Land according to ye said Will for ye use of ye said Mill and as little to ye prejudice of ye Sd Tract of Land as possible, and your Honble Petitioner as in duty shall ever pray, &c.

W. DOWNING.

October ye 31st, 1727.

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\* This mill was in existence prior to 1706. it was founded by Thomas Blount, whose widow Mrs. Mary Blount married Thomas Lee, hence the name "Lee's Mills," after the death of Mrs. Mary Blount Lee. Thomas Lee married the widow of William Downing.

## CONTRACT FOR BUILDING A COURT HOUSE FOR CURRITUCK PRECINCT.

Know all men by these presents that I Robert Peyton of the precinct of Currituck in the County of Albemarle and in ye Province of North Carolina, Doe owe and stand Justly Indebted to ye prect Court of Carotuck there heirs and successors in the full and Just sum of 140£ Good and Lawfull Money of this province to which paymt well and truly to be made and Don I Bind my Selfe my heirs Executors, administrators to the said Prect. Court there heirs, &c. Sealed with my Seal and dated this 22nd Day of Aprill Anno Dom. 1723.

The condition of this obligation is such that whereas the precinct Court of Carotuck agreed with the above Bound Robt. Peyton to Build for ye prect a Court House of Thirty foot in Length, Eighteen foot in weadth, with a fashionable overfitt fram'd work standing upon Sedar Blocks, ye Roof to be Shingl'd with Syprress Shingells, ye Sides and Ends with Boards Twelve foot of the flore to be Raised two foot from ye Ground with plank, Two Bars on ye said flore from side to side two foot and a half asunder and all yt part of the house to be seal'd workmanlike Judges Cheare Bench and Clarkes Table the upper flower plain'd Joynted and Crose Lade the fraime of ye House to be plain'd and made Smooth with Stares from flow to flow with Sash Winders and not to be less than Eight foot Pitch. Now if the above Robt. Peyton, his heirs, &c., shall well and Truly Build and finish the above said Court House in every particular according to ye above Dementions By the Last Day of March next that then this obligation to be voide and of noe effect Else to remain in full force, power and virtue, &c. The day and year above written.

ROBT. PEYTON.

BENJ PEYTON, ISAAC BENSON, THOMAS DAVIES,	—Justices.
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Robt. Peyton removed to Bath County and was there in 1725, when a suit was brought by the Justices of Coratuck against him for damages in regard to the failure to follow specifications in building.

## ABSTRACT OF CONVEYANCES.

(From Book C. No. 1, Register of Deeds Office of Chowan Co., N. C.)

John Pettiver, to Henry Norman; Apl. 10, '1721. Tract of land adjoining John Davenport. Test, Edmund Chamberlayne, Thos. Wynns, Joseph Spruell.

John Pettiver, to Richard Davenport (son of John). Deed of Gift for 150 acres adjoining that sold to Henry Norman; Apl. 16, 1719.

Edmund Porter, to William Stuart; Jan'y 20, 1718-9. 100 acres called Bluff Point. Test, Joshua Porter, James Ward, John Swain.

John Wilkey, to James Long; Sept. 22, 1711. 640 acres S. side Chowan River, between Wilkin's Swamp and Mr. James Long. Test, John Worley, James Hooper, William Millhouse.

Leonard Lofton, to Jacob Blount; April 11, 1715. Assignment of a Patent for 165 acres land dated — 19, 1712. Test, James Long, Thomas Long.

Nicholas Sessome, to John Mitchell; Jan'y 17, 1718. 100 acres adjoining land of George Winn and Wicacon Creek; Jan'y 17, 1718. Test, Wm. Crawford, Thos. Mann.

Benjamin Blount and wife Elizabeth, to Jacob Blount; July 20, 1719. 606 acres called Rich Neck, on Kendreek's Creek. Test, Nath'l Everett, Mary Everett.

Nicholas Sessome, to John Williams. 80 acres at the mouth of the Black Haw Branch; July 20, 1719.

William Braswell, to Richard Grills; Oct. 22, 1728. 300 acres West side Meherrin River. Test, Robert Hicks, John Dew.

Robert Wilson, to John Pricklove and Abraham Sanders. Assignment of a Patent. Test, Robert Hicks.

Richard Whedbee, to Joshua Bateman. Assignment deed for 250 acres East side Scuppernong River; Nov. 18, 1717. Test, Abram Jennett, John Newman.

Thomas Bray, to Caleb Stephens. Assignment of a Patent; 8ber 28, 1718. Test, Sam'l Woodward.

Godfrey Spruell, Jr., to James Singleton; July 30, 1717. Assignment of a Patent. Test, Sam'l Spruell.

John Byrd to Samuel Jordan, July 25, 1719. 640 acres as per Patent dated 8ber, 1717. Test, Thos. Sutton, John Crombie.

Solomon Jordan, to brother Roger Snell; Deed of Gift; July 25, 1719. 100 acres between lines of John Byrd and Joseph Skettlethorpe. Test, Jno. Byrd, Thomas Sutton, Katharine Jordan.



Solomon Jordan to John Byrd; July 29, 1719. Tract of land on Casia River. Test, Roger Snell, Thomas Sutton, John Crombie.

Nicholas Sessome to James Boon; 8 ber 13, 1718. 100 acres joining upon lines of William Hooker. Test, Wm. Crawford, Joseph Sizemore.

Benton Ephroditus, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Thomas Spight, of Perquimans; Oct. 20, 1712. 311 acres adjoining John White. Test, John Sutton, Wm. Thompson, John Pettion, Daniel Halsey.

Thomas Giles, of Isle of Wight Co., Va., to Thomas Bray; Dec. 21, 1714. Tract of land called Mt. Pleasant. Patented Sept. 25, 1663. Patent issued by Gov. Berkeley, of Va., and all lands thereunto appertaining called Woodards. Test, James Lilse, Alice Munday, James Farlee.

Same to James Farlow and Lewis Bryan. Power of Attorney to acknowledge above deed to Thomas Bray; Dec. 22, 1714. Test, Francis Pridgeon, James Liles.

ledged to them Patent for 640 acres on Casia River; Feb. 18, 1714. 540 acres on Chowan River called Pridgeon's Point, at the mouth of Indian Town Creek, as per Patent of the same. Test, John Smith, John Hale, Lewis Mague, Jas. Flemming.

Edward Moseley, to John Henry, of Pocamoke, Maryland. Assignment of a Patent; Nov. 16, 1714. Test, Tobias Knight, John Lovick.

Same to Same. Assignment of a Patent for 640 acres at Heran Volzen; Nov. 10, 1714. Test, T. Knight, Jno. Lovick.

Mary Lawson, to Col. Thomas Pollock; April 20, 1714. Tract of land on Scuppernong River, where Mr. Hardy now lives, and tract adjoining with all stock thereon. Test, Thomas Bray, John Hardy, John Nairn.

Grant to William Duckingfield; Meh. 5, 1706. Assignment to John Pettiver.

George Bromley, to Thomas Cook. Tract of land in Chowan; Feb. 10, 1723. Test, Charles Bell, Jno. Ismay, Wm. Badham.

John Plowman, to Sam'l Edwards; Feb. 8, 1714. 120 acres on Casia River. Test, Lawrence Sarson, Wm. Jones; also acknowledged to them Patent for 640 acres on Casia River; Feb. 18, 1714.

John Early and wife Mary to Peter Parker; June 18, 1714. 200 acres on Wicacon Creek. Test, Wm. Crawford, Katharine Crawford.

Edward Bryan to John Bryan; 8ber 6, 1714. Tract of land on West side Chowan River, part of a Patent to Thomas Mann joining upon land of widow Barnes. Test, Robt. Harris.

Henry Bradley and wife Katharine to Edward Bryan; 8ber 9, 1784. Tract of land on West side of Chowan River, adjoining

line on the River part of a plantation where he now lives. Test, Jno. Bryan, J. Bryan.

David Atkinson and wife Elizabeth to Wm. Jones; Jan. 14, 1714-5. 320 acres east side Rockyhook Creek. Test, Martin, Fred Razor, Jno. Nairn.

Henry Baker to Thomas Bray, Power of Attorney; March 7th, 1714. Test, Jno. Thackeray, James Cross, Richard Malpas.

William Pagett to John Bray; Feb. 22, 1714. Relinquishes title to tract of land at mouth of Woodward Creek. Test, Wm. Maule, Geo. Turneger.

John Davenport, of Scuppernong, to Thos. Gaylord, of Scuppernong. 42 acres on Deep Creek at the head of Spruell's Bay. April, 1719.

James Long and wife Ann to Joshua Turner. 100 acres called River Neck. July 17, 1719.

John Harlowe to Edmund Gale; Jan. 3, 1726-7. 187 acres adjoining land formerly Robt. Windley, Edw'd Smithwick and Edw'd Moseley. Test, Jos. Young, Wm. Badham.

Jacob Privett to John Charlton; Dec. 11, 1726. Assignment of a deed. Test, Robert Hicks, Jean Bonner.

Elizabeth Long to James Long; July, 1719. Test, Jno. Worley, John Blount.

James Perry and wife Patience to John Perry, all of Nansemond Co., Va.; July 28, 1719. 210 acres in Middle Swamp, that runs out of Bennett's Creek, granted to Daniel Pugh in 1707. Test, Moses Hill, Jacob Perry, Thomas Rountree.

Robert Lanier and wife Sarah to Isaac Zehendon; July 22, 1715. 100 acres on Wicacon Creek. Test, George Winns, John Thomas.

Solomon, Jordan and wife Katharine to Joseph Skittlethorpe; Sept. 2, 1718. 100 acres beginning at Abel Johnson and John Butlers corner tree, &c. Test, James Winwright, John Crombie.

Francis Johnson and wife Elizabeth to Dr. Godfrey Spruell; Feb. 27, 1717. 100 acres west side Scuppernong River. Test, J. Watkins, Ann Spruell.

Sarah Smith to Thomas Bray; July 15, 1719. 150 acres on Wicacon Creek. Test, Abram Blewlitt, John Ramsey, John Sawyer.

James Blount and wife Elizabeth to John Swain; Jan. 28, 1719. 300 acres on South Shore, butting upon Wilkinson's land. Test, John Worley, Thomas Long.

Edward Pierce, of Bath, to John Walker. 530 acres on South side Chowan Sound binding on Kendreeks Creek and Deep Run. Apl. 6, 1719. Test, Zilpah Blount, James Coleman, John Edwards.

John Smith to Thomas Bray; Feb. 22, 1714. Assignment of a

Patent for 600 acres. Test, Daniel Halsey, Ann Smith, Wm. Perna.

Thomas Luten, Jr., to Francis Branch; Oct. 15, 1713. 238 acres on North west side Mattacomack Creek. Test, Thos. Luten, Robert Hicks.

John Slocumb, of Bath, to Henry Bonner; Nov. 5, 1714. 200 acres on North side Mattacomack Creek. Test, Robt. Hicks, Charles Williams.

Thomas Bonner and wife Elizabeth, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Samuel Patchett; Oct. 18, 1714. 50 acres N. W. side of Mattacomack known as Thomas Bonner's tract." Test, Thos. Yates, Jno. Nairn.

Jno. Banks, of Perquimans, to John Urmstone Clerk. Registered May 2, 1715. 300 acres butting to the Southward on Albemarle Sound, to the Eastward land of Wm. Benbury, westward lands of Col. Wm. Wilkinson.

Lazarus Thomas and wife Mary to Thomas Sturges; Apl. 16, 1715. 100 acres adjoining Lane Martin and the Horse Swamp. Test, Wm. Mixon, Richard Williamson.

Same to same; Apl. 16, 1715. 100 acres South side Chowan River adjoining lands of John Thomas and Horse Swamp.

Martha Williams to her father Lewis Williams. Power of Atty to acknowledge deed for 120 acres to Robert Lanier, sold by Anthony Williams and wife Martha to said Lanier; Apl. 16, 1715. Test, Wm. Mixon, Lazarus Thomas.

Daniel Smith and wife Asia to Thomas Bale; Apl. 19, 1715. 200 acres on Cushoke Creek.

Isaac Lewis to John Council; Apl. 17, 1715. Assignment of a deed.

Edward Taylor and wife Ann to Wm. Keel; Apl. 17, 1715. 200 acres on Wicacon Creek. Test, Wm. Crawford, John Council.

Ellinor Merritt to Wm. Mixon. Power of Attorney to acknowledge deed to Rich'd Barefield for land sold by my husband Charles Merritt and Peter Evans to said Barefield, 280 acres on Deep branch. Test, Wm. Mixon, Peter Evans.

Same to same to acknowledge deed to James Peake, of Boston, Executed by my husband Charles Merritt for 130 acres on South side of Chowan River, at ye mouth of Deep Branch; Apl. 16, 1715. Test, Peter Evans, Richard Barefield.

Richard Burtonshall to John Yates. Assignment of a Survey and plot for 134 acres; Oct. 26, 1714. Test, Wm. Wilkinson, Sarah Wilkinson.

Peter Evans to Edward Howard; Apl. 19, 1715. Tract of land

on West side Chowan River, at Deep Creek. Test, Wm. Crawford, Edy Hardy.

William Hardy and wife Edith to John Hassell; Jan. 29, 1714. 100 acres on Scuppernong River at Rider's Creek. Test, Wm. Wilkinson, Edw'd Burrell, Edith Hardy, her brother Robt. Fewox to acknowledge deed.

John Miner and wife Elizabeth of Nansemond Co., Va., and Peter Evans to Michael Dorman; Feb. 15, 1714-5. 100 acres at Bear Creek.

Thomas Bray to Orlando Champion; Nov. 1, 1721. Assignment of a Deed. Test, Adam Cockburne.

William Collins and wife Mary of Nansemond Co., Va., to Mary Braswell, 8ber 21, 1721. 190 acres on North side Meherrin River. Test, Martha Williams.

John Thompson, of New York City, to James Hodgson; Jan. 9, 1721. 204 acres. Patent issued to Chas. Barber, lying on Casia River. Patent dated Mch., 1720. Test, Henry Speller, Samuel Denham, Jonathan Fierson.

Charles Barber and wife Elizabeth to John Thompson; Jan. 8, 1721. 132 acres at mouth of Isaac's Creek running into Casia River. Test, Henry Speller, John Freeman, Millard Thorpe.

Henry Haughton to John Blount; Nov. 9, 1721. 25 acres bought of my brother Wm. Haughton and contained in his Patent. Test, Thos. and Chas. Haughton, Robert Wicks.

John Herrington and wife Elizabeth to Edward Williams; July 12, 1721. Tract of land on Kendreek's Creek. Test, Wm. Lattimore, Wm. Swinson, Peter Stancele.

Wm. Skoiles to Luke Meazle; Mch 24, 1721. Assignment Patent for 140 acres at the head of a creek, north side Morattuck River.

Bazil Sanderson, of Antiqua, to Wm. Hill, of Antiqua; June 1, 1721. Tract of land sold by Edmund Porter to Edw'd Moseley, where his mother Mary lived, also plantation where his father John Porter formerly dwelt lying near to Bluff Point, 86 acres bought of Wm. Haughton lying back of said lands, said Moseley assigned them to Jno. Lovick and he sold to said Sanderson. Test, Roger Adams, Thos. Lillie, Gilbert Fleming.

William Hill to John Lovick and Henry Clayton. Power of Atty; June 21, 1721. Test, Roger Adams, Thos Lillie.

William Havett and wife Mary, widow of Thos. Clark to Thomas Harvey, of Perquimans Co., Power of Attorney to bring suit for his wife's third interest in Thos. Clark's Estate; May 26, 1721. Test, James Ward, James Chesson, Ann Chesson.

John Hassell to his son Edward Hassell; Apl. 6, 1722. 600 acres

except 50 acres sold Sam'l Wilkinson, and 300 sold Joseph Cannon. Test, Thos. Urmstone, Jno. Halton.

Wm. Duckingfield to the Church Wardens and rest of the Vestry of the South-west Parish, do give and grant them 52 acres land, lying on the North-west side of Ducking Run, Beginning at the first small branch below the Nots bridge or mill dam on Ducking Run, and running up the run so far as it runs into ye woods, so that it may be laid unto a Geometrical Square, to hold all the land (except two acres adjoining the mill-dam to be for the use of a mill to be laid out in a Geometrical Square) to them and their successors forever, for a Glebe or for building a \*Church or Chappell and whatever uses the Vestry and their successors may think convenient for promoting the true worship of God; Oct. 17, 1721. Test, Samuel Warren, James Ward, Thomas West.

Joseph Nowell to Robert Fullerton. 175 acres land on Tindal Swamp; April 4, 1722. Test, Thos. Luten, Jr.

John Gray to Wm. Drew, of Surry Co., Va., May 22, 1721. 460 acres on South side Morattuck River, beginning at John Gray's corner, &c. Test, Wm. Maule, Wm. Gray.

John Hamilton to John Gray; Augt. 7, 1721. 460 acres on South side Morattuck river, beginning at Jno. Gray's corner. Test, Wm. Maule, Wm. Gray, Wm. Comrie.

Same to same. 500 acres South side Morattuck River beginning at an Elm on the River side adjoining land of Arthur Davis; July 7, 1721.

Wm. Gray to James Turner; Dec. 19, 1721. 320 acres on South side of Morattuck River, on Goose Meadow, adjoining lands of John Bryan; Dec. 19, 1721. Test, John Gray, Wm. Comrie, B. Hatcher.

William Gray to John Bryan. 320 acres South side Morattuck River, beginning at a paw-paw gum John Nairns corner on the River, Dec. 18, 1721.

Joseph Coleson to Isaac Price; Augt. 19, 1721. 100 acres on North side Morattuck River. Test, Wm. Gray, John Gray.

Benj. Foreman and wife Verity to Geo. Williams; May 4, 1722. 320 acres one half the tract I now live on. Test, Wm. Maule, Wm. Comrie.

Richard Milton to the same; Apl. 4, 1722. 640 acres on N. E. side Morattuck River. Test, Wm. Maule, Wm. Comrie.

Robert Lang to Gideon Gibson; May 8, 1722. 540 acres on S. W. side Morattuck River and Quinse Creek. Test, Wm. Maule, Wm. Comrie, John Gray.

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\*This Chapel was built at what is now called "Chapel Bridge" within one mile of Merry Hill. Bertie County, N. C. The foundations of the old mill spoken of in the deed are still to be seen.

Frederick Jones to Edward Moseley; April, 10, 1722. 400 acres on Kendreek's Creek, bought of John Walker. Test, Sarah Stewart, Roger Hazard, Jno. Anesley.

Edward Moore and wife Margaret to James Corre, 8ber 13, 1722. 50 acres adjoining land of Martin Gardner. Test, Patrick Candedy, Wm. Jones.

John Cook to John Rasberry; Aug. 12, 1720. Assignment of Patent for 312 acres called "Gilly Cranky." Test, Jno. Crombie, Thos. Ball, John Rasberry assigns same to Jno. Williams; Mch, 7. 1722.

Frances Smith to John Aires; Dec. 1, 1720. Assignment Patent for 92 acres on Yoppim River. Assignment dated Dec. 23, 1720. Test, Edw'd Standing, Thomas Pierce.

John Cook to Thomas Hardy; Feb. 19, 1721-2. 157 acres adjoining lands of John Holbrook. Test, Jno. Crombie, John Byrd, Roger Snell.

Robert Hicks to John Jernigan; Aug. 6, 1719. Assignment Patent for 600 acres on Cattawasky Meadows. Deed dated July 17, 1722. Test, James Wood, Wm. Badham.

Same to same; Oct. 6, 1719. 500 acres adjoining above. Deed dated July 17, 1722.

Henry Speller to Wm. Lattimer; Mch. 21, 1721. 175 acres on North side Morttuck River known as Berry's plantation in Flaisher's Neck. Test, Sam'l Stancele, Robt. Bale.

John Dickinson to Thomas Hart, of Surry Co., Va.; July 12, 1722. 300 acres adjoining land of Richard Melton, known as the Village.

James Parker to Wm. Eason; July 12, 1722. Illegible.

James Parker & wife Sarah to Henry Emanson; May, 1721. 300 acres on Flagg Run.

Charles Pate to Thomas Rogers; May 14, 1719. 100 acres formerly Edw'd Berry's on North side Morattuck River. Test, Wm. Latimore, Elizabeth Lattimore.

Robert West and wife Frances to Thos. Yeates; July 23, 1722. 640 acres a Patent dated 8ber 19, 1716.

Lydia Turner to Edward Wingate; Mch 28, 1722. Power of Atty to sell 100 acres on Tindall Swamp to Sam'l Pagett. Test, Wm. Willson, Wm. Badham.

John Jones to Samuel Pagett; 8ber 19, 1721. Assignment of a Patent dated Jan. 3, 1690. Test. Robt. Hicks, Adam Cockburne.

John Yelverton and wife Elizabeth to Henry West; July 18, 1722. 50 acres adjoining lands of John Nairn. Test, Wm. Jones, Wm. Eason.

Thomas Power, Jr., assigns Patent to Samuel Warner; May 1, 1722. Test, Samuel Standing.

James Singleton to John Davenport; Jan'y 28, 1720-1. 180 acres West side Cuscopening River. Test, Sam'l Spruell, Jos. Spruell.

John Pettiver to Henry Bonner. 263 acres on Rockyhook Creek. Date of Deed Aug. 4, 1722; Date of Patent Feb. 18, 1714-5. Test, Robt. Hicks, James Palin.

John Nairn and wife Mary to James Collins; July 18, 1722. 100 acres on South side Morattuck River. Test, John Bryan, John Canhedy, Daniel McDaniel.

Same to Daniel McDaniel. 200 acres adjoining land of Wm. Drew.

Jno. Sessions to John Gardner; July 4, 1722. Assignment of a Patent for 350 acres on North side Swift's Creek and South side Morattuck River; dated Apl. 1, 1720. Test, Wm. Lattimore, Elizabeth Lattimore.

James Parker and wife Sarah to Henry West. Tract of land adjoining land of Jno. Nairn and Wm. Eason.

John Yelverton and wife Elizabeth to Robert West; July 18, 1722.

John Nairn and wife Mary to Owen McDaniel; 100 acres.

Thomas Busbe to John Page. 320 acres part of a Patent for 640 acres on North side Morattuck River, joining land of James Blount. Test, George Williamson, Thos. Bonner.

Thos. Long assigns Patent for 380 acres land on South side Morattuck River dated Mch 15, 1715, by Wm. Rodes. Assignment dated May 19, 1722. Test, Wm. Rodes, Thos. Evans.

John Walker to Thos Bele; Aug. 1, 1722. 420 acres South side Chowan Sound on Kendreek's Creek and Deep Run. Test, Jno. Davis, Joshua Porter, Patrick Ogilby.

Godfrey Spruell, of Scuppernong, to Matt. Kaswell; Mch. 14, 1720-1. 500 acres West side Scuppernong River, adjoining lands of John Hopkins called Hawtree Branch. Test, Samuel Spruell, Joseph Spruell.

Beal Brown to Christian King, of Nansemond Co., Va.; July 30, 1722. Test, Edward Jenkins, Jno. Nairn.

William Maule to Henry Baker; April 1, 1720. 130 acres west side Chowan River, adjoining land of James Boon, part of a Patent. Test, Robt. Forster, H. Clayton, Jno. Lovick, Thos. Bray, Roger Hazard.

Nath'l Halsey and wife Jean to Benjamin McKinne; Mch. 16, 1720-1. 50 acres South side Morattuck River and south of Michael's Meadows. Test, John Gray, Rd. Jackson, Gideon Giboney.

Bartholomew McKinnie, Deed of Gift to his son-in-law Isaac Ricks. 100 acres formerly granted to Nath'l Holley, called "Nap-

kin's Work"; Mch. 28, 1722. Test, Barnaby McKinne, Jr., Rd. Jackson.

Barth Chavers to Richard Jackson; Mch. 30, 1722. 100 acres west side Morattuck Swamp. Test, Isaac Ricks, Barnabe McKinne.

Nath'l Holley and wife Jean, to Rd. Jackson; Apl. 1, 1713. 100 acres South side Moratuck River part of Patent to Wm. Brown for 640 acres. Test, Barnaby McKinne, Isaac Ricks. 1722.

Wm. Jones and wife Ann to Richard Jackson; Jan'y 5, 1721. 120 acres South side Morattuck River. Test, Barna McKinne, B. McKinne, Jr.

Wm. Ledbetter to John Bowin; March, 1721. 610 acres South side Morattuck River, adjoining land of John Smith. Test, Barna McKinne, B. McKinne, Jr.

William Murphy to Barnabe McKinne, Jr.; Mch. 27, 1722. 530 acres South side Moratuck River, adjoining land of Arthur Davis. Test, Isaac Ricks, Rd. Jackson.

Arthur Davis to Barnabe McKinne; 1722. 350 acres South side Morattuck River. Patent granted to me Aug. 5, 1720. Test, Isaac Ricks, Rd. Jackson.

David Comings and wife Frances to Alex Bone; Apl. 21, 1722. 190 acres part of a patent for 340 acres on South side Morattuck River; patent dated Mch. 5, 1719. Test, Barnabe McKinne, Jr., Richard Jackson.

Same to Wm. Frost; Apl. 21, 1722. 50 acres part of same patent. Test, Barne McKinne, Jr., Rd. Jackson.

William Sharp to William Downing; Aug. 10, 1722. Tract of land called Woodward's adjoining lands of Lewis Williams, John Smith, — McLendon, Mount Pleasant; 2000 acres on Chowan River, Weecaon and Woodward's Creeks. Test, Patrick Maule, Geo. Durant, Sam'l Swann, Edw'd Moseley.

Robt. Riddick to Sam'l Woodward. Tract of land North Shore of Chowan River Patented by Thos. Gilbert. Test, Clement Hammond, Jos. Young.

John Davis and wife Mary to James Peek. 500 acres adjoining lands of Dennis Maclenden and Michael Hill; Apl. 16, 1722. Test, Wm. Crawford, Katharine Crawford.

Edward Champion, brother of Orlando Champion, to Henderson Luten, received title by will of his father Edward Champion, N. E. part of his father's tract of land on N. E. side Mattacomack Creek. 55 acres; Apl. 18, 1722. Test, Thos. Spiers.

Edward Howard and wife Mary to James Howard; Apl. 19, 1722. 300 acres on Ahotsky Marsh and Black Walnut Branch, surveyed by Geo. Gladstain. Test, Jno. Rasberry, John Walsh.

James Maglohan to John Welsh; Jan. 25, 1721-2. 150 acres,



S. E. side Blind Neck Branch; patent granted to James Fleiry; Augt. 29, 1714. Test, John Champion, George Turnidge.

Same to Francis Ellis; Apl. 16, 1722. 490 acres on Indian Town Creek and Mossy Swamp, patented for John Jackson and by him sold to Sam'l Bozman, and by Bozman to John Arline, it being a release from Robert Hicks. Test, John Parker, John Parker, Jr.

Cornelius Harnett to Christopher Gale. Tract of land recently bought of John Nairn on Queen Anne's Creek; 120 acres; bounded to the North on said Creek, East by the land where Edward Wingate now lives and west by land of Wm. Coward; Apl. 7, 1722. Test, Wm. Frilie, Sam'l Swann, Edw'd Moseley.

Thomas Stubbs and wife Mary to Nath'l Everett. 100 acres near Morattuck bridge, adjoining lands of Benjamin Blount and Zachariah Girkin; Apl. 14, 1722. Test, Wm. Rodes, Cornelius Callihan.

Nath'l Everett to Thomas Stubbs; Apl. 16, 1722. 100 acres near Morattuck Bridge. Test, Wm. Rodes, Cornelius Callihan.

Timothy Truelove to George Clark; Sept. 17, 1728. Assignment of a Patent for 400 acres dated 8ber 19, 1716. Test, Wm. Badham, Clement Hammond.

James Williams to Jonathan Taylor; Feb'y 22, 1720-1. 300 acres South side Quitsna, on Morattuck River, patented in name Jas. Williamson. Test, Rich'd Baley, Thos. Taylor.

William Eason to Farlow Ogmier, of Nansemond Co., Va., Deed of Gift for Tract of Land, adjoining land of James Blount, patented by me in 1721. Test, Wm. Jones, Jas. Parker; July 12, 1722.

Matthew Casswell, of Alligator, to George Whedbee; Jan. 19, 1719-20. 150 acres North side Alligator Creek, adjoining Voss' plantation on one side and Wm. Casswell on the other. Test, Cornelius Fitzpatrick, Joseph Winship.

William Wilkinson to Edward Phelps; 8ber 5, 1716. 100 acres East side Scuppernong River called the Broad Neck. Test, Derby Phelps, Jas. Watkins, James Smith.

Thomas Garrett and wife Thomazin to John Goodwin; July 10, 1722. 110 acres South side Warwick Swamp. Test, Thos. Garrett, Sr., John Raner.

Same to John Brinkley, of Nansemond Co., Va. 150 acres S. E. side Warwick Swamp; July 16, 1722. Test, John Goodwin, Edward Wood.

John Goodin and wife Mary to John Freeman. 50 acres North side Warwick Swamp; July 16, 1722. Test, Thomas Garrett, Sr., Thos. Garrett, Jr.

John Goodin and wife Mary to John Rainer, July 16, 1722. 50 acres S. Side Warwick Swamp.

Edward Outlaw to Wm. Devilling; Meh. 28, 1720. 75 acres North Side Warwick Swamp. Test, John Gooding, Edw'd Wood, Edw'd Burke.

John Gatling to John Edwards; June 22, 1722. 258 acres on Morattuck, South side of Welch's Creek.

Peter West and wife Priscilla to Mary Williams. Deed for land, Sber, 26, 1722. Test, Sam'l Smith, Wm. Moore.

Richard McGuire to Matt White; Apl. 2, 1722. 100 acres on Indian Creek. Test, John Jordan, John Parker.

Richard Skinner, of Perquimans, to my son-in-law Matthew Gums. 100 acres in Perquimans, bounded by lands of James Thigpen and Joseph Newby; Aug. 4, 1722. Test, Robt. Hicks, Esther Hicks.

Sam'l Clark to Cornelius Leary; Jan. 18, 1721. Tract of land where my father lately dwelt, on South side Yawpim River. Test, Jas. Springer, Rich'd Leary.

George Winn to John Mitchell; July 9, 1722. 200 acres adjoining Wm. Hooker. Test, Wm. Crawford, Wm. Barnes.

George Hughes to Thos. Jernigan, (both of Nansemond Co., Va.). 100 acres part of a patent granted me. (Date Aug. 9, 1718.); Sber 13, 1722. Test, Jno. Hewes, Rt. Hicks.

Thos. Jernigan to Geo. Hewes; Sber 13, 1722. 340 acres patented by said Jernigan Feb'y 22, 1719. Test, John Hews, R'd Taylor, Robt. Hicks.

Richard Berryman to John Lassiter; July 10, 1722. Assignment of a Patent for 100 acres dated Jan. 19, 1715-6. Test, Rt. Hicks, Jno. Parker.

Same to John Lassiter; July 10, 1722. 200 acres, also 100 acres, patent assigned, dated Jan. 19, 1716-6.

Same to Same. 200 acres patented Aug. 6, 1719.

John Walker, of Bath, to Thomas Bell. Tract of Land South side Kendreek's Creek.

Thomas Speight and wife Mary to Jacob Hinton. Tract of land in Chowan. Test, Isaac Hunter; Wm. Davis.

Jane Spivey, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Isaac Hinton, Jr., of Same County. Tract of land on Meherrin Swamp, adjoining land of Nicholas Hunter; Meh 26, 1722.

John Gatling, of Bath, to Jno. Edwards and Jno. Worley. Power of Attorney; Sber 30, 1722. Test, Lewis Johnson, Ann Golding.

John Edwards and wife Zilpah, to John Powell, Mariner; Sber 30, 1722. Tract of land bequeathed to my wife Zilpah by will of Mary Blount, in pursuance of will of Zilpah's father Thomas Blount,

being the half part of said tract; 8ber 30, 1722. Test, John Porter, John Swinson, Wm. Downing.

Jacob Lewis to Peter West; 8ber 21, 1722. Tract of land in Cow Hall Pocosin. Patent to me for 640 acres, Dec. 3, 1720. Test, Sarah Smith, Wm. Moore.

Jacob Lewis to Thomas Spiers. Power of Attorney to acknowledge deed; 8ber 21, 1722.

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### MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

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(From the Records of Albemarle County at Edenton, N. C.)

Honble Fred'k Jones was Chief Justice 1717--8, 9, 20 and 21.

Col. Wm. Wilkinson was 62 yrs old in 1705. (Affidavit.)

Jane Pike, Adm'x of Patrick McGregor, suit vs. John Palin and Nath'l Chevin, Exrs. of Africa Hicks. (1718).

In 1714 Col. Wm. Reed and Rich'd Sanderson were the largest property owners in Currituck Precinct.

North Carolina Ss. Chas. Eden, Governor:

These may certify that Mr. William Charlton, Sr., has been in the Country's Service by my order as Interpreter to the Indians Twelve days. Given under my hand at Chowan, April the 13th, 1721.

CHARLES EDEN.

To Mr. Thos. West, Treasurer,

For Chowan Precinct to pay.

Rev. Ebenezer Taylor died on his way from Pampticoe to Core Sound, so says a letter written to Gov. Chas. Eden, Feb. 22, 1720, by Richard Rustull; he was in company with Daniel McDaniel & Son and a negro named Jack, the weather was extremely cold; he is buried on a Sand hill on the South west end of Cedar Island. He died in a canoe refusing to go on shore with the others; he had quite a large sum of money on his person, which after his death disappeared. McDaniel however showed that he delivered it and his other effects to other parties.

A General Court was held for the Province of N. Carolina at the General Court House att Queen Anne's Creek in Chowan Precinct, July 25, 1721. Present Hon. Fred'k Jones, Chief Justice, Jno. Blount, Rob't West, Thos. Pollock, Jr., Esqrs., Justices.

Mrs. Frederick Jones, wife of the Chief Justice, died in March, 1719. So stated at the Court of Oyer and Terminer held at the Court House in Chowan Precinct Meh. 31st, 1719. "Chief Justice Fred'k Jones absent on account of the death of his Lady." Signed, Jno. Blount, Jno. Palin, Jno. Hardy.

A "General Court of Pleas and Oyer & Terminer & Gen'l Gaol

Delivery" was held at the house of Capt. Richard Sanderson on Little River on Tuesday the 27th day of Mch., 1716. Present, Chr. Gale, Chief Justice, Capt. Richard Sanderson, Thos. Miller, Griffith Jones, Jno. Worley, Robert West.

Robert Hicks was appointed Clerk of this Court and took the oaths of office prescribed by law.

"Thomas Swann produced a license from ye Honble Governor to Plead as an Attorney in any Court of Record in ye Government, took and subscribed the oaths required by law."

Thursday the 27th. The reading and publishing of the Laws of this Government was finished.

Richard Pickering and Emarita Maria, his wife, proved an account vs. the Estate of Peter Colin, dec'd.

"Att a Court of Oyer & Terminer held at the Court House in Chowan Precinct 28th 8ber, 1718. Present, Jno. Blount, Thos. Harvey, Jno. Worley, Jno. Hardy.

"A letter from the Honble Governor from Bath-Town wherein is signified that a great number of Indians near Bath Town have already taken some captors & threaten the rest of the Inhabitants with Destruction is read in Court upon which is ord'd, That the Court be adjourned till the next Court in course to wch Court all business is continued and accordingly it is adjourned."

Commission of Gov. Chas. Eden to members of the Court as follows: Christopher Gale, Chief Justice, John Blount, Thomas Miller, John Pettiver, Anthony Hatch, John Porter, Nicholas Crisp, Godfrey Spruell and Griffin Jones, Assistants. (Dec. 3rd, 1714). Court held at the house of Anthony Dawson for Precinct of Perquimans, July 8th, 1701.

A General Court was held at the house of Capt. Thomas Lee, July 29, 1712. Present, Maj. Chr. Gale, Chief Justice, Fra. Delamare, Capt. Thomas Relf, Thomas Garrett, Esq., Justices.

William Benbury's will was proved by oath of Henry Bonner. Robert Buckner Clerk Court in 1712.

Her Majesty's ship Garland was driven ashore at Coratuck Inlet Nov. 28, 1709. Capt. Isaac Cooke was Commander. Salvage bill was 101£ 5s. 11d.

A General Court was held at the Court House on Queen Anne's Creek Oct. 31st, 1721. Present: Jno. Blount, Jno. Worley and Robert West, Justices. Only one civil suit was tried, two defendants found guilty of stealing a ram were ordered to receive 31 lashes on their bare backs and one more on the next morning. (We presume the one more was for good measure).

Jno. Hecklefield Guardian of Ann Mackey in 1717.

Pasquotank Pr: "These are to Certify that ye Oldest Record in

the Clerks office for ye Prect. afsd for acknowledgments of Land bears date ye 7th day of January, 1689 Given my hand ye 31st day of March Ano Domi, 1713." R. Norris, Clk. Court.

Mary, wife of Wm. Jennings, came from St. Mary's County, Md., to North Carolina. She was here present Dec. 23rd, 1692. Col. Wm. Wilkinson was from the same place.

A Court was held at the house of James Thickpen on Perquimans River April 8, 1707. Present: The Justices. Jno. Norcom's suit vs. Wm. Haughton was settled.

John Blount aged 34 years or thereabouts made affidavit 6th of 9ber, 1705, to contract between Col. Wm. Wilkinson and Aaron Oliver.

Katharine Bonner had a suit with Nath'l Chevin in 1705.

A printed bond appears from Francis Casswell, of Alligator River, to Christopher Gale, of Bath Town, dated August 1st, 1711. Test, Henry Bonner, Jos. Oliver. "4£ 10s for two full Gaged bbls of Pork at Col. Boyd's house."

A General Court of the Colony holden at the house of Capt. Jno. Hecklefield, Oct. 28th, 1712. Present, Maj. Chr. Gale, Fra. Delamere, Thos. Relf, Esq., Justices.

Mary Hobbs granted administration on Estate of David Wharton, of Bath County.

Obadiah Hare & wife Ann acknowledged deed to Jno. Lewis.

Margaret Slatter Spence exhibited Inventory Est Gilbert Smyth.

John Slocumb & wife Admrs of James Blount, dec'd. (1715).

John Blount, Jr., 38 years old in 1715.

A General Court was held for ye Province at the house of Capt. Rich'd Sanderson on Little River, Jan'y 26, 1715. Present, Hon. Chris. Gale, Chief Justice, Jno. Porter, Thos. Miller, Antho. Hatch and Nicholas Crisp, Esqrs., Associates.

Elizabeth Long widow & Exx. of James Long, 1715.

Thomas Baker Armistead, June 12, 1772. Master Schr. Sally bound for Barbadoes. Wm. Armistead Surety.

Wm. Bell, Treasurer Currituck Precinct in 1714.

Thomas Harris' will Augt. 1st, 1665, mentions wife Diana Exx & heir. Witness Robert West, Sr., Robert West, Jr., widow Diana Forster left one son John Harris who had several children, all of whom died except the daughter, who married Nathaniel Nicholson. Harris settled at Muddy Creek.

Wm. Godfrey aged 50 years in 1708.

A General Court was held at the house of Col. Jno. Hecklefield Oct. 31st, 1704. Present, Wm. Glover, Thos. Symons, Jno. Blount. Richard Davenport 66 years of age in 1708.

Edward Bonwick, Attorney General in 1714, and for some years prior.

John Middleton 34 years of age. Master of Sloop Pennsylvania. (April 22, 1714.)

Elizabeth Goodlett, widow otherwise called Elizabeth Swann, Exx. of the last will and testament of Maj. Sam'l Swann. (No date.)

Thomas Averit, surety with John Porter on Bond dated Aug. 9, 1713. Mentions Averit's Landing in Perquiman's Precinct.

A General Court was held at the house of Capt. Jno. Hecklefield July 23rd, 1711. Present, Maj. Chris. Gale, Thos. Miller, Capt. Jno. Pettiver, Antho. Hatch. Also Oct. 26, 1714. Present, Maj. Chris. Gale, Thos. Miller, Jno. Porter, Nicholas Crisp and Thos. Harvey.

Dan'l Richardson qualified at this Court as Att'y General.

Charles Hopton and Grace Beasley were married by consent of her mother in Virginia March 3rd, 1720-1.

William Maule, Surveyor General in 1715.

Michael Kearney, of Va., suit vs. Arnold Hopkins (1719).

A General Court for the Province was held at the house of Capt. Richard Sanderson Mch. 29th, 1715. Present, Christopher Gale, Chief Justice, Jno. Porter, Antho. Hatch, Thos. Harvey and Thos. Miller. Death of Thomas Peterson (an Attorney) was announced.

Margaret Smith, Admx., Sam'l Slocumb 1715.

William Collins 19 years old in 1716.

A General Court for the Province was held at the Court House in Edenton, July, 1722. Present, Chris. Gale, Esq., Chief Justice. A new Commission from ye Lords Proprietors appointing Jno. Palin, Robert West, Jno. Worley, Edmund Gale, Adam Cockburn, Henry Clayton, Jno. Solley, Jno. Cotton, Cullen Pollock, Barnaby McKinne, Justices, was read.

Thos. Avery overseer of the road over Ballard's bridge in Chowan in 1722.

Wm. Wallis Guardian of Robert whose father died in 1712. (Pasquotank 1715.)

John Pettiver married Ann late widow of Isaac Wilson (1716).

Anthony Hatch Treasurer of the Province in 1722.

Ezekiel Weeks appears in the Province in 1717 and Joseph Hall in 1715.

Ann Mackey, an infant, by her Guardian, Jno. Porter enters suit vs. John Clark (1718).

Michael Kearney in Province of N. C. in 1720.

Edmund Kearney assignee of Timothy Bloodworth, of Nansemond Co., Va., July Court 1719 vs. Epaphroditus Benton and Thomas Jernegan, Nansemond Court, Va.

Wm. Wyn and Dorothy Wyn, of Bath Co., (1717), suit vs. —

A General Court was held at the House of Capt. John Hecklefield March 20, 1708. Present, Chr. Gale, Chief Justice, John Blount, Francis De La Mare, Wm. Barkliff, assistants.

Petition of Joseph Sanderson states that Sarah Bell, Keziah Bell and Ann Bell were orphans of William Bell, Sr., of Currituck, and that Benjamin Peyton was the administrator of said Bell, Wm. Little Attorney for Petitioner. (1713).

Thomas Holmes appeared in a suit in Court (1713).

Joseph Jordan and Filia Christian, his wife, were subpoenaed as witnesses in case of Emanuel Jordan vs. Ann Hendley. (1713--4).

Mary Lawson, widow and Exx. of James Fewox (1713).

Richard Rose G'd'n of Sarah Rose 1714.

A General Court was held at the house of Capt. Thos. Lee, March 1714.

John Pirkins appears in Currituck in 1714.

Suit of Wm. Duckingfield, Assignee of Dame Catharine Hyde vs. Henry King (1713).

John Hardy at a Court held Oct. 7, 1695, proved his rights for importation of himself, Charity Hardy, William Hardy, Mary Hardy, John Hardy, Jr., Thomas Hardy and Jacob Hardy, Nath'l Chev-in Clk Court.

Francis Rountree and George Laceter lived on the borders of Virginia in 1703.

April 1696. Timothy Clare proves rights for himself, wife Elizabeth.

Jane Byer proves her rights, Self, Richard Byers, Laurence Nogall, Jane Byer, Robert Boge, Wm. Boge, Margaret Boge, Wm. Moore, Jas. Loadman.

Chas. McDaniel proves his rights, himself, wife Elizabeth, Jno. Stepney Clk Court.

Jno. Steward was dead in 1694. Inventory estate returned.

A General Court was held at Capt. Jno. Hecklefield's March 13, 1714. Present, Chr. Gale, Fras. Delamare, Thos. Miller, Jno. Pettiver, Esqs., Justices.

Hugh McGregory & Africa his wife (1695).

Margaret Pell, Exr. and relict of John Pell in Currituck, Sept. 21st, 1699, exeutes deed to Azricom Parker.

Patrick Henley married Sarah Culpepper widow of John. Henley was dead Feb'y 24, 1695, and his widow Sarah married Matthew Pritchard of Pasquotank.

A Court for the Precinct of Pasquotank was held at the house of Mrs. Margaret Peterson widow, Oct. 21st, 1701. Present Henry White, Jeremiah Symons, Wm. Relf, Justices.

A Court was held at the house of Capt. Barrow in Bath 1st Monday in July, 1705. Present, Wm. Barrow, James Leigh, Edmund Pearce, Lionel Reading and John Wilson, Jr., Justices. Suit of Nicholas Tyler vs. William Brice was tried.

John Henderson was appointed Collector of ye Quit Rents, Nov. 7th, 1701.

Samuel Spruill, Joseph Spruill and John Swain petition Honble Fred'k Jones, Chief Justice, not to be taken from their limits to work on the South Lancaster road as there are about 15 or 16 Tythables within the limits of South Lancaster.

July 18, 1713. Thomas Cary, of Warwick Co., Va., in an affidavit states his age to be 43 or thereabouts, Miles Cary, the elder, same date 42 years or thereabouts. The depositions relate to the sale of a negro named Stephen by Ann Akehurst to Miles Carey, Jr., Elizabeth Carey aged 34 yrs went to dwell at the house of Daniel Akehurst in 1695. John Smith of York Co., aged 30 yrs., deposition taken at the house of Mr. James Bates. Certificate of Alex Spotswood, Governor of Va., Certifying that Wm. Cole was a Justice for Warwick Co., Va., and that Richard Bland was a Justice for York Co., July 18th, 1713.

A General Court was holden ye last day of November 1690. Present, Honble Deputy Governor Daniel Akehurst, Francis Tomes, Benj. Laker, Sam'l Swann, Capt. Dawson, Major Lillington.

Thos. Stephens and wife Jane acknowledged deed for land sold to Benj. Laker on Castleton Creek.

Major Swann Att'y for Col. Ludwell to prosecute Suit vs. Executors of Seth Sothel for rents of 4,000 acres of land for four years due by Act of Assembly. Jury found that Seth Sothel held 4,000 acres land at Salmon Creek. (Now owned by Dr. W. R. Capehart and his sisters.)

Appraisers appointed for Estate of Thomas Hunt.

Evan Jones proves his rights for importation, himself twice, wife twice, Evan Jones, Sr., James Jones, Uphrasia Jones, Eliz Holloway.

A General Court was held for Province of North Carolina July 29th, 1707, att the house of Capt. Jno. Hecklefield on Little River. Present Maj. Chr. Gale and Mr. John Blount, Justices, James Minge qualified as a Justice and Francis Delamare a Justice appeared next day.

Invoice of goods consigned to John Pettiver in York River, Va., per Robert Starkey in 9ber, 1699. Thos. Peterson, Atty for Daniel Zachary, of Boston, New England, who consigned the goods.

James Thigpen proves his rights, Self, wife, sons James and John



Wm. Haughton, son of Thomas Haughton, petitions for administration Est. of his father.

Col. Robert Quarry Surveyor Generall of His Majest's Customs in America Commissioned Jno. Falconer Commissioner of Customs in North Carolina (November 1706).

Thomas Harvey chose Jno. Ardene as his Gdn (1706).

Edward Hyde, Governor, N. Chevin, Wm. Reed and Thos. Peterson Councillors Commissioned Christopher Gale, Jno. Blount, Fras. Delamare, Rich'd Sanderson, Thos. Relfe and Thos. Garrett members of the Generall Court 12th day of ——— 1712.

Will of Cornelius Tully Augt. 3d, 1708; July 19, 1709. Currituck. Wife Jane, daughter Mary, son Thomas. Test, Wm. Cartwright, Mary Clarke, Vallentine Row.

John Pettiver married Ann widow of Henry Norman who left son Henry and daughter Mary Norman.

Jno. Worley appointed Overseer of the Highway from Mrs. Long's on the South Shore to the Flatt Swamp. Jno. Worley desired a road cut from Paw paw Neck to Kendreeks Creek. Ordered, Augt. 2d, 1716.

March 28, 1702. Benjamin Blanchard, John Campbell, Thos. Spivey, Francis Rountree, Robt. Rountree, Robert Lassiter, George Lassiter and Nicholas Stallings lived on Bennett's and Garrett's Creek in Chowan (now Gates Co). They had a dispute with the Chowan Indians who had their hunting quarters upon some of their land.

The Indians occupied about 11,000 acres of land between Bennett & Catharine Creek, granted by the Government.

A road was ordered cleared between Coratuck and Pasquotank Rivers, the Inhabitants of Pasquotank to maintain it to the Indian Town House and those of Coratuck to continue it to Mr. Brays (1706).

"A true account of ye length of every bridge from ye back landing att Scuppernong to Mrs. Long's landing in South langister. Ye outlett Swamp ye first swamp next ye back landing In Scuppernong is 94 yards; ye Rede branch is 9 yards; ye Inden Swamp is 225 yards; ye Pine Branch is 18 yards; ye Cypress Swamp is 65 yards; ye forked branch is 20 yards; ye deep branch is 14 yards; ye flatt swamp is 195 yards; ye deep swamp is 125 yards; ye thick Swamp is 80 yds; ye Crooked Poppella Swamp 212 yards; ye last grate Swamp is 85 yards; ye two Last branches is 22 yards. Ye whole 1154 yards. To ye truth here of wee ye Subscribers are ready to give in upon oath yt there is yt and rather more.

ROBERT FEWOX.

JOSEPH SPRUELL.

These are ye names of every male on the road (above) John Davenport, Rich'd Davenport, Hen. Norman, Ro. Fewex, Sam'l Spruell 2, Godfrey Spruell 2, Joseph Spruell, 2, La Alexander, Cut Phelps, Matt Casswell, Sam'l Hopkins, Tho. Winn, Will Tarkinton, Chas. Craddock, Jon. Swain 2, Jose Fisher; There is three more but they are going away Jno. Hopkins to ye banks Jone Bateman to Pampillico and Will West I cannot tell wheare, ye names of ye Inhabitants on ye East side of Seuppernong River An Alexander, Ben Alexander, Jos. Alexander, Josli Alexander, Jon Jennett, Sr., Jon. Jennett, Jos. Canings, Jon. Hassell, Sr., Ed. Hassell, John Hassell, ——— Bateman, Josh Ward.

Account of ye males yt is to work on ye three miles District in South Lancaster, Jacob Blount, James Long, Mrs. Long's son, Tho. Long, Tho. Hakings, James Smith, Jon Swain, Jon. Brown, James Hakings, Jon. Worley, Jr., Capt. Worley 2 slaves, Ro. Weston, Laz. Turner, Tho. Steely, Jon Voleway. (1706).

"Att a Court holden for the Prect of Corotuck the 12 day of July Anno Dom 1720. Present, Con'l Wm. Reed, Mr. Sam'l Swann, Mr. Thos. Taylor, Mr. Wm. Nicholson, Mr. Wm. Bell, Mr. John Woodhouse, Mr. Wm. Poyner. J. WICKER, Clk Court.

Another Court was held for the same Precinct 11th day of Octo ber, 1720. The same officers present.

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## PETITION OF EMANUEL LOW.

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(Original in Court House at Edenton. N. C.)

No. Carolina Ss. To the Honble the Justices of the Generall Court Yr. Petition'r Sheweth:

That standing Committed for the Crimes of Treason and Rebellion your Petition'r prays that he may be brought to Tryall this Court being the second Court since yr Petition'r was committed or that yr Petition'r may be discharged as is provided by ye Act of Parliam't commonly called ye Habeas Corpus Act, And your Petition'r as in duty bound shall pray.

EMAN LOW.

## QUERIES AND ANSWERS.

A lady of Henderson, N. C., wishes Joyner information. The Dawson and Joyner Crest is the same in all "English Crest Books," Thomas Joyner, of Halifax Co., N. C., married Alice Blount. Was Matthew Joyner the father of Thomas? They were people of means. Also maiden name of Gen'l Isaac Gregory's wife. The same lady writes that Hutchings Burton came from Wales, England, and settled on James River, Va. He married Tabitha Minge of a distinguished family. They had five children, John, Robert, Noel, Minge, and Hutchings. Col. Robert was an officer in the Revolutionary War. He removed to Williamsboro, Granville, Co., N. C., and married Agatha Williams only child of Judge John Williams, for whom the town was named. Minge Burton and Elizabeth Ridley. The children of Horace Burton (son of Robert) still reside at the Burton homestead.

Also desired the maiden name of the mother of Alice Bell, who married Eli Harris. It is the impression of the writer that Alice was the daughter of Col. Thomas Whitnell, of Bertie Co., N. C., who married Elizabeth West, daughter of Thomas West and wife Martha Blount. Mrs. Eli Harris had a son named Blount Harris, also another named West Harris. Also the maiden name of the mother of Mary Williams Harris, who married Phillip Alston (son of Phillip Alston and Winnefred Whitnell). Also information of the Watsons of "Colonial times," who settled in N. C.

Robert Walton emigrated from England in 1682 with Wm. Penn. His son Robert, of Prince Edward Co., Va., married Francis ———. Issue, Robert Walton of Prince Edward Co., Va., married Sally Hughes (daughter of Jesse Hughes, a Huguenot from France to Va., he lived on Hughes Creek, on James River, above Richmond, and Sally Tarleton of English birth). Issue, George Walton one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence from Georgia. (Contributed by C. L. Pullen, Esq., New Orleans, La.)

A lady of Philadelphia asks for information of the Waltons, of Virginia, particularly those of Goochland and New Kent Counties prior to the Revolution.

Wanted the ancestors of John Moseley Binford, of Northampton Co., N. C., with a view of finding the connection between him and William Moseley, of Princess Anne Co., Va. Also the Ancestry of Benjamin Parker of Charles City Co., Va., who married Nancy Binford, sister or niece of John Moseley Binford above. The appearances are that he is descended from Edward Moseley by his first wife, Sarah Woodson.

Information desired of William Wallace of the Waxhaw settlement in Mecklenburg Co., N. C. Cornwallis designated this settlement as the "Hornet's Nest." William was the son of James. William's son Jesse moved to East Tennessee. Any items relating to either will be appreciated by a lady in Atlanta, Ga.

Penelope Brownrigg, one of the Edenton Tea Party, was either the wife or daughter of George Brownrigg, which? Who can give us her name before marriage if the wife, or name of whom she married if his daughter, with the names of her children?

Geo. A. Moriarty, Jr., of Newport, R. I., wants information of the ancestors of Joseph Moseley; his mother's name was Elizabeth —, of Nixonton, N. C. Joseph was born at Lexington, Va., in 1760, removed to Salem, Mass., and married there in 1782, Elizabeth Crowninshield, of Salem.

Wanted authentic list of children of William and Elizabeth (Lewis) Kennon, of Va. By tradition they were (1) Wm. Kennon who went to N. C., was a signer of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence; married Priscilla Willis, who after his death md Wm. Flower, of Wilmington, N. C. (2) Richard Kennon (Wheeler's History of N. C., mentions a Richard Kennon of Chatham Co.) (3) Charles Kennon md Mary Lewis. (4) John Kennon md Elizabeth Woodson Feb. 11, 1789, and their daughter Elizabeth Woodson Kennon was born in Granville Co., N. C., 1783, md David Lindsey White. (5) Mary Kennon md Thomas Harrison. (6) Elizabeth md John Lewis. In particular for proof in Court, documentary evidence, the John mentioned above who md Elizabeth Woodson, was the son of this Wm. and Elizabeth (Lewis) Kennon. Please address answer to Mrs. John B. Clotworthy, Aiken, S. C.

Isaac Carter, of Bertie Co., N. C., had issue (1) Isaac Carter. Issue, 1 Josiah Carter md Miss ——— Holloman, (2) Hugh Carter, (3) Wylie Carter, (4) Isaac Carter, (5) James Carter.

Miss Hollomon lived in Hertford Co., N. C., wishes to know if any of the above were in the Rev. War. One Isaac Carter served in Capt. Robert Farmers Co., 2nd N. C. commanded by Col. John Patton, at White Plains Sept. 9th, 1778. Enlisted Sept. 1st, 1777 for 3 yrs, sick at Springfield; (2) Isaac Carter was in Capt. Clement Hall's Co. 2nd N. C., at White Plains, Sept. 9th, 1778. (3) James Carter private in Capt. Elisha Rhodes' Co., 1st N. C. Militia, commanded by Col. Samuel Jacobs Rev. War, his pay commenced May 29th, 1780. Gates County, (N. C. Col. Rec. Vol. XVI page 1031). (4) Isaac Carter in Capt. Walsh's Co., 8 N. C. Cont. Line, 1st Sept. 1777, discharged Feb'y 20th, 1780, Col. James Armstrong. (5) Isaac Carter, private Stephenson's Co. 10th Reg., N. C. Cont. Line, Col. Abraham Shepard, Enlisted Mch. 1st, 1777, for 3 yrs,

deserted June 13th, 1783. (6) Isaac Carter private Capt. Bailey's Co. 10th Reg. N. C. Cont. Line; Enlisted May 25th, 1781, for 12 mos., left the service May 25, 1782. (7) Isaac Carter private Capt. Evans Co., 10th Reg. N. C. C. Line, Enlisted Dec. 1st, 1782, for 18 mos., deserted June 11, 1783.

Moor Carter bought land from John Dickinson in Bertie, now Hertford Co., Oct. 10th, 1720, near Junction of Meherrin River and Potecasy Creek; his heirs were as follows, Jacob Carter, Isaac Carter, at least one daughter; Joseph Carter also bought land in same vicinity from John Dickinson. Deed of Gift, Feb'y 8, 1725, and Augt. 11, 1725.

James Carter bought and sold land from 1737 to 1739 in the same locality, and as planter is named as of Va., in one deed. Edmund Carter bought land at or near the same place. Jane Carter took a bond to save harmless and indemnify her from all and every part of the estate of Patience O'Quin, grand-daughter of Moor Carter, dec'd, dated May 1st, 1751. Think Jane was the daughter of Moor Carter and mother of Patience.

Isaac Carter conveys land in 1751, adjoining Moor Carter and partly in Northampton Co. Edward Carter and wife Margaret convey land to their Daughters Margaret Nicken and Mary Bent in 1751. John, Benjamin, Edward, William, Samuel, Joseph, James and Lewis Carter all appear upon Bertie records from 1725 to 1805. Also Isaac, James Carter md Treecy Tailing, Dec. 31st, 1802, Lewis Carter md Nancy Holland June 27, 1795. Samuel Carter md Elizabeth Holley May 14th, 1779. Who can assist us with the records of this family?

Thomas Blount's will recorded in Edgecombe Co.; probated in 1812 mentions as follows: Thomas H. Blount, Ann B. Toole, Mary B. Miller and Wm. Blount's heirs.

Mary S. Blount's will 1822, mentions John W. Epps, Martha B. Epps, Spencer D. Cotten, Margaret Cotten, Col. Hutchings, G. Burton, wife Sally W., Moses Mordecai, Mrs. Julia R. Snead.

John G. Blount's will 1828 mentions wife Sally Lee Blount. Thomas Blount's will, wife Jacky S. Blount, nephew John Gray Blount, son of John Gray Blount, nephew Thomas Harvey Blount, son of John Gray Blount.

The following Blounts are also mentioned in the Edgecombe Records, Patience and Mary Blount (1769), John G. Blount and Thomas Blount (1780 and 1789), William Blount (1759), Louisa Blount (1788).

A lady in Mobile, Ala., desires the ancestry of Fred'k Fisher, of Rowan Co., N. C. Also his service in the Rev. War. His son Geo.

Fisher removed to Sullivan Co., Tenn.; his daughter Rosina md James Lyons, of Ala.

James Rice Creecy md 1st, Penelope Benbury daughter of Genl. Richard Benbury and wife Penelope Creecy; issue, Thomas, Rice, William, Clinton and Corisand md George B. Nixon. He md 2nd Henrietta Burke Wilson, of Baltimore, Md. Issue Corisanne died in her 4th year, Charles Eaton Creecy, Edward Wilson Creecy, Daniel Webster Creecy and Penelope Benbury Creecy, all are dead except Charles E. and Edward W. Creecy.

William Harrell md Mary Harrell (1st cousins) children of William and John Harrell, they had a brother Hardy. An ancestor of theirs was Hardy Harrell called grand-sire Harrell. They were from Eastern N. C. but a branch of the family removed to S. C. They were connected with Mrs. Washington's family supposed to be through the Foxes. William and Mary had one child Agnes who md Jno. Lackland McIntosh, of McIntosh, Ga. 2nd md George Augustus Smith reputed to be the grand-son of the Earl of Stanhope, his mother was Martha Sweeting (both of London), Adaline Smith md Henry Carr Hornaday and had issue, (1) Nina, (2) Annie, (3) A son. All the information possible desired of this family.

Isaiah Hornaday was born in County Antrim, Ireland. He md Susannah Carr born in 1774, presumably in Randolph Co. Susannah was the daughter of William A. Carr. She had a sister Patsey. Lands were entered in Chatham Co., N. C., by Christopher, Christian, Lewis and John Hornaday. Ezekiel Hornaday was the son of Isaiah, not the one the lady desires to find; the former went to Indiana about 1800. Who can aid us in finding the other Ezekiel?

Wanted information of Col. Green Hill, of Bute Co., now Franklin. His ancestors; whom he married and the name of his children. Also Col. Nicholas Long and Lawrence Tool.

William E. Hill was born in Duplin Co., Feb. 3, 1829; died April 9, 1900. He was the son of Genl. William L. Hill and wife Ann Dudley born Dec. 28, 1785; died Feb. 7, 1860. Wm. L. Hill was the son of Thomas Hill and Frances Smith. He came from Brunswick Co., Va., Sept. 12, 1783, was residing in Duplin county, N. C., when he rec'd a deed to a large patent of land from his father Wm. Hill of Brunswick Co., Va. Test, Richard Moore, Miles Williams, Joseph Hill. It has been understood that Joseph Hill was the brother of Thomas. Frances Smith wife of Thomas Hill is said to have been from Maryland and was a woman of great wealth and prominence there. She was the 2nd wife of Thomas Hill; his 1st wife is reported to have been Elizabeth Allen of same place in Virginia. It is also believed that Wm. Hill the father of Thomas, was the son

of Robert Hill, grand-father of the late Genl. A. P. Hill, of Culpeper Co., Va. Ann Dudley was the sister of Genl. E. S., Bishop Dudley and daughter of Col. Christopher Dudley, who was a member of the N. C. Legislature as far back as 1793, and a ship owner in Onslow Co., N. C. Would be glad to find his will also further information of his family.

Frances Diana Faison daughter of Henry Faison and Sallie Thompson. Henry Faison's will was proved at Oct. Term 1788. Duplin County Court. Henry Faison was the youngest son of James Faison of Northampton Co., N. C., and brother of Elias. James and Dickson Faison. Dickson Faison lived in Northampton and was the ancestor of the late Col. Paul Faison. Henry's father James Faison's will partly lost, he died about 1750 in Northampton Co., N. C. James Faison came from Southampton Co., Va., and is believed to be a grand-son of Henry Faison Von Doverack, a French Huguenot to whom a patent of naturalization was granted by the Virginia Assembly in Sept., 1673, the original will of said Von Doverack is in existence. He died Feb'y 26, 1693. Sallie Thompson, Frances Faison's mother was the grand-daughter of Elias Faison, the brother of Henry and son of Old James Faison. Said Sallie Thompson was the daughter of Wm. Thompson of Sampson Co., N. C. Wanted services of Henry and Elias Faison during the Rev. War. Elias was called Capt. Elias Faison because of service in that war. Also of Wm. Thompson, Christopher Dudley, Thomas Hill and his father Wm. Hill.

Wm. Cain md Elizabeth ———. Issue, Wm. Cain md Sally Alston, (daughter of James Alston and Christian Lillington). She md 1st Sir Thomas Dudley; Issue, John Alston Dudley, issue by Wm. Cain, Anna Lillington Cain born Mch 17, 1797; died Nov. 7, 1877, (Orange Co). John and Mary, son James md Martha Lillington.

Genl. Alfred Austell (son of William Austell and wife Jane Wilkins of Spartanburg District, S. C.,) who was the son of William Austell and wife Amelia who came from the Yadkin District in N. C. The family is of Cornwall, England. The town of St. Austell is a thriving village and the ruins of the Castle built by Wm. de Austell, Sheriff of Cornwall under Edward III are still standing. The male line of the family has been extinct in England nearly 200 years (1720). There are however female representatives, among them Lady Molesworth, of Kenegie, and Lady Trevellyan. The lady who enquires for information of Wm. Austell and wife Amelia says her g. g. grand-father buried himself in the wilds of the Yadkin District on account of his fondness for adventure. There were brothers of my grand-father who removed to Spartanburg, S. C. Can any

one assist us, in securing the maiden name of Wm. Austell's wife Amelia, &c.?

Ezekiel Cloud died in 1851; 90 years of age. He had three brothers, Noah, Reuben, and one who moved to S. C.. They had patents for large landed estates in Craven Co., S. C. Noah Cloud, a grandson of Noah Cloud, was met by a relative in Atlanta, Ga., some years before the war. Judge John Cloud of the 8th Judicial District is of this family. Please give us light on the family if you have it.

Abram Hill, of Wake Co., N. C., was the son of Abraham Hill, of Chowan Co. He moved from Chowan Co., about 1768 to Raleigh N. C. He married in Chowan Co., Christian Walton, (daughter of Thomas and Sarah) as appears from the following Deed of Gift recorded in Book H, No. 1, page 189, at Edenton, N. C. "From Thomas Walton to his son-in-law Abraham Hill Jr., and wife Christian (my daughter), Augt. 3, 1757. Test, Chas. Rountree, Hardy Hunter, Thomas Rountree. Any one having knowledge of the descendants of Abraham Hill and wife Christian Walton will kindly communicate with the Editor of the Register.

Information is desired of Moses Tyson's ancestors and descendants. He lived in Pitt Co., N. C.; is said to have married Miss ——— Sherrod, and Aaron (one of his seven sons) went to S. C. We have a Mason Tison, grand-son of John Mason. It is more than probable that Mason Tison is of the same family. Kindly throw a few cheerful rays of light on this family. Also of the Sherrod's and Sheffield families.

A lady of Sauk Centre, Minn., desires information of the York family of N. Carolina. Dr. Tyre York was probably of the same family. Please come to our help, and assist us in finding this family for the lady.

Wanted the maiden name of Sarah Walton, wife of Thomas Walton, of Chowan Co. From what part of Virginia did Thomas emigrate to N. C.?

Col. Wm. Tunstall who md Betsey Barker was the son of Col. Richard Tunstall and wife Ann Hill, and brother of Richard Tunstall, Jr., of King and Queen Co., Va. Richard (the g. g. father of Dr. Alex Tunstall of Norfolk, Va.,) md Catharine Brooks, of Manti-pike, Va.

Benjamin Whitfield md ———, whom? Matthew Whitfield had two children (1) Elizabeth md John Smith in 1708, (2) William md Elizabeth Goodman, of Chowan (late Gates Co.) in 1713. Their daughter Edith born 1717 md Col. Sam Smith. Was Benjamin the son of Matthew?



## THE PRICE OF NEGROES IN BOSTON MAY 1713.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

BOSTON, May 5th, 1713.

Capt. John \*Worley,

Sr, I recd yours by Capt. Jenkins with the Cask of Skins which I have sold & herewith have sent you acct of the sailes of them with Ryall & Yorks Receipt for what I paid them on your acct. You writ me for Negroes by Jenkins but I have not sent you any for negroes according to your direction are not to be bought here under forty five or fifty pounds which prizes think will not doe. Nither have I Effects enough to purchase above one third of one at that price therefore desier you would give me orders what to make you Returns in which shall be ready to doe by the first opportunity. Mychall Paconet comes in this Vessel with Ryall & is bound for Pamplico of whom you must get the Effects of the goods you sent by him for I never Reed any of them they were in such a bad condition and if you can meet with him you may get your pay now for he hath the Effects with him all being from ye humble Servt. JONATHAN MOUNTFORT.

To Capt. \*John Worley,

Living at Chowan in the County of Albemarle,

Att North Carolina.

### PETITION OF CHURCH WARDENS OF PASQUOTANK PRECINCT.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

Pasquotank Precinct: To Honble President &amp; Council.

The Honble Petition of Thomas Relf & Richard Mardron Church Wardens in behalf of themselves & the Rest of the Vestry and Inhabitants of the Parish of Pasquotank in the precinct aforesaid Humbly sheweth unto yor Honors.

That some years since his Excellency Francis Nicholson, Esq., late Governor of Virginia, was graciously pleased to give small sums of money for and towards the finishing of Churches and the same was deposited in the hands of the late Honble President of this Government Henderson Walker, Esq., amongst which Tenn pounds Sterling was given to the Parish aforesaid and the parish tho' they have often demanded the said sum of Tenn pounds sterl. have never received one farthing of the same.

May it therefore please ye Honors to grant ye Petitioners an order for the sd sum of Tenn pounds ster. in the hands of the Honble Edward Moseley, Esq., who married Ann, the widow and Ex'trix of the sd late Honble Henderson Walker Esq., dec'd, and yor petitioners as in duty Bound. Shall ever pray, &c.,

THOS RELF, RICH'D MARDRON.

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\* John Worley lived in that part of Chowan afterwards Tyrrel county

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“ Like leaves on trees the race of man is found,  
Now green in youth, now withering on the ground :  
Another race the following Spring supplies;  
They rise successive, and successive fall:  
So generations in their course decay;  
So flourish these when those are passed away.  
—*Pope's Translation Homer's Iliad.*

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## THE EDENTON TEA PARTY.

(CONTINUED.)

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Mrs. Hannah Iredell was the daughter of Samuel Johnston and wife Helen Scrymgeoure, and sister of Gov. Samuel Johnston; Samuel Johnston, Sr., was the son of John Johnston and Helen Boucher, of Stapleton, N. B. She md. July 18, 1773, James Iredell, born at Lewes, England, Oct. 5, 1751; at the early age of

"Rev. Francis Iredell, of Dublin, who md. Eleanor McCartney niece of Judge McCartney, of King's Bona, Ireland, 1st Cousin of Sir George McCartney, General of Bengall, 1785, and Ambassador to China, with the title of Earl, 1792. She had a sister Isabella died in 1765. Her brothers James and Charles were merchants, the former of Bristol, the latter of Dublin. Charles md. a daughter of James McCulloch, of Grogan, and left one daughter Margaret McCartney. The Rev. Francis Iredell and wife Eleanor, had issue two sons, Thomas Iredell, a planter in Tarroca, died without issue, and Francis, Merchant of Bristol, md. Margaret McCulloch Augt. 1, 1750; issue James born Oct. 5, 1751, Charles, Francis, Arthur and Thomas born 1761. Margaret McCulloch was a lineal descendant of Sir Cullo O'Neil first Laird of Myrton, Scotland, and a son of the Clane boys, Ireland. In the early part of the 14th Century, the Irish took up arms to throw off the British Yoke, and called on Robert De Bruce, King of Scotland, to assist. He sent his brother Edward with 6,000 men. Cullo O'Neil was made a Captain of Horse. They drove the English out of Ulster. The English being re-enforced surprised Edward De Bruce near Dundolk, here Edward was slain by Malpers, Capt. Cullo O'Neil slew Malpers and brought off the sword of Edward, and made a successful retreat to King Robert De Bruce's Army. Capt. O'Neil was Knighted by the King, who made him his standard bearer, Sect'y of State and gave him the lands of Myrton—the rendendo being "a rose for the King to smell at when he came to Myrton." Sir Cullo O'Neil died in 1331. Myrton descended to his eldest son Sir Godfrey who assumed the surname McCullo. It was held in this name until 1524, when Sir Alexander McCullo died without male issue, and his son-in-law Henry McCulloch who had married his daughter Margaret, became heir to Myrton. The charter was renewed 1st by James I, then by Queen Mary, and held by Simeon, William and Alexander McCulloch until 1643, when he died and was succeeded by his son William of Brandelston, who left sons James of Grogan and Henry of Brandelston. Margaret McCulloch, wife of Francis Iredell and daughter of James McCulloch and wife Mary Ferguson, grand-daughter of James McCulloch of Grogan. ("From a Geneological History by Col. Cadwallader Jones.")



17, Mr. Iredell became Deputy Collector of the Port of Edenton, N. C. from which he entered the practice of law, and soon became a leader among his profession, was Attorney General of North Carolina in 1779 and was appointed by George Washington, in 1790, an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. Mr. Iredell was one of the leading spirits among the Whigs. He early espoused their cause and wrote many strong articles in support of their claims, he was thoroughly imbued with the spirit of liberty, and opposed every measure tainted in the slightest degree with oppression. His maxim was, "Law without liberty is oppression, while liberty without law is anarchy." His Life and Correspondence by McRee contains a full history of his life, both private and public. Many of his charges to the juries of the Courts over which he presided are rendered in full, and contain the fundamental principles upon which the National Government was founded. He died at Edenton, N. C., \_\_\_\_\_, 1799. His wife Hannah survived him until 1826, when she passed from among the living, to sleep with her ancestors and beside her husband in the Johnston burial lot at Hayes, near Edenton. Issue

1. Annie Isabella, born 1785, died 1816. She never married.

2. Helen died single.

3. James Iredell born at Edenton, N. C., Nov. 2, 1788, married June 6, 1815 Frances Johnston Tredwell (daughter of Samuel Tredwell and wife Helen Scrymgeoure Blair, daughter of George Blair and wife Jean Duncan Johnston, (sister of Gov. Samuel Johnston). Mrs. Helen S. Tredwell was born in 1763 and died in 1802. Mr. Iredell was a member of the House of Commons from Edenton in 1816, 1817, 1818, 1819, 1820, 1823, 1824, 1825, 1826 and 1827. Speaker of the House 1817-18. Judge of the Superior Court 1819. Governor of the State 1827 and U. S. Senator from North Carolina in 1828. He resigned in 1831 and returned to the practice of his profession. He resided for many years in the city of Raleigh, N. C., and died in Edenton in 1855 at the house of his kinsman, Rev. Samuel Iredell Johnston, D. D., while on a visit to his relatives in Chowan County. He died in the house where he was born and is buried at Hayes. Issue

A. Annie Isabella Iredell born at Edenton, N. C., Apl. 10, 1816, married Jan'y 5, 1836, Cadwallader Jones. She died at Columbia, S. C., Jan'y 4, 1897.

B. Francis Lenox Iredell, md Dr. Charles E. Johnson, (his 2nd wife).

C. Penelope Iredell md Griffith I. McRee.

D. Helen Blair Iredell died unmarried Dec. 12, 1888.

E. Jane Moore Iredell md Thomas D. Meares, of Wilmington, N. C.

F. James Johnston Iredell, Major C. S. A. killed at battle of Chancellorsville, Va.

G. Samuel Tredwell Iredell died unmarried.

H. Margaret Tredwell Iredell md Hon. Wm. M. Shipp, Judge of the Superior Court.

I. Campbell Tredwell Iredell md Mary Johnson, Captain in C. S. A. and was killed at Gettysburg.

J. Cadwallader Jones Iredell md Martha Southgate. He was a Captain in Hampton's Legion of S. C., C. S. A.

Children of Annie Isabella Iredell and Cadwallader Jones

Frances Tredwell Jones b. Feb. 5, 1837, md. Oct. 14, 1856. George Erwin son of John Erwin and wife Eliza Margaret Chadwick. Issue (a) John Erwin b. Mch. 26, 1858, md. Sept. 20, 1883, Mollie Griffin Wilkins; issue (h) George Erwin, (2) Margaret Adams Erwin, (3) Richard Wilkins Erwin, (b) Annie Erwin b. Apl. 6, 1860 md. Dec. 27, 1883, Alphonso L. Stollenwerck, (c & d) Frances and George died young, (e) Margaret Erwin b. Apl. 6, 1865 md. Henry Watson Parish. She died Nov. 23, 1895. Issue (a) Annie Erwin Parish b. Aug. 14, 1890 died Nov. 1, 1897, (b) Henry Parish b. Nov. 9, 1892 died in infancy, (f) Rebecca Frances Erwin born Sept. 9, 1868 md. Madison Jones (son of Madison Jones and wife Alice McLean). Issue (1) Margaret King Jones, (2) Frances Iredell Jones, (3) George Erwin Jones, (4) Alice Jones, (g) Ethel Erwin born Nov. 6, 1872 md. Dec. 29, 1897, Leonidas Bryan Sledge. Issue, Leonidas Bryan Sledge, Jr., Nov. 6, 1898, (h) Cadwallader Erwin born July 21, 1875 md. Feb. 3, 1897, Ida Vernon Seawell (daughter of Charles Seawell and wife Louisa Raveries.)

2. Rebecca Cadwallader Jones, died young.

3. Capt. Iredell Jones b. Feb. 8, 1842, at Hillsboro, N. C., md. 1st Nov. 4, 1869, Ellen, daughter of Gov. James H. Adams, of S. C. She died Aug. 31, 1873. Issue (a) Lillian Jones born Aug. 4, 1870, md. Oct. 28, 1896, Dr. Frank W. Butler (son of Gen. M. C. Butler and wife Maria, daughter of Gov. Pickens, of S. C.) (b) Iredell Jones born Feb. 25, 1873. Capt. Iredell Jones md 2nd Nov. 22, 1882, Laura Ella (daughter of William Preston MacMahon and Laura Chaffee). She died Mch 13, 1887. Issue (c) Willie Jones born Aug. 12, 1885, died Jan'y 8, 1887, (d) Chaffee Jones born Mch. 10, 1887. Capt. Iredell Jones was 2nd Lieut. S. C. College Co., was at the surrender of Fort Sumter, Apl. 12, 1861, entered the C. S. Army as a private in the Washington Light Infantry June, 1861, and was wounded at 1st Manassas. He became 1st Lieut. and commanded a section of a battery in Fort Sumter; he served throughout the entire war; in 1880 was a member of the S. C. Legislature. His present address is Rock Hill, S. C.

4. Capt. Cadwallader Jones, Jr., born Dec. 3, 1843 md. Feb. 3, 1871, Emily Skinner Johnson (daughter of Dr. Chas. E. Johnson and wife Emily Skinner. She died Nov. 17, 1880. Issue (a) Charles Johnson Jones born Dec. 3, 1871, died in infancy, (b) Fanny Erwin Jones born Sept. 4, 1874 md. 1899, Frank Avery Cobbs (son of Rev. Richard H. Cobbs and wife Frances Avery), (c) Mary Campbell Jones born Aug. 9, 1876. Capt. Jones enlisted in the Washington Artillery in June 1861, at Richmond, was later transferred to the 12th S. C. Reg. C. S. A. and was promoted to the Captaincy of Co. H.; he passed through 27 battles, being wounded once in the engagements around Petersburg, Va.; his present address is Greensboro, Ala.

5. Allen Jones born Aug. 23, 1846, md. Oct. 15, 1874, Augusta H. Porcher, born Aug. 30, 1852, (daughter of Aug. H. Porcher and wife Eliza Maria DuBose. Issue, (a) Marion Porcher Jones born at Rock Hill, S. C., Sept. 5, 1875, died June 1, 1887, (b) Annie Iredell Jones, born March 12, 1877 md. Apl. 25, 1899, Geo. R. Rembert (c) Helen Iredell Jones born Dec. 30, 1878, (d) Jane Du Bose Jones born Aug. 27, 1880; (e) Cadwallader Jones born July 24, 1882, (f) Augusta Porcher Jones born Aug. 30, 1885. (g) Allen Jones, born Feb. 22, 1887, (h) Robin Jones born Dec. 5, 1889, in Columbia, S. C., (i) Theodore Marion Jones b. Apl. 1, 1895. He entered the Civil War as a private in Co. H. 12th S. C. Reg. C. S. A., when 16 years old, was wounded in one of the battles in Va., in 1888 he moved from South Carolina, and is now Secretary and Treasurer of the Lexington M'fg Co., and the Saxe Gotha Mills, President and Treasurer of the Palmetto Mills and Secretary and Treasurer of the Carolina Land and Investment Co.

6. Gen'l Johnston Jones born Sept. 26, 1848 md. June 26, 1873, Bettie Watters Miller (daughter of Thos. C. and Annie Davis Miller, of Wilmington, N. C.) for quite a number of years he was Adjutant General of North Carolina. He is now living in California and is engaged in the practice of law. At the age of 15, he went as a member of the Arsenal Cadets, into the war, and continued to its close at Greensboro, N. C.

7. Willie Jones, Cashier Carolina National Bank of Columbia, S. C., (was Col. of the 2nd S. C. Regiment in Cuba, during the Spanish-American War.) md. May 20, 1886, Annie Reaux Caldwell (daughter of John D. Caldwell and wife Lucy C. Davis, daughter of Henry Davis, John Caldwell was President of the S. C. Rail Road); issue (a) Caldwell Jones born Apl. 24, 1887 (b) Lucy Reaux Jones born Sept. 3, 1891, died young; (c) Annie Reaux Jones born July 13, 1894.

8. Annie Isabella Jones born Nov. 10, 1852, md. Dec. 15, 1875,

Dr. Thomas C. Robertson born Aug. 22, 1849 (son of Dr. Thomas T. Robertson, of Fairfield Co., S. C., and wife Sarah Palmer Coururier). Issue, (a) Annie Isabella Robertson born Sept. 29, 1876, (b) Allen Jones Robertson b. Dec. 31, 1877, died June 25, 1887.

9. Halcott Pride Jones born Feb'y 14, 1855.

10. Helen Iredell Jones born July 17, 1858, md. Oct. 15, 1879, John Stricker Coles, Jr., born Jan'y 21, 1856 (son of Capt. J. S. Coles and wife Eliza Pickens, daughter of Gov. F. W. Pickens and wife Margaret Eliza Simkins); issue, (a) Selima Stricker Coles born July 9, 1880, (b) Annie Cadwallader Jones Coles born Aug. 4, 1882, (c) Cadwallader Jones Coles born Jan. 17, 1885, (d) Stricker Coles born Aug. 27, 1888, (e) Marion Coles born Sept. 7, 1891, (f) Eliza Pickens Coles, born Nov. 6, 1895, (g) Helen Iredell Coles born Apl. 22, 1899.

B. Children of Frances Lenox Iredell md Apl. 10, 1849, Dr. Charles Earl Johnson, Surgeon General of N. C., during the Civil War (son of Charles E. Johnson, of Chowan Co., N. C., and wife Ann Taylor of Franklin Co., N. C., and grand-son of Charles Johnson and wife Elizabeth Earl, daughter of Rev. Daniel Earl and wife Charity ———. They lived at Bandon in Chowan Co., on the Chowan River, at one of the loveliest and most attractive situations in Eastern North Carolina).

1. Frances Iredell Johnson born Mch. 11, 1850, md. Dec. 5, 1882, Dr. Peter E. Hines, of Raleigh, N. C., (son of Richard Hines and wife Ann E. Spruell.)

2. Charles Earl Johnson born Aug. 13, 1851, md. Dec. 7, 1876, Mary Ellis Wilson (daughter of Harvey Wilson, Attorney at Law, Charlotte, N. C.). Issue, (a) Mary Wilson Johnson born Nov. 22, 1877, (b) Charles Earl Johnson born Aug. 10, 1878, died Aug. 9, 1880, (c) Frances Lenox Johnson born Oct. 27, 1880, died Dec. 14, 1881, (d) Charles Earl Johnson born Sept. 22, 1883, (e) Josephine Harvey Johnson born Oct. 23, 1882, died June 8, 1884, (f) Fanny Hines Johnson born Dec. 25, 1887.

3. James Iredell Johnson, born Nov. 2, 1854 md. Jan. 11, 1885, Rebecca Murray; issue (a) James Iredell Johnson born Nov. 1, 1887, (b) Carson Murray Johnson born Feb'y 11, 1890, died Aug. 11, 1892, (c) Elizabeth Murray Johnson born Oct. 13, 1893, (d) Lenox Johnson born Aug. 31, 1895, (e) Earl Johnson born Nov. 23, 1897.

4. Helen Blair Johnson born Oct. 11, 1856, md. James I. McRee (son of Griffith McRee). Issue, (a) Frances Johnson McRee born Feb. 15, 1889, (b) James Iredell McRee born Oct. 2, 1890, (c) Fergus McRee born Aug. 30, 1892, (d) Charles Earl Johnson McRee born Mch. 7, 1894, died Feb'y 6, 1895, (e) Johnson

McRee born Oct. 30, 1895, (f) William McRee born Aug. 6, 1897, (g) Griffith John McRee born Aug. 2, 1899.

5. Samuel Iredell Johnson born March 30, 1869.\*

C. Children of Penelope Johnston Iredell and her husband Griffith J. McRee, Atty-at-Law, Wilmington, N. C.

1. Eliza Ann McRee, born Oct. 5, 1843, died Oct. 1862.

2. Griffith John McRee, born July 26, 1847, died Nov. 4, 1862.

3. Frances Iredell McRee, born Aug. 6, 1849, living in St. Louis, Mo., unmarried.

4. Mary Hill McRee, born Sept. 9, 1850, died Sept. 11, 1854.

5. James Iredell McRee, born Mch. 25, 1854, md. Helen Blair Johnson (cousins). P. O. address Richmond, Va.

6. Annie Isabella McRee, born Nov. 9, 1856, died March 8, 1882.

7. Penelope Johnston McRee, born March 4, 1859 md. John Dawson Smith, of Fayetteville, N. C., their present address is Bonham, Texas. Issue, (a) Margaret Smith, (b) Penelope Smith, (c) Griffith Smith, (d) Frank Smith, (e) McRee Smith, (f) Drewry Smith (g) Iredell Smith, (h) Gardner Smith, (i) Frances Smith.

8. William McRee born Oct. 5, 1860. P. O. address St. Louis, Missouri.

D. Helen Blair Iredell died unmarried Dec. 12, 1888.

E. Children of Jane Moore Iredell and Thomas D. Meares of Wilmington, N. C.

1. Mary Owen Meares, died in youth.

2. Thomas Davis Meares md. Jane Young. Issue (a) Mary Fremont Meares (b) Celestina Meares (died), (c) Jane Young Meares, (d) Thomas Davis Meares, (e) Richard Langdon Meares.

3. William Belvidere Meares, drowned on a steamboat excursion.

4. Frances Iredell Meares md. William H. Green. Issue, (a) Frances Meares Green, (b) William Henry Green (died), (c) Thos. Meares Green, (d) Charles Frederick Meares, (e) Jane Iredell Meares, (f) Mary Owen Meares.

5. Katharine Meares md. George N. Harris. Issue, (a) Jane Meares Harris, (b) Caroline Brown Harris, (c) Katharine Meares

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Dr. Chas. E. Johnson md. 1st Emily Skinner (daughter of Charles Worth Skinner and wife Mary Creecy.) her grand-father was Joshua Skinner md. Martha Ann Blount daughter of Charles Worth Blount born 1721, md. 1744 Mary Clayton. Chas. Worth Blount was the son of John Blount md 1695 Elizabeth Davis (daughter of John and Mary Davis and grand-daughter of John Burton, died 1687, of Henrico Co., Va., John Blount was the son of James Blount, who came into Chowan Co., from Isle of Wight Co., Va., in 1669 and settled at Mulberry Hill on the Albemarle Sound, about six miles from Edenton, N. C.). Issue (1) Mary Johnson md. Campbell T. Iredell. (2) Elizabeth Earl Johnson md. William Jones, Atty-at-Law, Asheville, N. C.. (3) Emily Skinner Johnson md. Capt. Cadwallader Jones, of Greensboro, Ala.

Harris, (d) Thomas Brown Harris (died), (e) Frances Green Harris, (f) Meares Harris, (g) Margaret Iredell Harris, (h) Robert Conley Harrie (died), (i) Esther Exum Harris, (j) Eleanor Harris, (k) George Harris.

6. Jane Iredell Meares md. William A. Williams. Issue, (a) Jane Meares Williams, (b) William Arthur Williams (died), (c) Sarah Forbes Williams, (d) Isabel Williams, (e) Frank Lenox Williams, (f) Helen Iredell Williams, (g) Robert Marshall Williams, (h) Katharine Davis Williams.

7. James Iredell Meares md. Josephine Folger. Issue, (a) Harriet Folger (died), (b) George Folger, (c) Jane Iredell Folger.

8. Hannah Johnson Meares died young.

9. Frank Lenox Meares.

10. Margaret Iredell Meares.

11. Eliza Walker Meares.

F. James Johnston Iredell, Major C. S. A. killed in battle of Chancellorsville, Va.

G. Samuel Tredwell Iredell died unmarried.

H. Margaret Tredwell Iredell md. Nov. 6, 1872, Hon. William M. \*Shipp, Judge of the Superior Court of N. C. Judge Shipp died June 28, 1890. Issue, (a) Frances Johnston Shipp died an infant, (b) Mary Preston Shipp.

I. Capt. Campbell Tredwell Iredell md. Mary Johnson, daughter of Dr. Chas. E. Johnson and his 1st wife Emily Skinner. No issue; he was killed at Gettysburg, C. S. A.

J. Capt. Cadwallader Jones Iredell, of Hampton's Legion of S. C., md. Martha Southgate. Issue, (a) James Iredell. Capt. Iredell was twice wounded during the war; P. O. address Norfolk, Va.

#### MISS ISABELLA JOHNSTON

was the sister of Mrs. Hannah Iredell had the same ancestry, but had no descendants as she never married. At the time of her death she was affianced to Joseph Hewes. She sleeps with her family at Hayes, near Edenton, N. C.; her grave by some means, has never been marked by any stone or monument.

Mr. Hewes to whom she was engaged never recovered from the shock, caused by the death of this excellent lady. He went into a decline and gradually wasted away until death renewed the bonds which had been severed by his stroke.

Joseph Hewes was born in New Jersey about the year 1730; he

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\*Hon. Wm. M. Shipp was twice married, his 1st wife was Kate Cameron daughter of Judge Cameron, of Florida: issue (a) Anna Cameron Shipp, (b) William Ewen Shipp, Graduate of West Point and Lieut in the U. S. Army; he fell at the gallant charge made at San Juan City during the Spanish-American War; he married Margaret daughter of Dr. Fabius Busbee, of Raleigh, N. C., and left two sons (a) William Ewen Shipp, (b) Fabius Busbee Shipp, (c) Bartlett Shipp, Attorney-at-Law, (d) Kate Cameron Shipp.

first appears in Edenton in 1755, where he embarked in mercantile life with Charles Worth Blount and George Blair under the firm name of Blount, Hewes & Co., afterwards the firm became Hewes and Smith. He represented the town of Edenton in the Assembly in 1774 and 1775. He was elected a member of the Continental Congress in 1774, and served his adopted State in that position. In April, 1776, he was appointed by the Provincial Congress, at Halifax, N. C., together with William Hooper and John Penn delegates to the Continental Congress, at Philadelphia, and was present at the birth of the Republic, affixing his name to the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776. He served until 1777, and was again elected to Congress in 1779-80, and died during his term of office Nov. 10, 1779 and was buried in Philadelphia; his funeral was attended by Congress (who wore the usual badge of mourning for 30 days), officers of the Government, French Minister and Suite together with a large concourse of people. Wheeler in his History of N. C., Vol. II, page 94, says he was buried in Christ's Church, Phila. A statement has been made in some of the papers of North Carolina, that Mr. Hewes was buried with the Johnston family at Hayes, this is an error, which perhaps arose from the fact that another "Signer of the Declaration of Independence, Justice James Wilson, of Pennsylvania, who died while on a visit to his colleague Associate Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court, James Iredell, and was interred in the Johnston family burial lot at Hayes, where his remains now rest in an unmarked grave. It would be eminently commendable for the people of North Carolina, to locate if possible the exact spot in Philadelphia where Mr. \*Hewes' remains were interred, and place above them a suitable shaft to perpetuate the memory of so distinguished a citizen and statesman. It is true he has written his name, "where time can never efface it," and needs no monument to tell posterity of his glorious deeds, yet we would honor ourselves, and inspire the emulation of his noble example, by those of the present and succeeding generations, by this act of our high regard and remembrance. Who will undertake the work?

*(To be Continued.)*

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\*Joseph Hewes was the brother of Mrs. Sarah Allen, mother of Col. Nathaniel Allen, who married Mary Granberry. Issue Mary Granberry Allen married May 21, 1811, at Edenton, N. C., Rev. Pleasant Thurman. Issue, Hon. Allen Granberry Thurman of Columbus, Ohio, Gov. Bill Allen, of the same State, was the half uncle of U. S. Senator Allen G. Thurman.

## BONNER FAMILY OF BEAUFORT CO., N. C.

(Continued.)

Henry Snode Bonner (son of Henry Bonner) died about 1810, and is buried at the "Sycamores" without a grave-stone. He was a member of the State Senate from Beaufort Co., 1800, 1, 2 and 3; he married Mary Heather Burbage, of Maryland, who bore him the following children, (1) John, (2) Pauline md. 1st, — Little, 2nd Thomas Smallwood, (3) Portia born Mch 1st, 1802 md. Samuel Smallwood; she died Feb'y 6th, 1831; (4) Patsey, (5) Roana, (6) Patience, (7) Henry Green, (8) Octavia.

James Bonner II and wife Sarah (*nee* Wilson) had the following children (1) Winnefred born Mch. 10th, 1772 died Oct. 23rd, 1776. (2) Annie md Jonathan Marsh, (Gov. Daniel G. Fowle was a grandson of Daniel Marsh, brother of Jonathan. The great New England poetess Sarah Helen Whitman, of Providence, R. I., who was plighted to Edgar A. Poe was the daughter of Ann, a sister of said Jonathan Marsh) (3) Nathan Willson md Sarah Willson. He was a member of the State Senate in 1804. (4) Sarah md 1st Henry Ellyson, 2nd Dr. William Maginupsey, who removed South with his wife.

James Bonner II and his brother John Bonner had the Town of Washington, N. C., incorporated in 1782. The Act bears the title as follows, "An Act for establishing a town on the lands formerly belonging to Col. James Bonner at the forks of Tar River in the County of Beaufort." At the session of the Legislature in 1783, the following private Act was passed, "An Act to encourage John and James Bonner, Jr., of Beaufort Co., to clear and make a road through the great swamp and marsh on the southside of Pamlico River, opposite to the town of Washington." James Bonner, Jr., was a member of the House of Commons from Beaufort Co., in 1792.

Children of Lieut. Caleb Foreman, N. C., Cont. Line and wife Elizabeth *nee* Bonner, daughter of Col. James Bonner, (1) Polly B. born Oct. 24, 1783, md Capt. Ryly; they removed North after their marriage. (2) Elizabeth born Dec. 1st, 1785, died Nov. 22nd, 1807. She is buried in "Spady's Old Field" beside her father, (3) James Bonner born Dec. 1st, 1785 died at 21. (4) Rebecca born Dec. 25th, 1787, md Samuel Clark and died July, 19th, 1838.

Henry Bonner and wife Miriam, *nee* Young had two sons, (Mrs. Miriam Bonner md. 2nd Wm. Vines.) (1) John Young born May 2nd, 1795, md. Jan'y 27th, 1816, Elizabeth Smith. He married 2nd July 31st, 1823, C. G. I. Trippe. He died Sept. 22nd, 1845. John Young Bonner was captured during the war of 1812, carried to England and confined in Dartmouth prison. (2) Joseph Bonner



born Jan'y 10th, 1798 md. May 30th, 1822, Sallie Ann Crawford, died May 4th, 1876.

Children of Joseph Blount and wife Sarah (daughter of Col. James Bonner), (1) Joseph md. Elizabeth White, (2) Wilson, (3) Sarah md Sam'l Hodges Sept. 21st, 1793. (4) Mary Ann md 1st ——— Hinton, 2nd Ralph Potts, died Nov. 16th, 1806.

Children of Samuel Smallwood and wife Portia *nee* Bonner (1) John Waller b. Aug. 6th, 1826 md. Emily B. Lucas, Nov. 24th, 1852. (2) Sarah Paulina md. James H. Williams in 1848.

John Waller Smallwood and wife Emily B. *nee* Lucas, P. O. Washington, N. C., had issue (1) Portia Bonner born Sept. 12th, 1833 md George L. Whitley Oct. 1st, 1873. (2) John b. Mch. 19th, ———, died Oct. 9th, 1856. (3) Sallie b. mch. 6th, 1857, md. S. R. Biggs, June 16th, 1880. P. O. Williamston, N. C. (4) Mary b. Nov. 25th, 1838. P. O. Washington, N. C. (5) Samuel b. Aug. 16th, 1860, P. O. Washington, N. C. (6) William Henry b. Nov. 5th. 1864, in Alaska. (7) Charles b. Mch. 2nd, 1868; P. O. Washington, N. C. (8) John Bruce b. Sept. 24th, 1869, (In Mexico.) (9) Emily Lucas b. May 13th, 1872, died July 16th, 1872. (10.) Thomas Bonner b. Aug. 12th, 1873 died Dec. 27th, 1894. (11). Robert b. Dec. 23rd, 1875, died Oct. 20th, 1890. (12). Paulina Bonner b. Dec. 14th, 1877. P. O. Washington, N. C.

Children of George L. Whitley and wife Portia Bonner *nee* Smallwood. P. O. Williamston, N. C. (1) Marina Riddick born Aug. 8th, 1874; P. O. Washington, N. C. (2) Emily Lucas b. Oct. 22nd, 1875; P. O. Williamston, N. C. (3) John Smallwood b. Mch. 17th, 1877; P. O. Richmond, Va. (4) Laura Latham b. May 26th, 1878. (5) Samuel Crisp, b. Nov. 23rd, 1879, died May 8th, 1880. (6) George Llewellyn, b. May 12th, 1881. (7) Mary Smallwood, b. Nov. 26th, 1882. (8) Jesse Stuart, b. Sept. 15th, 1885. (9) Sue Walton, b. July 13th, 1889, died Mch. 31st, 1890. (10) Charles Bruce, b. June 25th, 1892.

Children of S. R. Biggs and wife Sallie *nee* Smallwood. P. O. Williamston, N. C. (1) Warren Henry, b. May 17th, 1881. (2) Samuel Romulus, b. June 6th, 1883. (3) Nannie, b. Mch. 14th, 1885. (4) John William, b. Mch. 24th, 1887. (5) Penelope, b. Dec. 16th, 1891. (7) Thomas Bonner, b. Oct. 2nd, 1895, died Mch. 31st, 1896. (8) Charles Smallwood, b. Mch. 16th, 1897. (9) Ellen, b. June 20th, 1899, died April 25th, 1900.

Children of James H. Williams and wife Sarah Paulina (*nee* Smallwood). (1) John Smallwood, b. Mch. 15th, 1849, died Sept. 7th, 1857. (2) Mary Bonner b. Sept. 28th, 1854, md. Sept. 1st, 1881, John H. Hatton, died June 14th, 1889. (3) Arthur T., b. July 5th, 1868. (4) Sallie Smallwood, b. April 20th, 1871.

Children of John H. Hatton and wife Mary Bonner *nee* Williams. (1) Mary Bonner, b. Augt. 8th, 1884. (2) John, b. May 21st, 1887.

Children of ——— Little and wife Paulina daughter of Henry Snode Bonner. (1) Martha md. ——— Respass. Mrs. Little md. 2nd Thomas Smallwood and had several children. Names are not known, except Julia Octavia, who died Sept. 20th, 1886.

Joseph Blount II md. Elizabeth (*nee* While). Issue Caroline who md William Woodard, issue (1) Augustus, (2) Mary Louisa, who removed West. (3) Caroline md 1st ——— Waddell, 2nd McCarron; they removed to New York.

Children of Samuel Hodges and wife Sarah *nee* Blount, (1) Sallie Bonner, b. Sept. 14th, 1793, md. Benjamin Williams Dec. 16th, 1813. (2) Wilson Blount, b. Aug. 21st, 1795, md. Maria Cook Mariner, Oct 10th, 1816, died Nov. 16th, 1871. (3) Mary Ann, b. Mch. 27th, 1798, md. John Latham, June 20th, 1821, died May 2nd, 1870.

Children of Benjamin Williams and wife Sallie Bonner, *nee* Hodges, (1) James Henry md. Mary Frances Tooley. (2) Margaret Jane md. Bannister Midgette. (3) Mary Ann, b. Feb'y 10th, 1818, md. Henry Lucas, June, 1838.

Children of James Henry Williams and wife Mary Frances *nee* Tooley. (1) Margaret Jane md James Foyles, (2) Mary md. Benj. Hodges, (3) Samuel Hodges md Bettie Morgan.

Children of Bannister Midgette and wife Margaret Jane *nee* Williams, daughter of Benj. Williams, (1) Sallie.

Children of Wilson Blount Hodges and wife Maria Cook, *nee* Mariner, (1) Jane Lorraine, b. July 14, 1817, died Jan. 11th, 1818. (2) Sallie Ann, b. Feb'y 14th, 1819, md. Samuel Clarke, Feb'y 12th, 1840. (3) John Clarke, b. Mch, 6th, 1821, died Oct. 11th, 1822. (4) Maria Louisa, b. June 16th, 1825, died July 16th, 1828. (5) Joseph Blount, b. Mch 1st, 1823, md. Martha Frances Chesson, Apl. 12th, 1854, died July 17th, 1866. (6) George Washington, b. Feb. 22nd, 1827, md. Sarah B. Moore Oct. 1860, died Augt. 31st, 1879. (7) David Treman, b. Feb. 1st, 18—, died Feb'y 24th, 1828, (8) Virginia Maria, b. Mch 23rd, 1830, died Jan. 1st, 1870. (9) Benjamin Foreman, b. Sept. 5th, 1832, died Feb'y 6th, 1836. (10) Wilson Blount, b. Augt. 14th, 1836, died Mch, 19th, 1866. He was in Capt. Joe. Myers' Co. during the Civil War.

Children of Samuel Clarke and wife Sallie Ann (*nee* Hodges), (1) Samuel Hodges, b. Feb. 15th, 1841, died June 12th, 1842. (2) Maria Louisa, b. Nov. 17th, 1842, died Augt. 18th, 1863. (3) Edward, b. Jan. 27th, 1845, md. 1st Florence M. Gibbs, Mch, 22nd, 1869, 2nd Clara B. Hoyt Dec. 7th, 1880, he died Feb. 10th, 1898. (4) Rebecca Foreman, b. Dec. 29th, 1849, md Adolphus Overton,

Apl. 15th, 1877, died Sept. 18th, 1892. (5) Sallie Mariner, b. Nov. 4th, 1852, md. B. F. D. Johnston, Nov. 15th, 1876. (6) Samuel Wilson, b. May 10th, 1855, md. Mary Francis Windley, Dec. 7th, 1881. (7) Jennie, (8) Virginia Hodges Dallzell b. July 14th, 1847, died Oct. 19th, 1869.

Children of Edward Clarke and wife Florence Mary, *nee* Gibbs, (1) Francis Moore b. July 29th, 1870, md. Eumeda Mann, Jan. 20th, 1896. (2) Isabella, b. Dec. 14th, 1872. (3) Edward Royden, b. Dec. 9th, 1875. (4) Seth Gibbs, b. Mch. 13th, 1879.

Children of Francis Moore Clarke and wife Eumeda *nee* Mann. (1) Florence, b. Dec. 13th, 1896. (2) Francis Mann, b. Oct. 10th, 1899.

Children of Adolphus Overton and wife Rebecca Foreman, *nee* Clarke (1) Virginia Pierson, b. Jan. 27th, 1878, died May 30th, 1878. (2) Sallie Clarke, b. April 27th, 1883. (3) Annie Elizabeth, b. Aug. 9th, 1885. (4) Franklin, b. Feb'y 1st, 1888. (5) Florence May, b. May 27th, 1880 died Oct. 25th, 1881.

Children of Samuel Wilson Clarke and wife Mary Frances *nee* Windley. P. O. 301 West Brambleton, Norfolk, Va. (1) Samuel Edward, b. Oct. 25th, 1882, died Dec. 7th, 1882. (2) Mary Wilson, b. Sept. 21st, 1884. (3) Samuel Wilson, b. — — —, died May 18th, 1896.

Children of Joseph Blount and wife Martha Frances *nee* Chesson. (1) William Andrew, b. Mch. 20th, 1853, md. Maggie Bell, (2) Susan Louisa b. June 15th, 1857 md. John Blount, (3) Maria Cook, b. Nov. 13th, 1859, died June 23rd, 1860. (4) Virginia Wilson, b. Apl. 22nd, 1861, died July 11th, 1866. (5) Wilson Blount, b. May 2nd, 1863. (6) Margaret Joseph, b. Jan. 23rd, 1866, died Oct. 18th, 1866.

Children of George Washington Hodges and wife Sarah *nee* Moore, (1) Mary born 1862 md. W. M. Moore. (2) — — — — —, (3) Sallie born 1861 md. Isaac Yeomans.

Children of W. M. Moore and wife Mary, *nee* Hodges. (1) Mary Bell, (2) Mildred Hodges, (3) William Muse.

Children of Henry Clark and wife Sallie *nee* Blount, widow of Samuel Hodges, (1) Henry Joseph Blount md Matilda Clark, (2) Frances Louisa b. Nov., 1819, md Thomas Blount.

Children of John Latham and wife Mary Ann *nee* Hodges. (1) Sallie Elizabeth, b. Mch. 10th, 1822. (2) Mary Williams, b. Sept. 16th, 1823. (3) Samuel Hodges, b. Oct. 6th, 1825, died Oct. 18th, 1827. (4) John Frederick, b. Jan. 30th, 1828, died Sept., 1854. (5) Charles Henry, b. Mch., 1830, md. Julia Ellison. He was in C. S. A. (6) George Augustus, b. 1834. (7) Mary Williams md. Jonathan Havens April, 1860.

Children of B. F. D. Johnston and wife Sallie Marriner *nee* Clarke. (1) Benjamin Clarke, b. Jan. 24th, 1878.

Children of William Andrew Hodges and wife Maggie *nee* Bell. (1) Nannie Lou.

Wilson Blount Hodges (2nd son of Joseph B. Hodges) and wife have two children.

John Blount and wife Susan Louisa *nee* Hodges, have one child named Edward.

Children of Isaac Yeomans and wife Sallie *nee* Hodges. (1) George Hodges, (2) Isaac Cole.

Children of James Salter Blount and wife Lorraine McClure *nee* ———. (1) Thomas md. Frances Louisa Clarke. (2) Sarah Eliza md. ——— Cawthorne; their children live in Warrenton, N. C. (3) Susan Salter md. Fred Grist.

Children of Thomas Blount and wife Frances Louisa *nee* Clarke, (1) James Salter, b. Sept. 6th, 1842, removed to Kentucky, (2) Sallie Bonner md. Asa John Smith April 24th, 1864. (3) Laura md. Dr. Stephen Sparrow, removed to Arkansas, no issue. (4) Frances b. 1854, md. William Smith, (live at New Bern, N. C.) (5) Mary Latham md. ——— Edwards (in Florida), Asa John Smith and wife Sallie Bonner *nee* Blount have had 2 sons and a daughter.

Children of Fred Grist and wife Susan Salter *nee* Blount. (1) Hattie. (2) Fred.

Children of Henry Lucas and wife Mary Ann, *nee* Williams. (1) Wilson Hodges, b. Feb'y 1842, md. Martha Roper in 1870. Was a Captain in C. S. A. (2) Mary b. Nov. 1849, md. Isaiah Carter.

Children of Wilson Hodges Lucas and wife Martha, *nee* ———, (1) Lillian, (2) Rose, (3) David, (4) Sallie.

Children of Isaiah Carter and wife Mary *nee* Lucas, (1) Charles md Laura Midgette, (2) Annie, (3) Jesse Lucas, (4) Isaiah, (5) Preston, (6) Sallie.

Children of Ralph Potts and wife Mary *nee* Blount. (1) Dr. John Potts, (2) Sallie md. James Hooker. Issue Joseph. (3) Annie md Rev. Jarvis Buxton. (P. O. address Asheville, N. C.) Issue (1) Rev. Jarvis, (P. O. Asheville, N. C.), (2) Judge Ralph Potts died Nov. 6, 1900, (3) Mary Frances md. ——— Ludlow, P. O. Fayetteville, N. C.

Children of ——— Hinton and wife Mary Ann (widow of Ralph Potts. (1) Joseph Blount Hinton.

Isaiah Respass and wife Mary Ann (*nee* Hinton) had a daughter Mary E. md. Capt. Wm. T. Farrow. Issue a daughter.

Charles Cook and wife Abigail *nee* Blount had a daughter, Sallie b. Augt. 24th, 1778, md. 1st Richard Jasper, died June 1799. 2nd John Mariner who died Sept. 20th, 1800. Mrs. Mariner died Feb'y

8th, 1803. Issue by Richard Jasper (1) Henry Norman, b. Augt. 17th, 1796, md. Frances Robadoe. (2) Sallie Lorraine, b. June, 1798 md. June 5th, 1816, Lewis Blount. She died Jan. 15th, 1866. Issue by John Mariner, (3) Maria Cook born Apl. 23rd, 1801, md. Oct. 10th, 1819 Wilson Blount Hodges. The following records are taken from some leaves in the possession of Mrs. Maria Cook Hodges.

Sarah Bonner daughter of Thomas and Sarah Bonner was born May 30th, 1759. Charles Cook, Sr., and Hannah Simons md —, Hannah Simons Cook died June 18th, 1791, aged 70 years, 2 months, 24 days. Charles Cook, Jr., md. Abigail Bonner. He died June 15th 1802, aged 51 years, 3 mos. and 20 days.

Sally Cook daughter of Charles and Abigail was born Augt. 24th 1778. John Mariner (son of John and Tabitha Mariner) was born Jan. 18th, 1767.

Children of Lewis Blount and wife Sarah Lorraine *nee* Jasper. (1) Sarah Maria, b. May, 1817 md. Daniel Reid nephew of S. R. Fowle, (2) Richard Henry Jasper b. 1820 md. Sarah Fuller. He died Nov. 1892.

Children of Daniel Reid and wife Sarah Maria, *nee* Blount. (1) Dr. Lewis Henry md Lillian West, live at Atlanta, Ga. (2) Lorraine md. Henry Miller, P. O. Raleigh, N. C. (3) Sarah Blount md ——— Brown. P. O. Goldsboro, N. C. (4) William killed at Battle of Bentonville. (5) Rev. Daniel died in 1896.

Lewis Henry Reid and wife Lillian *nee* West had one daughter Lillian md Weddell issue one son.

Henry Miller and wife Lorraine *nee* Reid have one daughter.

Children of Richard Henry Jasper Blount and wife Sarah *nee* Fuller. (1) Kate born 1848 md. William Hanks. (2) Sarah md R. D. Blacknall, (Durham, N. C.) (3) Lewis md Miss Wilkinson (Atlanta, Ga.)

Children of Henry Norman Jasper and wife Frances R. *nee* Robadoe. (1) Sarah md. William Hanks, (Durham, N. C.) (2) Henry Norman removed to the West. (3) Charles, (4) Susannah md. ——— Suggs, of Edgecombe Co., N. C. (5) Fannie md. ——— Weddell.

Robert S. Bonner and wife Mary *nee* Young, (daughter of John Young and Hannah born Dec. 4th, 1773, half sister of Miriam Young born Aug. 20th, 1779, who was a daughter of John Young and wife Dorcas. Issue Hannah N., married Matthew Shaw. Issue (a) Mary Catharine, dead, (b) Matthew b. 1844. dead. (3) Robert Bonner b. Mar. 20th, 1842 md. Eliza T. Bonner, on June 21st, 1881. He was in C. S. Army. (4) William, b. Mar., 1840, md. Bettie Moore in 1868. He was in C. S. A. (5) Elizabeth b. 1833, md. Sam'l L. Carraway, 1854, (P. O. Montgomery, Ala.,)

(6) Helen born 1836 md. 1866, J. J. Whitehurst, reside at Tarboro, N. C.) (7) Laura b. 1838, dead.

Children of William W. Shaw and wife Bettie *nee* Moore (1) Katharine md. ———, (2) Percy.

Children of Robert Bonner Shaw and wife Eliza Trippe *nee* Bonner. (1) Lyndon Young born Nov. 1st, 1882, (2) Hannah Bonner born March 21st, 1884. (3) Eliza Trippe, born May 6th. 1886. (4) Mary Elizabeth born September 10th, 1890. (5) Helen b. Augt. 20th, 1895. (6) David Thomas b. Nov., 1900.

Children of John Young Bonner and 1st wife Elizabeth (widow of Capt. Thos. Smith, *nee* Bryan.) (1) Charles William b. June 18th, 1817 md. Caroline P. Redditt May 25th, 1840. He died July 9th, 1899. (2) Joseph Henry b. May 11th, 1819, died April 10th, 1836. (3) John Bryan b. Dec. 6th, 1821 md. Mary E. Trippe May 14th, 1846; He died April 30th, 1871.

Children of John Young Bonner and 2nd wife Clarissa G. I. *nee* Trippe. (4) Bryan Trippe, b. Dec. 17th, 1824 md. May 17th, 1851, Clarissa S. Trippe. He was a Lieut. in the C. S. A. (5) Thomas Harvey Blount b. Dec. 9, 1827, died July 1st, 1828. (6) Miriam Young b. May 6th, 1829. (7) Ann Bryan b. Sept. 24th, 1831, md. Joseph Bonner Bryan. (8) Elizabeth. (9) Henry b. Dec. 2nd, 1839, md 1st Sarah A. Guilford May 7th, 1868. 2nd, Rebecca Florence Guilford, April 15th, 1883.

Children of Joseph Bonner and wife Sallie Ann (*nee* Crawford), (1) Charles Cushing b. June 4th, 1823, md Carolina Gray, Nov. 20th, 1850, he died Oct. 4th, 1871. (2) Caroline Crawford b. Oct. 14th, 1825 md. Dr. John F. Tompkins, Nov. 26th, 1846. (3) Henry D. b. Nov. 9th, 1827, died Nov. 1st, 1828. (4) Dr. William Vines, b. Feb. 15th, 1830, md Cora S. Farrow, July 25th, 1865; he was a surgeon in the C. S. Army. (5) Dr. Thomas Pasteur, b. Feb. 26th, 1837, md Emily Crawford, Oct. 23rd, 1866, died Aug. 25th, 1899. Surgeon in C. S. A. (6) Joseph Young b. May 15th, 1840, md. Nancy Olivia Eborn Oct. 26th, 1866.

Children of Charles William Bonner and wife Caroline Pasteur *nee* Redditt, (1) Mary Pearce, b. Oct. 31st, 1841, died Oct. 24th, 1845. (2) Clarisa G. I., b. Sept. 7th, 1845, md Joseph Bonner Bryan Nov. 26th, 1868, died Dec. 6th, 1897. (3) Elizabeth Bryan, b. Sept. 7th, 1845, md. Carney John Bryan, Oct. 26th, 1870. (4) John Bryan b. March 21st, 1847 md. Fannie Montague Hooker, May 1st, 1873; he was assassinated Nov. 23rd, 1895. He was a private in Co. B. 40th Regt. N. C. State Troops, C. S. A. (5) Miriam Young b. March 1st, 1849, md. J. R. Best, Oct. 18th, 1871, died Nov. 11th, 1875. (6) Caroline Pasteur, b. April 15th, 1852. (7) Edward Pasteur, b. Feb. 4th, 1855, md. Annie T. Fizzell, Feb'y

11th, 1896. (8) Ella, b. July 23rd, 1858, md. Leon De Castro Bonner, Nov. 5th, 1884. (9) Mary, b. Aug., 1861, died Sept. 22nd, 1867. (10) Virginia, b. Mar. 30th, 1864, md. Walter Montague Hooker, Oct. 31st, 1883.

Children of John Bryan Bonner and wife Mary E., *nee* Trippe. (1) John Young, b. July 10th, 1847, md. Cornelia Hooker, April 28th, 1874, he died Feb'y 25th, 1875. Private 40th Reg. N. C. State Troops C. S. A. (2) Joseph Trippe, b. Feb. 22nd, 1849, died Sept. 29th, 1849. (3) Charles William, b. July 11th, 1850, md. 1st Josephine B. Dupree Apl. 24th, 1873, 2nd David A. Styron, Mar. 27th, 1884. (4) Sarah Elizabeth b. Sep. 16th, 1852, md. David D. Dupree Dec. 20th, 1876. (5) Robert Trippe, b. Oct. 7th, 1854, md. Rebecca Trippe, Mar. 13th, 1881. (6) Leon De Castro, b. May 12th, 1857, md. Nov. 5th, 1884, Ella Bonner. (7) Thurston Wilcoxon, b. Jan. 31st, 1859, md. Blanche Ernul, 1882. (8) Eliza Trippe, b. Feb. 21st, 1861, md. Robert Bonner Shaw, June 21, 1881. (9) Malcolm b. May 21, 1863.

Children of Bryan Trippe Bonner and wife Clarissa *nee* Trippe. (1) Sallie Trippe b. Sep. 27th, 1852, md. Ben. H. Thompson, Apl. 23rd, 1874. (2) Ann Bryan b. May 27th, 1854, md. George A. Litchfield Nov. 28th, 1876. (3) Susan Lane b. May 4th, 1856, md. L. C. Litchfield, Jan. 7th, 1880. (4) Willie b. Sep. 11th, 1858. (5) George Irving, b. June 8th, 1860, md. Cora M. Ross, Jan. 22nd, 1885. (6) Joseph Tripp b. June, 12th, 1862, died Sep. 8th, 1871. (7) Bryan Trippe b. Dec. 3rd, 1864, md. C. J. Swindell Apl. 25th, 1894. (8) Clarisa Sparrow b. Sept. 4th, 1873. (9) Jessie Bryan b. Nov. 26th, 1868 md. C. G. Midyett, Dec. 20th, 1899. (10) Henry b. Oct. 30th, 1866, died Aug. 19th, 1868. (11) Redden Lewis Myers b. Nov. 20th, 1874, md. Lida Katharine Roberts, Jan. 3rd, 1900.

Children of Henry Bonner and 1st wife Sarah A., *nee* Guilford. (1) Mary b. Mar. 8th, 1869, md. Thos. C. Butt Dec. 17th, 1890. (2) Ida b. July 12th, 1870 md. Lee T. Thompson, Nov. 19th, 1900. (3) Henry b. Feb. 23rd, 1872, died Sep. 22nd, 1895. (4) Sarah A., b. Dec. 13th, 1873, died Nov. 21st, 1893. (5) Joseph B., b. Mar. 31st, 1876, died Jan. 1, 1887. (6) A. Glenham, b. Dec. 20th, 1878 md. Kate Stilley in 1901. (7) Charles W., b. Feb. 3rd, 1880, died Sept. 19th, 1886. (8) W. Eugene b. Nov. 24th, 1881, died June 10th, 1882. Issue by 2nd wife Rebecca Florence *nee* Guilford. (9) John Young b. Jan. 29th, 1884. (10.) Clarissa G. I., b. Jan. 28, 1888. (11) W. Grady b. Dec. 30th, 1889. (12) J. Archbell, b. June 15th, 1891. (13) Ella b. Dec. 17th, 1893. (14) Fitzhugh Lee, b. May 5th, 1894.

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## SOLDIERS OF THE N. C. CONTINENTAL LINE, REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

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**SECOND REGIMENT—Alexander Martin, Colonel.**

- Babb, Josh, Armstrong's Co., enl. June 19, '76, 3 yrs, Musc. Apl., '78, pt. June, '78.  
 Bailey, Josh, pt. Vail's Co., Dec. 1, '76, 3 yrs, Sergt. July, '79, Dis. Feb. 16, '80.  
 Barnes, James, pt. Armstrong's Co., 1776, W. Sergt. Aug. '77, pt. July, '78. Dstd Oct. 25, '78.  
 Bateman, Jona, pt. Vail's Co., 1777, W. died Apl. 7, '78.  
 Bates, Fred'k, pt. Hall's Co., 1777.  
 Baxter, Sam'l, Sergt. William's Co., Nov. 22, '76. Pt. Jan. '78, Pris. June 1, '79, Corpl Nov. '79, Mus. Sergt. Jan., '82.  
 Best, Thomas, pt. Allen's Co., 1777, W. Dstd Feb. 17, '80.  
 Bell, Benj., Corpl. Hall's Co. 1777. Died Apl. 17, '78.  
 Beal, John, Pt. Martin's Co. 1777. Died May 16, '78.  
 Berry, Solomon, Sergt. Gee's Co., 1777. Pt. Jan. 31, '80.  
 Berry, John, pt. Gee's Co. 1777. Corp'l Dec., '78, Sergt. Nov., '79, pt. Feb. 10, '80.  
 Beaman, Jereh, pt. Gee's Co. 1777. War.  
 Bogle, Arch'd, Sergt. Allen's Co., for war.  
 Bone, Jas., Corp'l, Allen's Co., Jan. 15, '77, 3 yrs W. Pt. Jan. '78, died June 17, 1783.  
 Barows, Jno. pt. Fenner's Co., 1777. Omt'd Apl. '78.  
 Bosen, Jacob, Sergt., Martin's Co., Nov. 29, '76, for War.  
 Brutus, ———, pt. William's Co. Omt'd Jan., 1778.  
 Bruce, Thomas, Pt. William's Co. Omt'd Jan., 1778.  
 Bryan, Wm., Mus. Allen's Co., 1777. W. Pt. June, '78.  
 Branch, Job., Corp'l Martin's Co., 1776. Pt. June '78, Disc. Jan. 29, '80.  
 Bright, Chas., pt. Martin's Co., Aug. 7, '77, Corp'l Nov., '78, Sergt. Feb. 21, '79.  
 Brown Joseph, pt. Gee's Co., Nov. 9, '76, Mus. Corpl. for War Sept., '82.  
 Bull, Michael, Mus. William's Co., for 3 yrs. Pt. Jan., '78, Dead Jan., '79.  
 Budd, Sam'l Lt. Allen's Co. Ditto June, '78, pris. Sep. 8, '81, Capt., De-ranged, Jan. 1, '83.  
 Bullock, Balaam, pt. Gee's Co., 1777 for war, pris. June 1, '79, Mus. Nov. '79.  
 Buford, Wm., 2 Lt. Vail's Co., May 15, '77. Resigned Aug., '77.

**THIRD REGIMENT—Jethro Sumner, Colonel.**

- Brewster, Lott, Lieut. Col. Oct. 25, '77. Resigned Mch 15, '78.  
 Ballard, Keedar, Lt. Emet's Co., Apl. 16, '76, Capt. Nov., '77; P. M. Oct. 1, '79; pris. May 12, '80; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Brinkley, Wm., Capt. ———, 1776. Omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Bradley, Jas. Capt., Apl. 16, '77. Omt'd June, '78.  
 Bradley, Gee, Lt. Eaton's Co., Capt. Sept. 19, '78, pris. May 12, '80. De-ranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Barrow, Jas., Drum. Eaton's Co., 1777. Drum Major Sep., '77. Omt'd Sep., '78.  
 Bartholomew, Jno., pt., Turner's Co., Apl. 20, '76. Disch. Oct., '78.  
 Bailey, Lewis, pt. Granburry's Co., Apl. 10, '76. Disch. Oct., '78.



Baker, Norris, pt. Eaton's Co., Apl. 18, '76, Disc. Nov. 30, '78, Joined Feb. 20, '80.  
 Bargoner, Jno., pt. Emmet's Co. 1776. Disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Bennet, Thomas, pt. Turner's Co., May 8, '76 Sergt. Oct. 25, '78. Corpl. June 78, Disc Nov. 10, '78.  
 Bennett, Moses, pt. Eaton's Co. Dischg'd Nov. 10, '78.  
 Benton, Keedar, pt. Emmett's Co., Apl. 16, '76, Disc. Oct. 16, '78.  
 Benton, Jesse, Sergt. Emmett's Co., May, 11, '76. Omdt Oct., '77.  
 Bilberry, Nath'l, pt. Granburry's Co., Apl. 20 '76. Dis. Oct., '78.  
 Blanchet, Jno., Music, Emmet's Co., Oct. 11, '76. Mustered 2nd Reg. Mch. 27, for war.  
 Bradley, Rich'd, p Mr. ————, 1777. See him in 1st Regiment.  
 Bridges, Benj., pt. Turner's Co., Apl. 20, '76, Dischg'd Oct., '78.  
 Brandon, Wm., pt. Turner's Co., May 1, '77 Omdt Jan., '78.  
 Butts, Jona, Sergt. Granburry's Co., 1776. Dis. Oct. 17, '77.  
 Butts, Jacob, Sergt., Granburry's Co., 1776, Dis. Oct. 17, '77.  
 Butts, Job., Corpl. Granburry's Co., Apl. 10, '76, Dis. Oct. '78.  
 Bugg, Wm., pt. Emmett's Co., May 25, '76, Dis. Nov. 10, '78.

#### FOURTH REGIMENT—Thos. Polk, Colonel.

Baker, Thomas, pt. Nelson's Co., Feb. 14, '77, Dsd. Dec. 10, '79.  
 Barksdale, Henry, Sergt. Lewis Co., Apl. 20, '76. Corpl. June, '78. Sergt. Nov. 10, '78. Dis. May 1, '79.  
 Barrow, John, pt. Lewis' Co., Apl. 20, '76. Disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Benton, Jesse, pt. Williams' Co., 1777. Omdt Feb., '78.  
 Belew, Chas., pt., Phillips Co., May 20, '76. Sergt. Apl. '78. Omt. Dec., '78.  
 Betts, Math, pt. Phillips Co., 1776. Disc. Nov. 25, '77.  
 Beseley, John, Corpl. Goodman's Co., 1777, for 3 yrs.  
 Bearfield Stephen, pt., Lewis' Co., 1776, 3 yrs. Died Feb. 1, '78.  
 Benton, David, pt. Nelson's Co., June 15, '76. Disc. June 15, '79.  
 Biddlehizer, Lewis, pt. Smith's Co., June 17, '77. Disc. Feb., '79.  
 Bird, Moses, Musc., Lewis' Co., 1776. Omdt. Jan., '78.  
 Bishop, Chris., Mus. William's Co., 1777. Disc. Nov. 8, '77.  
 Bollentine, Jas., Sergt., Maj., Apl. 20, '77. Omitted Jan., '78.  
 Bootle, Thos., pt. Phillip's Co., May 20, '76. W. Destd Oct. 26, '77, Mus. Feb., '78, Disc. May 26, '79.  
 Bonny, Gideon, Corpl. Goodman's Co., 1777, for 3 yrs.  
 Boggs, John, pt. Goodman's Co., July 15, '76, 3 yrs. Dis July 15, '79.  
 Boggs, Ezekiel pt. Goodman's Co., July 26, '76, 3 yrs. Dis. July 25, '79.  
 Boon, Joseph, pt. Lewis Co., 1776. Omdt Jan., '78.  
 Boyes, Jesse, pt. Lewis' Co., Apl. 22, '76. Disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Bracher, Sam'l pt. William's Co., 1777, Disc. Nov., '77.  
 Brown, Joseph, pt. Phillips' Co., Apl. 4 '77, 3 yrs. Dsd Sept. 10, '78.  
 Brevard, Alex., Lt., Goodman's Co., Dec. 9, '76. Capt. Oct. 20, '80. De-ranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Bayly, Wm., pt. Harris' Co., 1776. Time out Oct. 31, 1777.  
 Bryan, John, pt. Lewis' Co., July 4, '76, 3 yrs. Sergt. Nov. 1, '77, pt. Apl. '78. Omdt Jan., '79.  
 Brown, Peter, pt. Smith's Co., 1776, 3 yrs. Omdt May, '78.  
 Bradley, Jas., pt., Nelson's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Dischg May, '79.  
 Bush, Chany, pt. Goodman's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Died Jan. 2, '78.  
 Burges, Geo., pt. Goodman's Co., Jan. 1, '77, 3 yrs. Disc. Jan. 28, '80.  
 Burges, Peter, pt. Goodman's Co., Jan. 1, '77, 3 yrs. Destd Feb. 3, '80.  
 Burtson Jesse, pt. Harris Co., 1776. Time out Oct. 31, '77.  
 Burns, Jno. Sergt. Smith's Co., May 20, '76. Pt. June, '78. Sergt. Nov. 10, '78. Destd Dec. 25, '79.  
 Bullock, Thomas, Sergt. Nelson's Co., 1777, 3 yrs omdt Feb., '78.  
 Bullock, Martin, Corpl. Nelson's Co., Feb. 20, '77, 3 yrs. Pt. June '78. Dest'd Dec. '78.

**FIFTH REGIMENT—Edward Buncombe, Colonel.**

- Buncombe, Edw'd, Col., Apl. 15, '76. Pris'r Oct. 4, '77. Omitted Jan., '78.  
 Boyd, Adam, Chaplain, Oct. 1, '77. Omitted June '78, Mustd in '79.  
 Barns, Wm., pt., Stedman's Co. 1777, for the war.  
 Banks, Wm., pt. Stedman's Co., 1777. Corpl. Nov. 10, '78. Dest'd Apl. 1, '79.  
 Bailey, Benj., 2 Lt. William's Co., Oct. 1, '76, Capt. Sept. 8, '81, Deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Baker, John, Pt. Enloe's Co., 1777. for W. Destd Mch, 15, '77.  
 Benson, Bailey, pt. Caswell's Co., Dec. 18, '77, 3 yrs. Disc. Feb. 8, '80.  
 Belch, Phillip, pt. Darnall's Co., 1777, 3 yrs, died Nov. 21, '77.  
 Benham, Drury, Corpl. Enloes Co., Dec. 16, '76, 3y W. Sergt. Sep., '77, pt. June, '78, Corp., May 15, '79, Sergt. July 25, '79.  
 Blount, Thomas, 1 Lt. Stedman's Co., Apl. 28, '77. Omitted Jan., '78.  
 Blount, Reading, Capt. Apl. 16, '76, Major, 1782.  
 Blocksom, Sovrain, pt. Enloes Co., Nov. 29, '76, 3 yrs. Disc. Jan. 30, '80.  
 Blount, Jas., pt. Alderson's Co., 1777. Disc. Oct. 6, '77.  
 Blake, Chris., pt. Alderson's Co., 1777, 3 yrs, died Apl. 30, '78.  
 Blurton, Henry, Sergt., Coleman's Co., 1777. 2 1-2 yrs. Omitted Jan., '78.  
 Blurton, Edw'd, pt. Coleman's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Omdt Jan. '78.  
 Bowers, Wm., pt. Stedman's Co., 1777. W. Dead June, '78.  
 Boon, Whylls, pt., Williams' Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Omdt Feb., '78.  
 Bond, Richard, pt. Blount's Co., 2 1-2. Omitted Feb., '78.  
 Brownley, Robert, Corpl. Stedman's Co., 1777. W. Sergt. Nov., '78.  
 Braboy, Jacob, pt. William's Co., May 9, '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Brooks, Asa, Sergt. Caswell's Co., 1777. 3 yrs. Qr. Mr. Sergt. Jan. '78. Died Jan. 3, '78.  
 Bradley, Sam'l, pt., Blount's Co., 3 yrs. Omdt June, '78.  
 Broom, Mason, pt. Blount's Co., Apl. 2, '76, 2 1-2 yrs, Disc. Oct. '78.  
 Brown, Thomas, pt. Blount's Co. for War.  
 Brown, David, pt. Darnal's Co. 1777. W. disc. Apl., 1778.  
 Brand, John, pt. Darnal's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Dest'd Aug. '77.  
 Brady, James, pt. Coleman's Co., 1777. 2 1-2 yrs. Corpl. Sep., '77.  
 Burk, Jacob, pt. Stedman's Co., 1777. W.  
 Burtonshell, Joshua, pt. 1777. 3 yrs. Destd. Nov., '77.  
 Burnet, David, pt. Blount's Co., W. Omdt. Feb., '78.  
 Burgess, Absalom, Sergt., Darnals Co., 1777. W. Pris'r June 1, '79, Must'd Nov., '79.  
 Bullock, John, pt. Enloe's Co., Apl. 20, '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Butler, Chareys, pt. Enloe's Co., Apl. 20 '76, 2 1-2 yrs, Disc. Nov. 10, '78.

**SIXTH REGIMENT—Gideon Lamb, Colonel.**

- Barker, Jesse, pt. Donoho's Co., 1777. W. Destd. Aug., '77.  
 Barker, Dan'l, pt. Donoho's Co., 1777. W. Destd Aug. '77.  
 Barns, Hez'k, pt. Donoho's Co., Apl. 16, '76, 2 1-2 yrs, Corpl. Sept., '77. Disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Baker Wm., pt., White's Co., Jan. 26, '76. 3 yrs. Disc. Apl. 1, '79.  
 Berry, Robt., pt. Doherty's Co., 1777. W. Omdt July, '79.  
 Belsire, Thos., pt. Doherty's Co., May 1, '76. W. Missing Oct. 4, '77. Must'd July, '78.  
 Beasnant, Jos., Sergt. Donoho's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Omdt. Jan., '78.  
 Blount, Jno., pt. Doherty's Co., for War, Dead Jan. 24, '78.  
 Blanks, Nich., pt. Doherty's Co., May 2, '76. W. Disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Brannon, Jas., pt. White's Co., Apl. 15, '76, 3 yrs, Sergt. Nov. '77, pt. Sept. '78. Disc. May 17, '79.  
 Brown, James, pt. White's Co., May 8, '76. 3 yrs. disc. May 10, '79.  
 Brantly, John, pt. Doherty's Co., May 1, '76, 3 yrs. Disc. Nov. '78.  
 Brees, Thos., pt. Child's Co., May 2, '77. Corpl. Feb., '78, pt. June, '78.  
 Burns, Sterrel, pt. Donoho's Co., 1777. W. Dstd. Aug., '77.  
 Burges, Jos., pt. Donoho's Co., 1777. Dead Aug., '77.

Burnsides, David, Sergt., Doherty's Co., Omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Boyd, John, Sergt. McRee's Co., 1777 P. June '77, Sergt. Nov., '79.

#### SEVENTH REGIMENT—James Hogun, Colonel.

Barker, Jas., pt. Brickell's Co., 1777. W. Dstd. July, '77.  
 Baker, Jno. Lt. Walker's Co., Nov. 28, '76. Capt. to July, '77. P. Mr. June, '78. Omt'd. '79.  
 Barho, Thos., Corpl. Poynter's Co., Jan. 10, '77, 3 yrs. Pt. Jan., '78. Corp'l June, '78, Dstd Dec. 11, '79.  
 Barlow, Chris., pt. Poynter's Co., Dec. 19, '76, 3 yrs. Omt'd Feb., '78.  
 Bartley, Henry, pt. Poynter's Co., Mar. 13, '77, 3 yrs Ditto.  
 Beeks, Wm., Sergt. Maj., 1777 Adj. Dec., 1777. Omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Bennett, Jas., pt. Dawson's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Dead July, '77.  
 Bennett, Jas., pt. Walker's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Died Jan. 26, '78.  
 Billops, Thos., Musc. McGlauhan's Co., Mar. 11, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Bryan, John, Musc. McGlauhan's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Dstd Aug., '77.  
 Bryan, John, pt. Walker's Co., 1777. Dstd. Sept. 17, '77.  
 Brewster, Lott, Maj., Nov. 24, '76, Lt. Col. Oct. 25, '77, 3rd Reg.  
 Brickell, Mathias Sergt. Maj., Dec., '77. Omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Brickell, Thos., Capt., Nov. 28, '76. Omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Brickell, Matt., Sergt. Brickell's Co., Dec. 8, '76, 3 yrs., Jan., '78.  
 Brewer, Benj., pt. Dawson's Co., 1777. Dead Oct. 15, '77.  
 Bryant, John, Sergt. Brickell's Co., Jan. 28, '77. Omt'd Oct., '77.  
 Branton, Eph'm, pt. Brickell's Co., 1777. W. Corp'l. Oct., '77. Died Mch. 12, '78.  
 Brown, Benj., Corpl. Walker's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Died Feb., '78.  
 Brown, Thos., pt. Dawson's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Dstd Apl., '77.  
 Bryan, Benj., Ensn. McGlauhan's Co., Apl. 27, '77. Omt'd Nov., '77.  
 Burnham, Jesse, pt. Brickell's Co., 1777. W. Dstd. Apl., '77.  
 Bush, Wm., pt. Brickell's Co., 1777. W. Dstd. Apl. '77.

#### EIGHTH REGIMENT—James Armstrong, Colonel.

Bencham, Hodges, Sergt. Tartanson's Co. 1777 3 yrs. Dead Mch. 30. '78.  
 Blackleach, Thos., Sergt. Walsh's Co., 1777. Pt. Jan., '78. Omt'd Feb., '78  
 Boyce, Seth, pt. Welch's Co., 1777. Died Oct. 5, '77.  
 Boon, Wm., pt. Walsh's Co., Jan. 1, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Boothe, John, pt. Raiford's Co., Feb. 19, '77, 3 yrs. Omt'd Feb., '78.  
 Bourk, Chas., pt. Raiford's Co., May 27, '77, 3 yrs. Pris. June 2, '79. Must'd Nov., '79.  
 Bryant, Wm., Sergt. Walsh's Co., 1777. W. Pt. Apl., '78.  
 Broadbent, Rich'd, pt. Walsh's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Dstd Feb. 11, '79.  
 Bradsher, Jno., pt. Walsh's Co., Feb. 19, '77, 3 yrs. Died Jan. 28, '78.  
 Bush, Wm., Ens. Tartanson's Co., Apl. 10, '77, 1 Lt. Aug. 15, '77; Adj. May 12, '81.  
 Bush, Jno., Lt. Walsh's Co., Feb'y 8, '77, Adj. Aug. 2, '77. Omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Bunday, James, pt. Tartanson's Co., Mch. 13, '77, 3 yrs. Corp'l June, '78.  
 Bullock, Moses, pt. Tartanson's Co., 1777. Omt'd Sep., '77.  
 Bullock, Jno., pt. Tartanson's Co., 1777. Ditto.

#### NINTH REGIMENT—John Williams, Colonel.

Bay, And'w, Sergt. Maj., May 1, '77. W. Omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Bayne, John, pt. McCrory's Co., July 9, '77, 3 yrs. Omt'd Feb., '79.  
 Barlow, Robt., pt. Wade's Co., 1777. Died Mch. 12, '78.  
 Beck, Fred'k, pt. Cook's Co., 1777. Dstd Oct. 10, '77.  
 Black, John, pt. McCrory's Co., 1777. W. Dstd Nov., '77.  
 Blalock, Wm., pt. Wade's Co., 1777. Dstd Aug. 6, '77.  
 Bond, Elisha, pt., Cook's Co., Jan. 1, '77, 3 yrs. Disc. Jan. 27, '80.  
 Bond, Thomas, pt. Cook's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Died Dec. 13, '77.  
 Brown, Morgan, Lt. Cook's Co., Nov. 28, '76. Resigned Oct. 12, '77.

Brown, David, pt. Cook's Co., Jan. 8, '77. Killed or taken Oct. 4, '77. Misd July, '78, died Nov. 18, '78.  
 Brown, Wm., pt. McCrory's Co., Sep. 1, '76, 3 yrs.  
 Britnal, Jas., pt. Cook's Co., Mar. 28, '77.  
 Bruce, George, pt. Cook's Co., Mar. 15, '77.  
 Britton Jas., pt. Cook's Co., Dec. 1, '76, 3 yrs. Disc. Feb. 1, '80.  
 Britton, Phillip, Musc. Wade's Co., Dec. 3, '76, 3 yrs. Pt. June, '78; Disc. Jan. 27, '80.  
 Brevard, John, Lt. Wade's Co., Nov. 28, '76. Omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Brandon, Thos., pt. Brevard's Co., Jan. 12, '77, 3 yrs. Disc. Jan. '27, '80  
 Bullock, Daniel, Lt. Cook's Co., Mar. 23, '77. Omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Bullock, Dan'l, pt. Cook's Co., Mar. 23, '77. Corpl. Nov., '77. Sergt. Jan. '78, pt. June 78. Omt'd Nov. '79.

#### TENTH REGIMENT—Abraham Shepard, Colonel.

Barfield, Marmask, Corp. Shepard's Co., May 4, '77. Pt. June, '78. Dstd Sep. 17, '78.  
 Barfield, James, pt. Shepard's Co., June 20, '77. Pris. June 1, '79. Musd. Nov., '79.  
 Bates, Luke, pt. Shepard's Co., Apl. 27, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Bass, Ezdras, pt. Shepard's Co., Apl. 22, '77. Omt'd June, '78.  
 Bateman, Peter, pt. Shepard's Co., July 12, '77. Omt'd June, '79. Re-Enl. Nov. '79.  
 Badget, Sam'l, pt. Stevenson's Co., Aug. 24, '77. Dstd Jan. 20, '78.  
 Ballentine, Malachi, pt. Jarvis Co., June 2, '77, 3 yrs. W. Mus. Mch. 8, '79.  
 Barco, Jno., Musc. Gregory's Co., May 24, '77, 3 yrs. Pt. June, '78.  
 Barco, Leaman, pt. Gregory's Co., June 9, '77, 3 yrs. Corpl. Apl., '82.  
 Barber Wm., Lt. Moore's Co., Apl. 19, '77. Omt'd June, '78.  
 Bartie, John, pt. Moore's Co., Aug. 5, '77, 3 yrs. Dstd Jan. 1, '83.  
 Ballentine, Alexr., pt. W. Sergt. May, '79; pt. Jan., '80.  
 Barrow, Jas., pt., May 10, '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Baker, Wm., pt. Omt'd. Feb., '79.  
 Barco, Wyllis, pt., Dec. 17th, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Bagley, Isaac, Corp'l Hogg's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Badgette, Jesse, Corpl. Lt. Col. Com., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Bass, Council, Musc. Lt. Col. Com., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Battis, John, pt. Lt. Col. Com., July 20, '79, 9 mos.  
 Bass, Uriah, pt. Lt. Col. Com., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Baker, Enos, pt. Baker's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Bailey, Robert, pt. Baker Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Buckingham, Wm., pt. Baker's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Baker, Wm., Musc., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Barber, Jno., pt. Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Baney, Lyon, pt. Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos. Omt'd Oct., '78.  
 Barbere, Isaac, pt. Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Barrow, Dan'l, pt. Bradley's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Bateman, Nary, pt. Child's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Barnhill, Henry, pt. Child's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Bailey, Wm., Corpl. Bradley's Co., June 30, '79, 18 mos.  
 Bass, Moses, pt. Bradley's Co., July 5, '79. W. Dstd Sep., '79.  
 Basket, Wm., pt. Montford's Co., June 15, '79, 18 mos.  
 Bation, David, pt. Montford's Co., May 20, '79. W. Dstd Sep., '79.  
 Barber, Wm., pt. Ballard's Co., June 29, '79, 3 yrs.  
 Bates, Edwd., pt. Ballard's Co., June 29, '79, 3 yrs.  
 Barnes, Thos., pt. Quinn's Co., May 24, '79, 18 mos. Corpl., '80.  
 Bass., Aaron, pt. Quinn's Co., June 24 '79, 18 mos. Dstd Dec., '79.  
 Baggote, Allen, pt. Quinn's Co., June 5th. '79. Omt'd Oct., '79.  
 Barnes, Wm., pt. Quinn's Co., June 24, '79. W.  
 Bagley, Natnan, pt. Blount's Co., Aug. 5, '79. W. Dstd. Oct., '79.  
 Bailey, Wm., pt., 1779, 9 mos. Dstd Sept. '79.

- Barnet, Jno. or Jas., pt. June 1, '81. Left Service June 1, '82.  
 Bass, Dred, pt. Raiford's Co., May 18, '81. Trans. Aug., '81, to the Legion.  
 Baker, John, pt. Donoho's Co., May 25, '81, 12 mos. Time out.  
 Bass, Hardy, pt. Donoho's Co., June 14 '81 12 mos. Time out.  
 Bailey, Stephen, pt. Donoho's Co., June, '81, 12 mos. Do.  
 Bass, Rich'd, pt. Donoho's Co., May 18, '81, 3 yrs. Omt'd '81.  
 Barrott, Joseph, pt. Donoho's Co., June 14, '81, 12 mos. Dstd, Musd, July 19, '81.  
 Baker, Benj., pt. Dixon's Co., Apl. 15, '81, 12 mos. Left Serv. Apl. 25, '82.  
 Ballard, Dudley, pt. Lytle's Co., Apl 12, '81, 1 yr. Left Serv. Apl. 12, '82.  
 Bates, James, pt. Sharp's Co. Apl. 15, '81, 1 yr. Left serv. Apl. 15, '82.  
 Baggett, John, pt. Sharp's Co., Apl. 5, '81, 1 yr. Left serv. Apl. 5, '82.  
 Baggett, Drew, Musc. Dixon's Co., 12 mos., no dbt. Left serv. Apl. 5, '82.  
 Barnhill, James, pt. Lytle's Co., 12 mos. no dbt. Left serv. June 10, '82.  
 Bailey, John, pt. Doherty's Co., 12 mos., no dbt. Mustd Jan. '82.  
 Barker, Jos., pt. Doherty's Co., 12 mo., '81, no date. Time out May 25, '82.  
 Barnhill, David, pt. Doherty's Co., 12 mo., no dbt. Time out May 25, '82.  
 Bable, John, pt. Armstrong's Co. W. Mustd Jan., '82.  
 Ball, Hosea, Sergt. Bailey's Co., May 17, '81, 12 mos. Left serv. May 17, '82.  
 Baxter, Wm. pt. Bailey's Co., Apl. 12, '81, 12 mos. Left serv. Apl. 12, '82.  
 Bachus, Wm. pt. Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mos. Left serv Aug. 1, '82.  
 Burko, Jno. pt. Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mos. Left serv. July 10, '82.  
 Ballard, Lewis, Corpl. Yarborough's Co., 1781.12 mos. Left serv. Apl. 22, '82.  
 Baker Jas., pt. Yarborough's Co, 1781, 12 mos. Left serv Apl. 22, '82.  
 Banks. Wm., pt. Yarborough's Co., 1781, 12 mos. Left serv. Apl. 1, '82.  
 Ballard, Wyatt, pt. Carter's Co., 1781, 12 mos.  
 Baker, Isaac, pt. Jones' Co., Oct. 1, '81, 12 mos..  
 Bailee, John, pt. Mills' Co., Feb'y 7, '82 12 mos. Time out Jan. 7, '82.  
 Bailey, Rich'd pt. Jones Co., Jan. 1, '81, 12 mos.  
 Banks, Jas., pt. Baileys Co., Sept. 13, '82, 18 mos.  
 Baker, Dempsey, pt. Bailey's Co., Sep. 10, '82, 18 mos. Dstd June 21, 1783.  
 Ballard, Joal, Corpl. Hadley's Co., Aug. 1, '82, 18 mos.  
 Bachus, Josh, pt. Hadley's Co., Aug. 1, '82, 18 mos.  
 Baxley, Josh, pt. Hadley's Co., Aug. 1, '82, or Backsley. Died June 6, '83.  
 Baker, John, pt. Hadley's Co., Aug. 1, '82, 18 mos.  
 Bakot, Peter, Capt. Hadley's Co., Sep. 8, '81.  
 Batstaff Fred'k, pt. Bacot's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Barrer, Moses, pt. Bacot's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Barnett, Sion, Corpl., Carter's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Bagwell, John, pt., Carter's Co., 1782 18 mos.  
 Bateman, Wm., pt. Raiford's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Baldwin, Edwd., pt. Brevard's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Baxter, Thos., pt. Brevard's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Bailey, Josh. pt., Evan's Co., 1782, 18 mos. Omt'd Jan. '83, transfd.  
 Barns, Moses, pt. Evan's Co., 1782.  
 Baker, Josh, pt. Bacot's Co. Musd Dec., '83, died June 18, '83.  
 Baker, Josh, pt. Sharp's Co., Nov. 10, '78, 9 mos.  
 Backus, Josh, pt. Armstrong's, May 25, '78, 3 yrs. Musd June, '79.  
 Bailey, Isaac, pt. Sharp's Co., 3 yrs. Musd Feb., '79. Dest'd Apl. 22, '79.  
 Bennett, Jacob, pt. Jarvis Co., Sept. 8, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Bennett, Benjamin, pt. Jarvis Co., June 16, '77, 3 yrs. Omt'd June, '78.  
 Berry, Amos. pt. Joined Jan. 10, '78, died Apl. 10, '78.  
 Beavens, Geo. pt. Montford's Co., 1778.  
 Benton, Edom, pt., Hogg's Co., July 20. '78, 9 mos. Died Nov. 7, '78.  
 Bell Elias, pt. Baker's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Bennell, Neheh., pt. Bradley's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Bennett, Wm., pt. Bradley's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Beach, Robt., pt. Child's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Bennett, Wm., pt. Child's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Beeney, Jos., pt. Montford's Co., June 1, '79, 18 mos. Omt'd Oct. '79.

- Bennett, Sol., pt. Ballard's Co., June 29, '79, 18 mos. Dstd Aug. 5, '79.  
 Beaver, John, Corpl. Blount's Co., Mar. 1, '79, 9 mos. Disc. Dec. 1, '79.  
 Beasley, Sam'l, pt. Blount's Co., May 20, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Bell, Robt. Ens. Raiford's Co., May 18, '81. Lieut. Sept. 8, '81.  
 Bell, Geo., pt. McRee's Co., Apl. 25, '81, 12 mos. Left Serv. Apl. 25, '82.  
 Bennett, Reuben, pt. Raiford's Co., May 5, '81, 12 mos. Served time out.  
 Bexley, James, pt. Sharp's Co., Apl. 5, '81, 12 mos. Left Serv. Apl. 5, '82.  
 Bert, John, pt. Doherty's Co., 12 mos., '81, no dbt. Left serv. May 25, '82.  
 Benton, John, pt. Rhodes Co., 12 mos., '81, no dbt. Disc. Feb. 17, '82.  
 Benton, Josh, pt. Doherty's Co., 12 mos., '81, no dbt. Do. May 25, '82.  
 Beverhouse, Abm., June 81, 12 mos. Left serv. June 26, '82.  
 Beeseley, Wm., Corpl. Bailey's Co., May 17, '81, 12 mos. Time out May 17, '82.  
 Berry, Jas., pt. Brevard's Co., 1781. Left serv. Apl. 25, '82.  
 Bell, Josiah, pt. Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mos. Left serv. July 10, '82.  
 Bentley, Thos., pt. 1781, 12 mos. Left serv. Apl. 1, '82.  
 Bealy, Arc'h, pt. Yarborough's Co., 1781, 12 mos. Left serv. June 17, '82.  
 Benton, Nathan, pt. Jones Co., Jan. 1, '82, 12 mos.  
 Betts, Wm., pt. Jones Co., Mar. 6, '82, 12 mos.  
 Beesley, Wm., pt. Jones Co., Jan. 2, '82, 12 mos.  
 Betts Matthias, pt. Jones Co., Sep. 14, '81, 12 mos.  
 Bell, Wm., pt. Coleman's Co., May 15, '81, 12 mos. Re. Enl. Aug. 1, '82, for 12 months.  
 Bell, Sam'l pt. Coleman's Co., Feb. 7, '82, 12 mos.  
 Bell, Jas., Corpl. Hadley's Co., Aug. 1, '82, 18 mos.  
 Berry, Jas., pt. Carter's Co., 1782, 18 mos. Dstd Dec. 25 '82.  
 Benton, Dempsey, pt. Raiford's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Bennett, John, pt. Raiford's Co., 1782, 18 mos. Dstd June 11, '83.  
 Berry, Caleb, pt. 1779, 3 yrs.  
 Beasley, Sam'l, pt. Medaria's Co., 9 mos. Musd. Jan., '79.  
 Berry, Caleb, pt. Medaria's Co., 3 yrs. Mustd Jan., '79.  
 Bedo, John, pt. Medaria's Co., 3 yrs. Mustd. Feb., '79.  
 Belew, John, pt. Lytle's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Bird, Hardy, pt. Shepard's Co., July 1, '77, 3 yrs. Pris. June 1, '79. Mustd Nov., '79.  
 Bissell, Enos, pt., Sept. 10, '77.  
 Bishop, Moses, Sergt., Colonel's, July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Bird, Benjamin, pt. Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos. Omtd Oct., '78.  
 Biby, Thos., pt. Ballard's Co., June 29 '79, 9 mos. Disc. Dec. 1, '79.  
 Bird, Jacob, pt. McRee's Co., Apl. 28, '81 Dstd June 18, '81.  
 Billings, Abm., pt. McRce's Co., Apl. 28, '81. Dstd July 13, '81.  
 Billups, Thos., Musc. Raiford's Co., Apl. 15, '81. Left serv. Apl. 15, '82.  
 Bibby, Absalom, pt. Dixon's Co., May 18, '81, 12 mos Left serv. May 21, '82.  
 Binum, Wm., pt. Lytle's Co., Apl. 12, '81. Left serv. Apl. 12, '82.  
 Bishop, Wm., pt. Armstrong's Co., 12 mos., '81. Left Serv. Dec. 1, '82.  
 Billups, Rich'd, pt. Yarborough's Co., 1781. Left serv. Apl. 22, '82.  
 Bibby, Sol., pt. Yarborrow's Co., 1781. Omtd Apl. 1, '82.  
 Bibber, Dan'l pt. Carter's Co., June 6, '81, 12 mo. Time out June 6, '82.  
 Bingham, John, pt. Sharp's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Bido John, pt. Dstd Sept., 1779.  
 Bird, Moses, Musc. Taylor's Co., 2 1-2 yrs. Musd Jan., 1779.  
 Birgay, Wm., pt. Taylor's Co., 2 1-2 yrs. Musd Jan., 1779.  
 Black, Martin, pt. Stevenson's Co., May 16, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Blanchet, Thos., Sergt. Vanoy's Co., June 21, '77, 3 yrs; pt. June, '78.  
 Blanchett, Fred'k Musc. Vanoy's Co., Aug. 20, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Blackley E. Surgeon's Mt., April 20, '78. Omtd. Aug., '78.  
 Blango, Moses, pt. Hogg's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Blango, Benj., pt. Hogg's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Blunt, Thomas, pt. Hogg's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Blanchets, Jas., pt. Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.

- Blackwell, Jas., pt. Bradley's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Blythe, Jos., Sergt., Child's Co., July 2, '79.  
 Blount, Thos., pt. Ballard's Co., June 29, '79, 18 mos.  
 Blount, Edmond, pt. Dixon's Co., Apl. 15, '81, 12 mos. Omtd, '81.  
 Blount, Benj., pt., Sharp's Co., Apl. 15, '81, 12 mos. Left Serv. Apl. 15, '82.  
 Blount, Thomas, pt. Doherty's Co., 12 mos., '81, no dbt. Time out May 25, '81.  
 Blackstone, Henry, Musc. Lytle's Co., June 20, '80, 12 mos.  
 Bletcher, Jacob, pt. Armstrong's Co., 12 m., '81, no dbt. Left Serv. Dec. 23, '82.  
 Blanchard, Micaja, pt. Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mos. Left Serv. Aug. 1, '82.  
 Blackstone, Henry, pt. Coleman's Co., Apl. 1, '82, 12 m. Mustd Sep. 1, '82.  
 Blount, Fred'k, pt. Hall's Co., July 15, '82. War.  
 Black, Jas., pt. Bailey's Co., Sep. 1, '82, 12 mo.  
 Black, Giren, pt. Bailey's Co., Aug. 1, '82, 12 mos.  
 Black, Guin, pt. Bacot's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Black, George, Sergt. Lytle's Co., 1782, 18 mos. Dstd, Dec. 10, '82.  
 Black, Jas., pt. Lytle's Co., 1782 18 mos.  
 Black, Martin, pt. Evan's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Blamer, John, Corp'l. Evan's Co., 1782, 18 mos., died June 13, '83.  
 Blount, Warren, Sergt. Sharp's Co., Nov. 10, '78, 9 mos.  
 Boyd, John, pt. Stevenson's Co., June 14, '77, died Mch. 22, '78; 3 yrs.  
 Boyd, Wm., pt. Stevenson's Co., June 14, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Boswell, Wm. Sergt. Moore's Co., June 11, '77, 3 yrs. Pt. June, '78. Corpl. Oct., '78.  
 Boyce, Arthur, Q. M. Sergt. June '78, Sergt. June, '79. Dstd Dec. 2, '79.  
 Bogart, Tunis, pt. Fenner's Co., Mar. 1, '79. W.  
 Bootey, Candel, pt. Quinn's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Boyd, James, pt. Lt. Col., July 20 '78 9 mos. Mustd Mch, '80.  
 Boyd, Sam'l pt. Lt. Col., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Boon, Elisha, pt. Baker's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Boon, Lewis, pt. Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Boon, David, pt. Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Boon, James, pt. Bradley's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Bolton, Richard, Sergt. Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Bozman, Ethelredge, pt. Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos. Omtd Oct., '78.  
 Bozman, Jesse, pt. Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos. Omtd. Oct., '78.  
 Boyd, Joseph, Corpl. Bradley's Co., July 20 '78, 9 mos.  
 Bowers, Giles, pt. Bradley's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos. Dstd Oct., '78.  
 Boston, Chrisn., pt. McRee's Co., Apl. 28, '81, 12 mos. Left Serv. Apl. 28, 1782.  
 Boston, Andrew, pt. McRee's Co., Apl. 28, '81, 12 mos. Left. Serv. April 28, 1782.  
 Booling, Wm., pt. Donoho's Co., June 14, '81, 12 mos. Omtd '81.  
 Boon, Elisha, pt. Dixon's Co., May 4, '81, 12 mo. Time out May 4, '82.  
 Bonner, Wm., Corpl. Sharp's Co., Apl. 15, '81, 12 mos. Omtd '81.  
 Bowers, Sol., pt. Sharp's Co., Apl. 5, '81, 12 mo. Left Serv. Apl. 15, '82.  
 Boyce, John, pt. Sharp's Co., 1781. 3 yrs. Died July 25, '82.  
 Boyce, Dempsey, Capt. Armstrong's Co., 12 mo., '81, no dbt. Time out Nov. 1, '82.  
 Boyce, Wm., pt. Armstrong's Co., 12 m., '81, no dbt. Left serv. Oct. 1, '82  
 Boon, David, pt. Lytle's Co., 12 m., '81. Time out May 19, '82.  
 Boyd, Benj. pt. Rhodes Co., 12 m., '81. Disc. Jan. 23, '82.  
 Bolton, Benj., pt. Armstrong's Co., 12 m., '81. Left Serv. Dec. 1, 1782.

(To be continued.)

WHALE FISHING IN NORTH CAROLINA WATERS.

North Carolina.

To the Honble Christopher Gale, Esq., Chief Justice and the rest of the Assistant Justices of the Gen'l Court to be held at Edenton the last Tuesday in October, 1727.

The information and complaint of William Little, Esq., Att'y Gen'l and Receiver in behalf of his Exc'll'y John Lord Carteret, Palatine, and the rest of the true & Absolute Lords Proprietors of Carolina, sheweth that,

Whereas his Royall Majesty King Charles the Second of blessed memory heretofore King of England, Scotland, France & Ireland, in the 17th year of his Reign by Royall Charter under the great seal duly ratified did give, grant & confirm unto Edward Earle of Clarendon, George Duke of Albemarle, William Earle of Craven, John Lord Berkley, Anthony Lord Ashley, Sr. George Carteret, Sr. John Colleton and Sir Wm. Berkley & assigns a certain Tract of Land Territory or Province within his said Majesty's Dominions extending from Corratuck Inlet or Gulet near Virginia on the North & Southerly unto the latitude of 29 degress of North latitude inclusive near the Gulf or Cape of Florida together with all waters, Harbores, Bays & the fishing for all sorts of Whales, Sturgeon, & all other Royal Fishes in the Sea, Bays, Inletts & Rivers within the premises and the fish therein, taken together with the Royalty of the Sea upon the Coast within the limits aforesaid and also in and by the sayd Charter did incorporate, create and constitute them the sayd Edward Earle of Clarendon, &c., their Heirs and Assigns to be the true and absolute Lords and proprietors of the said province or Territory, and all other the premises (saving always the faith, allegiance and Sovereign Dominion due to his said Royall Majesty, his Heirs and Successor.) All which hath constantly since been held possessed and enjoy'd by the said Lords Proprietors, their Heirs and Assigns, by the name and style of the Palatine and the rest of the true & absolute Lords Proprietors of Carolina. And the sayd Attorney in the behalf as aforesaid. Sheweth that his Excell'y the Palatine and the rest of the true and absolute Lords Proprietors of Carolina for encouraging the whale fishing in their sayd Province have for a long time granted publick leave & lycence to the Inhabitants of other Governments to take, kill & save whales and all other Royall fish in any of the Bays, Seas or Coasts within their sayd Limits and Dominion yielding and paying annually to them the sayd Palatine and the rest of the true and Absolute Lords & Proprietors of Carolina or their Receivers for them one tenth part of the Oyle or Blubber and finn or Whalebone commonly so called by them so taken, killed and saved and the sayd Attorney Gen'l further sheweth that upon the encouragem't & lycence



so given as aforesaid, Sundry Inhabitants of New England and elsewhere as well as the Inhabitants of this government for severall years past in divers Crews or Companys in Ships or Sloops have come into Ports and Harbours of this Government, the Masters whereof by proper permits and Lycences have landed their respective Companys or Boats Crews of Men, with their Boats, tackle, stores and utensils to follows the sayd imploy of Whaling and have killed, taken and saved sundry whales on the Coast of the Government and thereof made considerable quantities of Oyle and Bone and have constantly payd the tenth part thereof annually as aforesaid yet nevertheless so it is that in the year of our Lord 1725, on or about the month of December Josiah Doty, Master of a Sloop or Ship with a great Company of men and Severall Boats with Tackle & stores under his care, charge and conduct did enter his sayd Vessell & stores in Port Beaufort within this Government by virtue of the aforesaid Toleration or lycence was permitted to unlode his sayd Company with their Boats, Stores and Utensils to go on the sayd employ of Whaling on the Sea Coasts of this Government for the winter Season of the sayd year who during the sayd season did kill, take and save a great number of Whales in the Bays, Shoar or Sea Coast of this Government and thereof did save and make the quantity of three hundred barreles of Oyle and one thousand weight of whalebone yet nevertheless the said Josiah Doty did not pay and render nor cause to be divided, payd and rendered to the said Palatine and the rest of ye true & absolute Lords Proprietors nor their Receiver the sayd Tenth part of the said Oyle and Bone, but the whole thereof in the said Vessell and other Vessels did carry and Transport out of this Government and doth still deny & refuse the said Tenth part of said Oyle and Bone by them gott as aforesaid to pay and render altho' he hath been often thereto required to the damage of his Excell'y John Lord Carteret Palatine & the rest of the true & absolute Lords Proprietors of Carolina five hundred pounds and thereon the sayd Attorney in their behalf as aforesaid commandeth suit and prays process and judgment thereon for the said damages and costs. Signed."

WM. LITTLE, Attorney Con't Precinct.

Copy. W. BADHAM, Clerk Cur. Gen'l.

LETTER FROM EDWARD MOSELEY TO AUGUSTIN  
SCARBOROUGH.

CHOWAN, March 12, 1712.

SIR: With this by Wm. Cartwright I send you the list of claims for your Precinct—But the money in Publick Bills of Credit not holding out as was expected—It is concluded by the Comm'ers for Issuing them out but half the Claims now, excepting the So. Carolina List, Maj. Gales' expedition to So. Carolina, for drawing the bills of Credit, & Capt. Hecklefield which are agreed to be paid off entirely—for paym't of Mr. Knight's & Mr. Foster's Claims I have drawn out a distinct parcel of Bills, which I am to give them. I send you 292£ in Bills proportionable for ye four yearly payments sealed up with the same seal as this is.

You are to remember that you pay nobody above half of their claim and that must be so proportioned that he have a part of each year's bills and not one to have the first years bills & another ye last years. But if it so happen that it must be proportioned to pay one man his Claims by himself I believe it were better to Joyn so many together as may be convenient and that will bear a proportion. And sometimes where the sum is small & will not admitt of a bill for each year then to give a bill either of the second or third year for as I said before to give one the first and another ye last will be hard measure to some.

I have thus ventured to give a small acct. how I intend to manage it in my precinct believing it may give you some light towards Distributing them in yours, I remain Sir,

Yours very humble Servt.,  
EDW'D MOSELEY.

To Mr. Augustin Scarborough, Treasurer  
of Pasquotank Prect. per Mr. Cartwright.

## A TABLE OF RATES FOR ORDINARIES, 1742.

North Carolina, July Court, 1742.  
Chowan County—Ss.

PRESENT HIS MAJESTY'S JUSTICES.

These may certify that the following is a true copy of the Rates ordered to be taken by the Ordinary Keepers in this County for the several Articles under mentioned, viz:

	£	s	d
Rum per Gallon and so in proportion.....	2	10	0
Madeira, Vidona and other wine per Quart & so in proportion	15	0	
One Quart of Flip with $\frac{1}{2}$ pint of Rum on it.....		4	0
Carolina Cyder per quart.....	1	0	
Northern Do " do .....	2	0	

Strong Malt Beer of America.....	3 0
Do of Great Britain per Quart.....	7 6
A Quart of Punch with Loaf Sugar, lime juice and half pint of Rum .....	7 6
Dyets of fresh meat, Bread and Small Beer.....	5 0
Lodging per night.....	2 6
Gallon of Oats or Corn.....	2 6
Pasturage for a horse 24 hours.....	1 3
Claret per bottle.....	1 5 0
A Pint of Punch with Brown Sugar.....	5 0
A Breakfast .....	5 0
British Ale & Beer bottled & wired in Great Britain.....	12 6
By order,	JAS. CRAVEN, Clk. Cur.

## TABLE OF RATES FOR ORDINARIES, 1746.

North Carolina, July Chowan Court 1746.  
Chowan County—Ss.

## PRESENT HIS MAJESTY'S JUSTICES.

It was then and there ordered, That the Several Ordinary Keepers  
Take out a Copy of ye following Rates and Keep the same up ac-  
cording to Law, viz as each is to take and receive for. £ s d

Maderia wine p Quart & so in proportion.....	12 6
Vidonia Wine p Quart & so in proportion.....	1 0
Carolina Cyder per Quart.....	2 6
Northern Cyder per Quart.....	5 0
Strong Malt Beer of America p Quart or bottle.....	5 0
A diet of fresh meat, wheat Bread & small Beer.....	6 0
Lodging p. night .....	2 6
A Gallon of Oats or Corn.....	2 6
Pasturage or stabling a horse p. night.....	1 5 0
Claret p. bottle .....	1 5 0
A Breakfast .....	5 0
Rum p. gallon & so in proportion.....	2 10 0
A Quart of Flip with half pint of Rum on it.....	5 0
Strong Malt Beer or Porter of Great Britain, Quart or bottle	7 6
A Quart of Punch with Loaf Sugar, Lime Juice & $\frac{1}{2}$ Pint Rum .....	7 6
A Quart of Punch with Brown Sugar.....	5 0
British Ale or Beer Bottled or wired in Great Britain....	10 0

N. B. If any person or persons presume to take any higher or  
greater price for Liquors than above rated, on complaint and proof  
thereof made before any two Justices of ye peace within the said  
County, shall forfeit their Lyeences and further be Lyable to the  
Penalties by Law prescribed.

By order.

JAS. CRAVEN, Clk. Cur.

## PRISON BOUNDS IN 1747. THE OLD COURT HOUSE, &amp;c.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

§	13	Street	13	14	15	16	Prison.	19	20	21	22	23	§
§	1	Street	1	2	3	4	Court House.	6	7	8	9	10	§

"State of North Carolina,  
Chowan County:—Ss.

In Obedience to an Order of Chowan County Court appointing us the Subscribers to lay off the Prison Bounds in Edenton, we have according to the Directions of the said Court laid off the same, as appears by the above plan, and which Bounds is contained within the black line as appears by the said plan.

Given under our hands the 26th day of October, Anno Domini, 1747.

J. HULL,  
JAS. CRAVEN.

N. B.—The Court House lots makes 1 acre.  
The Et & Wt street 1 do and 3340 foot.  
The 22 Lots  $\frac{1}{3}$  deep makes  $3\frac{1}{2}$  do and 7260 foot.  
The 25 foot at each corner  $\frac{1}{3}$  deep 11000 foot.

5 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres 21600 foot.

Which is 180 foot short of six acres 180

for 21.780 foot is half an acre 21.780

The odd feet is so trifling that it would not extend above  $\frac{1}{4}$  part of a foot each way."

From the above valuable paper we are not only informed as to the Prison Bounds allowed Debtors and persons charged with minor offences, but it also contains the location of the first Court House built in the Colony and used for the first time Nov. 18, 1718, from the above diagram it is absolutely settled that it stood on the South side of King Street, facing the present building built some time after 1747. The prison seems to have stood where the Court House

now stands, the Court House referred to in the diagram was a wooden structure to which Col. Wm. Byrd in his Westover Mss. referred in 1729, as having the appearance of a "common tobacco barn." We do not know when the present Court House was erected, but incline to the opinion that it was between 1767 and 1775.

There was in 1747, on the Court House lots, "a building to hold the Assembly in" called "The Councill Chamber." From an order issued by the Chowan County Court, July Court 1744, directed to Mr. James Craven and Dr. Abraham Blackall, to lay off four acres at the corners, it appears that the first Legislative Building in North Carolina, stood on the North side of King Street," close on the back side of the new prison so far as the Council Chamber and Prison lots, &c. (See Vol. 1, No. 3, page 453, N. C. Hist. and General Register.)

A "Public Warehouse" had been built on the Court House lots, but nothing has appeared so far to indicate its exact location, possibly it was erected at the foot of the lots, next to the water, for convenience in transferring the goods stored therein to vessels for shipment, we may, as in the above instance, stumble upon some record yet, that will show the spot where it served the public.

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## FIVE POUNDS.

*THIS BILL of Five Pounds shall be current in all payment in North Carolina according to an Act of Assembly made Novem. 27th, 1729.*

WM. DOWNING.

J. LOVICK,  
CULLEN POLLOCK.

THOS. SWANN.



E. MOSELEY.

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*Endorsed on the back by Rebecca Smith and Thomas Harlo.*

The above is an exact copy of a 5 pound note found in the Court House at Edenton, N. C. It was fiat money but answered every purpose as it was taken for taxes and as reports show, when paid over to the Collectors, was destroyed by a committee for that purpose.

PETITION OF INHABITANTS OF MATCHAPUNGO.

To the Honorable Robert Daniel, Esq., Deputy Govern'r, and the rest of the Honorable Members in Counsel.

The humble Petition of the Inhabitants of Matchapungo. May it please your honours.

Wee whose names are hereunto subscribed do humbly address yr honours not only in behalf of ourselves the subscribers, but of all the Inhabitants of this place most humbly praying that some speedy and effectual method may be taken for restraining the Insolency and continued abuse of the Matchapungo Indians by killing and destroying our hoggs and beating one of our neighbours for endeavouring to prevent the same as likewise the threatening to take our lives away for discovery of these there Villanies to prevent wh King Charles in his own person (whether out of policy to see how wee would report it or out of Real Kindness to us wee knew not) came down in the night to give us \*\*\*\* since wh and in this instant they continue unpardonably insolent both in there speeches and actions. In all things rather showing a desire to a War with us than a peace, and here accordingly settled themselves nigh a Wildernesse where upon the least Intimation they can easily repair without being pursued:

Wherefore these things being taken for trouble, as we are ready to prove, Do therefore hope and confidently beleave that your honours, will find it part of yor Christian duty to see us defended from these barbarous heathen, and that wee may not live in such dayly Jeopardy of our lives. Wee likewise return our most humble and unfeigned thanks to the Honourable Governr for his kind and affectionate Lett'r by welh encouragement wee are emboldened to give yor honours this further information not doubting but to obtain reliefe by such ways as your honours shall think fitt to prescribe and yor Petitioners as in duty bound will ever pray.

Nicholas Daw, Charles Smith, John Britt,  
Richard Batchlear, Simon Foscue, Henry Slaid,  
Richard Jeffries, James Welch, Robert Malones,  
Henry Elborn, Roger Mountearg, Wm. Winn.

RELATING TO THE INDIANS, 1703.

Mr. Barro, this is to give you some understanding that Samuel Slockum hath Receaved that the Indians do intend for to Cut us all of wich has put a bundance of people in a very great fright wich is so much that they are for leaving the Country around, which a upon I sent for him and examined him upon oath, wich is as follows. No

more at present but our loves to you and yours, and to brother Joseph. I am your friend and Servt.

to command,

LYONELL READING.

October ye 20, 1703.

Samuel Slockum did declare before me upon oath, that there was a Indian named Wehuna did ask him whether the English did intend to make war or no and he said no, and the Indian saide that we do under stand that you do intend for to make war with us by Severall of our Indians, ware upon he saide the Indians are now fully Resolved for to make trial of it for to see which is the ardiest, and Samuel Slockum saith that several others Indians has told him that there is 2 pertiqlar towns dos intend for to make war and that one and all are agreed for it except 3 Indians, men if the Garde 2 towns wich are very much against it, but as for any of the other towns as yet are not agree as yet to make war with the English and further this Deponent saith not.

LYONELL READING.

So if you think fitt so carry this in with you and give his honer account of it.

[This affidavit was made in Bath county and refers to the Indians in this section who were very troublesome, we have as yet to find any evidence of the slightest trouble with any of the Indians on the North side of the Albemarle Sound, or East of the Chowan River, from the first there seems to have prevailed the most friendly relations between them and the whites.—EDRROR.]

Pamlico in North Carolina, Feb. 29, 1703-4.

To ye Honble ye Gov'r and Counsell wee whose names are und'r-written doe Hum present to your Honrs.

That wee have great reason to believe yt ye neighbouring towns of ye Tuscororah Indians are of late dissatisfied with ye Inhabitants of this place and severall actions and discourses of ye bare-river Indians and more than ordinary familiarity of late yt is between them and ye Tuscororas Indians is to believe yt they are Indeavouring to persuade them yt ye English here desires a war against them \*\*\* \*\*\* if yor Honor does not speedily take sum Care in ye matter; wee may receive sum prejudice from them the weh wee suppose might be prevented and yt sum of ye Chiefs of ye Indians would come in to yor Honrs if you would speedily please to send a good Interpreter here with orders what to doe and such of us yor Honrs shall apoint are ready to goe with such an Interpreter, Wee pray yt yor Honrs will take some speedy care in ye promises for our preservation as to goe without shall soon not one remain.

Yr. Hum. Servts.,

Lyonell Reading, Richard Smith, Nicholas Tyler, Thos. Dereham, Levi Truewhitt, Wm. Brite, Isum Legge, Wm. Powell, Edward Gatlin, Thos. Pierce.

LICENCE OF REV. PAUL PALMER TO PREACH.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

North Carolina.

Permission is hereby granted to Paul Palmer of Edenton a Protestant Minister to Teach or preach the word of God in any part of the said Province (he having qualified himself as such) pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament made in the first year of King William and Queen Mary Intituled an "Act for Tolerating Protestant dissenters.

Given under my hand at Edenton the 4th day of October Anno Dom. 1738.

(Not signed.)

Paul Palmer was one of Seven Baptists who organized the first Baptist Congregation in North Carolina, they met at the house of Wm. Burgess at the head of Raymond Creek in Camden Co., N. C., and Sept. 5, 1727, applied to the Court of Pasquotank Co., to have the house of Wm. Burgess registered as their place of "Religious Worship." We have been informed upon reliable authority that Wm. Burgess lived near the site of Shiloh, Camden Co., N. C.

The above paper is endorsed on the back "To be Registered for Paul Palmer."

LETTER FROM JOHN EGAN TO COL. JAMES BLOUNT,  
COL. OF CHOWAN MILITIA.

Mrs. Parsons, Apl. the 2nd, 1779.

Dear Colonel, I am very much surprised at the delay of these men that you should have sent over to me. I have been here now a whole week and not a man yett. I am much afraid you leave it to Some Body Else to Doe—while you Doe you never will gett them to gether for the are a sett of lazy Raskalls that hate to leave the fire side. You promised me you would turn out in search of them yr self for if you Doe not you never will get them together. All the troops on this side is a marching every day, the last of them is gone this Day for Kingston. Consider Colonel I am a poor young fellow and am all this time at my own expence in a tavern. I can't afford it any longer and hope you will take my case into Consideration. Pray Sir if you can't gett anny more men pray Lett me Know that I may if you think proper sett off without anny.

Yr. Humble Servt.,

JOHN EGAN.

To James Blount, Esq.,  
Col. of the Militia in Chowan.



GOV. PHILLIP LUDWELL'S ORDER RELATING TO  
LAND GRANTS.

"Whereas ye Lords & Absolute Proprietors of Carolina having granted by a deed under their hands and Great Seale of their Province bearing date the 1st day of May, 1668 that ye Inhabitants of Albemarle should hold their Lands of them upon the same termes and Condishons that Lands weer then held at in Virginia. This is to give notice that all persons whoe Proves their rights may have warrants out of the Secretaries office to the Surveyor and Pattens Granted in pursuance of the said deed to be taken out the next meeting of the Assembly and soe from time to time as they shall have their Lands Surveyed. Given under my hand and Seale this 20th day of November, 1693.

PHILL LUDWELL.

To. Maj. Alex. Lillington,

High Sheriff of Albemarle County, who is hereby ordered to publish this in Pascotank precinct.

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PETITION OF THE INHABITANTS OF THE UPPER  
PART OF LITTLE RIVER, PERQUIMANS  
PRECINCT.

"The Humble Petition & Adres of ye Inhabitants of ye uper part of Littel River in Perquimans Precinct Showeth that thy petitioners have made a Convenient Rode from this Paquimans to this River and have labored much upon it made many bridges and one very long good one over ye sd Littell River, and have injoyed our labor this 15 years but now some persons that lives lower down ye sd River that never did much work upon Any rode, have patitioned ye precinct Courte for an Order & obtained it to make a bridge Lower down & to Alter ye Rode & Comand us to work upon it so that we must be forsed to ceep two Rodes which will bee such A hardship Apon us that we are not able to Comply with do therefore beg ye the honble the Gen'l Court to do us that Justis to reverse that order and if they will have an other Rode & bridg let them doe it as we have done ourselves and each Party maintain their own Rode. We subscribe our Selves ye King's good subjects ye Lords Proprietors Servants free born Englishman and ye honors faithfull friends, ye 15th 5th mo., 1721.

Thos. bosell, Wm. bosell, Edward Modlin, Andrew Reed, Sam'l Nicholson, Nathaniel Albordson, Christofoe Nicholson, Zachariah Nixon, Michs Morpell, Thomas Montique, Jeames hiuinos.

## RESTORATION OF BARRINGTON TO THE GOVERNORSHIP.

North Carolina, Ss.

The Examination of John Richard, of Edenton, in Chowan Precinct being of full age and sworn on the holy Evangelists.

"Sayth that or on about the twenty-fifth day of January last, he the said Examinant being at the house of Col. William Maule on the West Shore comonly called "Maule's Haven" in discourse with one Mary Gilbert a servant or house-keeper to the said Maule, she told this Examinant that in the morning of the same day she heard Thos. Spires, Deputy Marshall drink to Mr. Burrington's restoration as Govern'r and at the same time he said that he made no doubt but that he would be restored to the Governmt again and also that wisht he would or words to that purpose."

JNO. RICHARD.

Taken and sworn to this

5 day of February, 1725.

before me, W. Badham, Just. Pac.

AN ACT OF ASSEMBLY MADE IN YE YEAR 1689, CAPT.  
JNO. GIBBS BEING THEN GOVERNOR AGAINST  
PROBIOUS LANGUAGE BEING GIVEN AGAINST  
YE LATE GOVE'R LORD SOTHEL.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

Whereas to ye disturbance of ye peace of this County by Sundry persons in their meetings and merriments Cast forth sundry opprobious words against ye late Gove'r Lord Sothell as well as against ye late transactions of this County weh may prove very prejudicial; and for ye better Establishing of Unity & tranquility amongst ye inhabitants here of be it enacted by ye Palatine, &c.

That if any person or persons whatsoever Residing between this County shall revile, utter publish declare or cast forth any opprobrious language against any person concerning ye late Transactions of this County whereby to cause animosities and disaffection amongst any of ye Inhabitants of this County all such so offending shall upon due proof suffer on month's Imprisonment without bail or maniprize or be amersed at ye pleasure of ye Court.

The Lords Deputies at ye making this Act was Speaker Jno. Nixon Burgess; Capt. Henderson Walker, Jon. Lewis, Jon Wingate, Tho. Pollock, Jon Pilpott, Tho. Jarvis, Coll. Will Wilkinson, Rich'd Sanderson, Thos. Miller, Jon. Hunt.

PETITION FROM PROTESTANT DISSENTERS OF BAY  
AND NEUSE RIVERS.

"North Carolina Ss. To the Honourable John Montgomery, Esq., Chief Justice of this Province.

The Humble Pet. of several Protestant Dissenters within the afores'd Province.

We your Honours, Petitioners Protestant dissenters, Inhabitants of Bay River and Nuse River humbly shew that we your honour's petitioners have been often interrupted & finally debarred meeting together in Bath County for want of a Registered Meeting-house in said County, as the Law directs.

Therefore in order for accomplishing the same, we addressed the County Court held in Bath in June last with our humble petition for a house at Bay River to be Registered for our Publick Worship, which although the law allows us that privilege yet it was Refused. Therefore as Children to a father, for Relief, so we come to your honour, humbly praying that your honour would be graciously pleased to treat our petition & grant us the house of M<sup>r</sup>. Robert Spring & the house of Mr. Nathaniel Draper at Flea Point formerly belonging to Mr. Amos Cutrel, that we may have the sd houses Registered for places of public Worship; it being a Reasonable request agreeable to the Laws of the Land. We doubt not but your honour will in Justice grant us our Request, your honour's compliance herein shall be thankfully acknowledged by your honour's poor petitioners & very humble Servants, and in duty bound will ever pray. April 25th, 1742. Signed, John Pearce, Lazarus Pearce, James Jones, Benjamin Fullpher, Joship Fullfer, Wm. Fulpher, Nathan'l Draper, Thomas Lewis, Nicholas Purefor, Thos. Fulpher, Wm. Robinson, Jno. Jacob Grinder, Samuel Willis, Geo. Graham, Robert Spring, Amos Cutrell, Jno. Jacob Hoover, Jno. West, Josiah Harte, John Church, Abraham Warren, Lamuel Harvy, James Purser.

MAGAZINE ACCOUNT.

The County of Chowan their account of 5 shillings Levey for the year 1743 for Erecting a Magazine. £ s d £ s d

By 1126 Tithables for the sd year @ 5s.....						281	10	0
To my Commission 6 p. cent.....	16	17	10					
To 150 lbs fine Gun powder @ 20s.....	150	0	0					
To 600 lbs Bullets and Swan Shott @.....	112	10	0					
To Bal due to this account.....	2	2	2					

281 10 0 281 10 0

Oct the 20th this day appeared before me Peter Payne and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that the above account of Taxables for the year 1743 is just and true & that does not know of any more but insolvents.

JOS. ANDERSON.

PROCEEDINGS RELATING TO BERTIE COURT HOUSE,  
1741.

North Carolina,

Bertie County, Ss. At a Court began and held for said County at the Court House on Timber Branch on Tuesday the Tenth day of November Anno Domini 1741. Present, Peter West, Will'm Cathcart, Needham Bryant, Esqrs, &c.

Persuant to an Act of Assembly Entituled An Act for Erecting the upper part of Bertie County into a county by the Name of Northampton County and for regulating the Limits Between Societv Parish and the Northwest Parish of Bertie and for removing the seat of Bertie County Court. Impowering the Court to settle orders and Methods for erecting a sufficient Court House, prison and stocks in such place as to them shall seem most Convenient.

The Court doth on Muture deliberation order and adjudge that the South side of Stony Creek, at the Plantation of Joseph Barradial be and is hereby declared to be the most fit and convenient place for Errecting the said Edifices and it is further hereby ordered that a Court House of the Demensions of Thirty-Two feet Long and Twenty-four feet wide and a Scemi Circle and other ways in proportion, also a Substantial prison of the Dimensions of Twenty-four feet long and Twelve feet wide; also a Sufficient pair of Stocks, be forthwith Built at the place aforesaid and that Collo. Benjamin Hill, Mr. Thomas Hansford & Col. Peter West or any Two of them, be and hereby appointed Commissioners to agree with any Person or Persons to Perform the said work in the most effectual manner and to purchase Two acres of Land in the place aforesaid for the uses aforesaid. And it is further Ordered that the Sheriff Collect from every Tythable in this County, the sum of Two Shillings proclamation money and pay the same deducting Commissions into the Hands of the said Commissioners for the uses aforesaid.

North Carolina,

Bertie County, Ss. At a Court began and held for said County, at the Court House on Timber Branch on Tuesday the Ninth day of February Anno Domini 1741, (think it should be 1741-2). Present William Cathcart, Peter West, Needham Bryan, John Harrell, Thomas Whitmell, James McDowall & James Castellaw, Esqrs., &c.

Read this day the Petition of Sundry Inhabitants of this County, showing that the Petitioners are Informed that at the Last Session of the General Assembly of this Province An act was passed, by which the County of Bertie was Devided and made Two Countys, the one of which to retain the name of Bertie and the other to be Called Northampton. That by the said Law the Petitioners are Informed that the Justices of the Respective Countys were Impowered

to appoint a Place within each County for Building a Court House, Prison, &c., and to lay a Tax on the Inhabitants for Defraying the Expence of Building the same. That a Commission was made out by His Excellency the Governor in Consequence of the said Law wherein Sundry Gent named in the Commission were appointed Justices for this County, but that by some accident the said Commission come up to last November Court without the seal of the Colony so that the Gent. therein appointed Justices as aforesaid Could not be Quallified nor Impowered to Act in the Premises. That the Petitioners humbly conceive as the Case happened, the Place where the Court House, &c., should be built could not be Settled till the Justices appointed in a New Commission for Bertie should be Quallified. That the Petitioners are informed that Notwithstanding the said Law Impowered the Justices of Each Respective Court to appoint the Place for Building a Court house, &c., as aforesaid (the said new Commission not being compleated as aforesaid) a very small number of the Gent. who were Justices of the County of Bertie before the said Law was passed did at the Last November Court make an order for appointing a place where the Court house, &c., should be built in this County and Laid a Tax on the Inhabitants for Defraying the Expence of Building the said Court House, &c. Whereas the Petitioners Humbly Conceive that the aforesaid Gent. had no Lawfull Power to make such an Order nor could they Receive any Authority for so doing as the Petitioners Conceive from the Reasonable Construction of the said Law. That the Petitioners humbly Conceive the Place appointed by the aforesaid Gent. is very inconvenient to a Great Majority of the Inhabitants of this County, so that should the said order be Executed much the greater part of this County would be injured thereby. The Petitioners therefore humbly pray the Court to take the Premises into their Consideration and present the great inconveniency that might otherwise arise from the aforesaid Order made as aforesaid in such manner as to the Court shall seem Convenient, &c. T. Barker, &c.

Whereupon it is Considered and adjudged by the Court here that this Court have power to hear the said Petition and the same is refer'd till to morrow for Consideration.

And now (to-wit the 11th day of Feb'y, 1741) the Court (to-wit as before) taking into Consideration the Petition of Sundry Inhabitants of this County, relating to the Errecting of a Court House, &c. It is ordered that the Last Court's Order for building the Court house, &c., be reversed, from which order William Cathcart & Peter West, Esqs., Dissented.

And it is further Considered by the Court (Except the Dissenters aforesaid). That near Red bud Branch is the most proper place for building a Court House, prison & stocks. And it is ordered that

James Castellaw, Thomas Whitmell and John Harrell, Esqs., or any two of them be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to Contract with Workmen to build the said Court House, Prison & stocks at the Place aforesaid and to purchase Two acres of Land at the Place aforesaid for the use aforesaid. And that the said Court House be of the Dementions of thirty-two feet Long and Twenty-four feet wide and a Scemi Circle and a prison of the Dementions of Twenty-four feet Long and twelve feet wide and other ways in proportion. And that Publick advertisements be sett up for the undertaking said work and that a Levy of Two Shillings proclamation money for each Tythable in this County be Collected by the Sheriff and paid into the hands of the Comm'rs aforesaid (deducting Commissions) for the uses aforesaid. But that no collection be made of the said Tax for the uses aforesaid till the time appointed by Law for Payment of Publick Taxes. And Thomas Jones attorney for William Cathcart and Peter West Justices of the Last Court and Benjamin Hill, Peter West and Thomas Hansford Commissioners appointed by the last Court for erecting a Court House, &c., at Stony Creek, Prayed an Appeal from the Last order to the General Court.

The Court taking the former motion into Consideration Conceive that no such appeal can be Granted, because when the order of November Court was obtained, Capt. Needham Bryan one of the Gent. of that Court Publicly declared that he Never gave his Consent to Errecting a Court House at Stony Creek, but that his Design in Signing the Docketts was that all other Publick affairs might not be kept undone, and is now of the same opinion for which Reasons the said appeal is Rejected.

Bertie County, Ss. Certified under my hand & seal the 25th day of October Anno Domini, 1742.

(Seal)

JOHN WYNNS, Clk.

North Carolina, Ss.

George the Second by the Grace of God, King of Great Britain, &c. To the Keepers of our Peace and our Justices assigned to hear and Determine Divers Trespassers and other Malfessances in the County of Bertie & to every of them. Greeting:.

We willing for Certain Cause to be Certified of all and singular the orders, Decrees or Judgments of whatsoever Kind against the Statutes of our Kingdom of England or of the acts of Assembly of our said province, Relating to the settling or fixing a place for the New Court House to be built at for the said County of Bertie.

Do command you and every of you that all the orders Decrees or Judgments aforesaid with all things touching the same by whatsoever name, the same is named you send before our Chief Justice and his

Associates at our next General Court to be held for our said province at the Court House in Edenton on the Last Tuesday in July next under your Seals or the Seals of one of you Together with this writ that we may cause to be further done thereupon what of Right and according to the Laws and Customs of England and this Province we shall see fit to be Done.

Witness, John Montgomery, Esq., our Chief Justice of our Province at Edenton the 22 day of April Anno Domini 1742.

J. MONTGOMERY, C. J.

### A MAJORS COMMISSION 1702.

North Carolina, Ss. By the Honble Landgrave Robt. Daniel, Esq., Lieutenant Generall, Vice Admirall & Deputy Governor of North Carolina.

I, out of the Confidence and trust I have in the Integrity, Loyalty, Care, Courage and good Conduct of your (name illegible) Doe hereby Commissionate, Constitute and appoint you (name illegible) Major of a Regiment of foot Soldiers belonging to the Honble Collnll (name illegible faded out) to be raised within that part of the Province of Carolina that lyes to the Northward of the Town or settlement of the Nation of Indians called \*Keeahwees whereof you are to take a list of their names and return a copy of the same to me and see they have sufficient armes and Ammunition for service according to law whenever they shall be soe required to serve for the defense and peace of that part of the province aforesd. You are duly according to Law and as often as you find Conveniency to exercise them in Armes according to Military Discipline and true rules of Warr Commanding and requiring all inferior Officers and Soldiers to yield you due obedience and in case any meeting, rebellion, Insurrection, Conspiracy or Sedition is discovered to you you are thereupon to raise what force you think fitt in that part of the Province aforesd for suppressing it and apprehending the Delinquents and for the better effecting thereof (if occasion should soe happen) and you are with such force to take all advantages and opportunities to oppose, fight, kill, seize and take them and make report thereof to me with all speed and you are to observe all orders, rules and directions as you shall from time to time receive from me yor Governr and Commander-in-Chief or from yor Superior Officers. This to continue untill I shall signify my pleasure to the Contrary.

Given under my hand and Seale in the Second year of his Majesty's Reigne Anno Domini (date gone).

Signature (faded out).

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\*The Keeahwees is a tribe of Indians which we have not heretofore found among the Indian tribes. Where were they located?

## ACCOUNT AGAINST BROMPTON, ONSLOW CO., N. C.

1742.

Brampton To Jno. Lennox, Dr.

May ye '18th, 1742. To 2 Bushels of wheat.....	£ 1 5 0
To making Jacket & Britches Little Cæsar.....	0 12 6
To Sambo Jacket & Britches.....	0 12 6
Old Cæsar a Shirt made.....	0 12 6
French Cæsar .....	0 12 6
Little Cæsar .....	2 10 0
Jack, Jessy, Dublin & Sambo, each.....	2 10 0
Old Bess, Blind Bess, Aba, Jeny & Nancy.....	3 2 6
To 6 Shirts for ye children 5s each.....	1 10 0
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	11 10 0

Brompton Plantation was the home of Gov. Gabriel Johnston, the account is evidently for making Clothes for his negroes, it was so typical of the "old plantation days," the Editor could not resist its publication.

## AN ACCOUNT IN 1699 SHOWING PRICES OF GOODS.

Sept. 11th, 1699. Thos. Houghton, Dr.	£.	s.	d
To 1 pr wo Wortsed Stockings.....	10	04	08
To 1 Carolina Hatt.....	00	13	00
To 1 pr Blanketts.....	01	08	00
To 1 pr French falls.....	00	06	00
To 2 lb powder & 10 lbs shot.....	00	06	00
To 16 yds blew Lynn.....	00	16	00
To 1 Doz Spoons.....	00	04	00
To 4½ yards of Garlix.....	00	11	10½
To Smale Gimblett .....	00	00	03
To 2 m 8d Nails & 2 m 6d do.....	01	05	00
To 50 40d Nails.....	00	01	08
To 1 bead tick wt boulst.....	01	12	00
To 7ds bro; white Cotten.....	01	01	00
To 7 yds dow lase.....	01	01	00
To 1 pr hose.....	00	01	00
To ½ lb Pepper.....	00	01	09
To 2 lb. powder & 8 lb Shott.....	00	05	08
To 1 grit & 1 Sauspan.....	00	01	07
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P. me.

JNO. FALCONER.



WAR DECLARED AGAINST THE CORE & NYNEE  
INDIANS, 1703.

"I have resolved and declared the sd Nations of Core Nynee to be publick Enemies to all her Majesties Subjects.

And for ye carrying on of the sd Warr to the Destruction of the said Core & Nynee Indyans The Honble Deputy Governor is entrusted by the Honble the Lds proprietors Deputys to use such means & methods as his Hon. shall think expedient & most necessary by raising such men in armes & in pressing such Sloops, boats & Canoes with provision & other necessaryes as his Honr shall think fitt & requisite."

This paper is torn at the bottom so that we could not give the two lines at the beginning but the figures 1703 remain plain.

SLOOP DUBARLUS, CAPT. ROBERT STARKEY, SEIZED  
IN 1698.

"Whereas ye Sloop Dubarlus plantation built Robert Starkey Master hath lately arrived from Bostown in New England into this Governmt of North Carolina and now riding in Albemarle river or sound in ye precinct of Chowan and hath laden on board her and imported from Bostown aforesd a parcel or parcels Uropean goods as by her Corkquetts appears and it being contrary to an Act of Parliament made and in yt case provided in ye fifteenth year of ye Reign of King Charles ye Second together wth Severall other acts to ye same purpose providded which forbids ye Importation of any Goods of ye product of Urope into any of his Majesties plantations or Collonys Except in ye same bottom wch they were transported out of Urope in wee there fore yr subscribers doe on ye behalf of our Sovereign Lord ye King; ye Honble ye Deputy Govern'r or Comdr in Chief of this Country and also on our own behalf as In formers make this Information unto you ye Honble Thomas Harvey, Esq., and Depty Govr of this place yt ye sd Sloop and Goods is by ye act before declared seisable Craving yt ye same may be proceeded against as ye law in yt case provides as witness our hands this 17th day of Aprill Ano Do 1698.

WM. WILKINSON,  
JOHN PORTER.

The vessel above was lying at Anchor between Sandy Point and Bluff Point on Albemarle Sound. Europe seems then to have been Spelled Urope.

## THE OATH OF ALLEGIANCE IN 1777.

State of North Carolina,

Chowan County.—At a County Court and Sessions of the Peace begun and held the 17th day of June A. D., 1777.

Present the Worshipful Justices.

It was then Ordered that the Clerk of the said Court, take a copy of an oath appointed by an Act of Assembly setting forth what shall be misprison of Treason and Crimes against the State and that every Person who came into Court and took the Oath should subscribe their names thereto, the before mentioned Oath is as follows: "I will bear Faithfull and true Allegiance to the State of North Carolina and will to the utmost of my Power, Support, Maintain and defend, the Independent Government thereof, against George the 3rd, King of Great Britain and his successors and the attempts of any other Person, Prince, Power, State or Potentate, who by secret Arts, treason and Conspiracies or by open Force shall attempt to Subject the same, and will in every respect conduct myself as a peacefull orderly subject and that I will disclose and make known to the Governor, some member of the Council of State or some Justice of the Peace all treasons, Conspiracies and attempts committed or intended against the State that shall come to my knowledge, So help me God. A true copy. Examined.

JAMES BLOUNT (Clerk Court).

Signed by Sam'l Johnston, James Iredell, John Smith, Josiah Collins, Jos. Granberry, Thomas Browne, Will Cummings, Alex Black.

Most of the above signatures seem to be those who were members of the Bar and Court. Josiah Collins was Judge of the Admiralty Court.

A similar Oath appears signed by the following Citizens of Edenton, N. C., and vicinity; viz: Nath'l Allen, (grand-father of Hon. Allen G. Thurman of Columbus, Ohio, and father of Gov. William Allen, of Ohio), J. Blount, Jacob Boyce, Geo. Gray, John Egan, Thos. Palmer, John Elliff, Uriah Sinkler, Thos. Wm. Thompson, Henry Bond, Jos. Whedbee, John Corprew, Steward Ward, Ivy Perdy, John ———, James Palmer, John Leeming, Absalom Luten, Ed Watkins, James Carter, Sam'l Spencer, John Vance, Wm. Smith Waff, Benj. Purshall, George Stocken, John Blackburn, Arch'd Freney, Samuel Thomas, Wm. Stewart, James Carr, Abraham Elbersen, David Lawrence, John Frazel, Reuben Lawrence, Samuel Casey, James Smith, Robt. Egan, Firdy McDonald, John Ready, John Barclay, John Smith, Lott Brewster, Samuel Browne, Charles Johnson, Wm. Littlejohn, James Cole, Lemuel Blount, Jos. Eelbeck, Jr., Michael

Payne, Wm. Cummings appeared and presented Certificates from Jas. Iredell, Esq., H. Mashen, John Wardall, John Mushrow, John Rombough, Jno. Belote, Jno. Cunningham, George Russell, Joseph Stevenson, Daniel Johnston, James Luten, James Matthews, Charles Pettigrew (ancestor of Gen'l James Johnston Pettigrew C. S. Army, who was killed in the retreat from Gettysburg), John Hoskins, Wm. Kearby, H. Williamson, (member of Congress from N. C. in 1782, and member of the Constitutional Committee which formed the Federal Constitution in 1787. His name appears to that instrument.) Wm. Bateman, Peter Squier, Wm. Bennett, John Bennett, Alex Valentine (husband of Sarah Valentine of the Tea Party) Henry O'Neil, Wm. Henderson, Wm. Hartshorne, Abraham E. Lott, Thos. Bissell, Wm. Gardner, Benjamin Foy, John Twine, John Etheridge, Edward Walker, John Charlton, John Clements, John Nicholls, John Mare, Willis Langley, Jos. Westmore (certificate from Chris Neil Clk. of Craven County), James Webb, Jr., Henry Cheshire, Thomas Thigpen, Jr., John Edey, Phillip Pratt, Nehemiah Bateman, Stephen Miles, Reuben Fairchild, John Bateman, Sam'l Mitchell, John Wilkinson, Jacob Butler, Ste Cabarrus, John Wyllie, Alex Black (took the oath in my presence before Thomas Benbury, Esq., S. D.), Robert Hardy and Robert Smith (took the oath in my hearing S. D.), Robert Patterson.

State of North Carolina Ss.

The above and foregoing is a list of Persons who have taken the oath annexed or affirmation as the Law of this State requires, certified by me this 23d day of June, 1778.

S. DICKINSON, J. Pac.

#### RULES OF PRACTICE ADOPTED IN 1709 IN THE SEVERAL COURTS.

Rules of Court and Proceedings to be observed in the Severall Courts by all Persons in this Province to commence from this the fifth day of Aprill in the Eighth year of the Reigne of our Sovereign Lady Anne Queen of Great Britaine & Anno Dom., 1709.

"1. Upon a writt of Capias taken out the Copy of the Declaration shall goe wth it and if the Marshall returne a Cepi Corpus the Dft shall file his plea in the office at Least thirty days after serving the writt and Declaration. The Judgmt by nihil dicit.

2. If returne be made persuant to the Act of Assembly entituled arrest of Persons absconding the Deft. shall appear the next Court after the attachmt shall be there Granted agt his Estate.

3. And if he do nott putt in his plea in thirty days after attachment executed Judgment shall pass by nihil Dicit.

4. The Marshall att the time of serving the writt and Declara-

tion or attachmt and Declaration shall endorse the time when he serves the same.

5. If the Deft. pleads Generally the Issue is joyned.

6. If ye Deft pleads specially the Pltff shall reply or demurr in Twenty days after the Plea or a non Prociquittoe to be Entered and Execution issued for cost and Ten days be allowed between Replication, Rejoynder, &c., Demurrer or Joyner in Demurrer, &c.

7. An Issue of Law or fact shall be perfected Ten dayes before sitting of the Court. But if the time will not permit the Process and proceedings shall not abate but continue in order to ye fitting up the Issue for the next Court.

8. The Clarke shall perfect a List or Docquett of all the Causes to be tryed every Court and shall Insert the Issue and cause the same to be delivered to the first Commissioners in the Generall Court within forty miles of the Office at least Tenn days before the Court and if that Commissioner cannot attend, it is to be returned to the Court by the hands of the Marshall or Deputy who is obliged to convey the same to ye Commissioners.

9. All persons admitted as Attorneys shall, before they appear in any business in Court or defending any suit from and after ye next General Court to be held within ye Governmt in July next, have the oaths administered to them."

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### SUIT FOR DAMAGE. WITCHCRAFT CHARGED.

Ann ——— vs. Sarah ———. "A plea of the case upon defamation, that where as the Pltffs have at all times well behaved themselves & been of good repute amongst all her Majest Liege people & never were Supporters or Conscious of Witchcraft, which the Deft. Sarah ———, well knowing yet of her malice minding & intending to lessen the credit & reputation of the Pltff. & thereby intending to bring the Pltff Anne under the penalty of the Statute in such cases made and provided, in the month of February last past at the house of Cornelius Lerry, late dec'd in this Government, utter and pronounce these false scandalous words of the Pltff in the audience & hearing of Divers her Matie liege people to-wit: You (meaning the Pltf Anne) are a witch & I'll prove it by which false scandalous & malicious words the Pltffs in their Name, fame & reputason say they are damnified Two hundred pounds sterling for which they have brought their action & humbly crave judgment of the Honble Court for the same & costs of Sute and they shall pray ever."

The paper is not dated but was between 1702 and 1712 from the names of the parties mentioned, which the writer has intentionally omitted.

## AFFIDAVITS RELATING TO LOYALISTS AND TORIES DURING THE REVOLUTION.

We copy from the originals in a package of papers in the Court House at Edenton, N. C., marked "Affidavits respecting the Tories during the Revolution" the following items. We give them just as they are names and all. We have refrained from publishing any items where persons were charged with infractions of the "Criminal Law," but political opinions and acts constitute the history of a country in an eminently high degree, and certain information which the public have a right to know and of which they should be informed. We copy from the originals.

Affidavit of William Hyman.

"William Hyman being sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, Deposeth as follows (to-wit) that James Sharard asked him if he could keep a secret and after awhile he took a Book and put it into this Deponent's hand & he the said Sharard said to this deponent you shall keep this close & not reveal it to any but such as I shall Teach you, then he the Sharard read the Constitution, & this Dept. objected to some articles in sd Constitution but swore as follows (to-wit) that he this Dept. should Defend & protect all drafted, Distres'd or opprest persons or them that are called Tories as we think ourselves fully able and if the King conquered the Country that we shall save our Estates & that the said Sharard told him that it would be necessary for each man to provide himself with half a pound of powder & Lead and this Dept. further sayth that the Scheme was to drop it being discovered and this Dept. further sayth that Sharard informed that Luallen had used many Endeavors before he brought him in the scheme & that Mr. Sharard had Represented the State Oath to this Dept. in a very Dredfull light contrary to what he now finds it & further this Dept. sayeth not.

WILLIAM HYMAN.

Sworn to before me the

4th July, 1777.

John Everett.

Affidavit of Benjamin Harrison.

Tyrrell County.

July 16th, 1777. Benjamin Harrison, son of Thomas being brought before us Justices for the County aforesaid being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God deposeth & saith that at his Father's house Daniel Legate asked him if he would swear to keep a secret, which he this deponent agreed to & Legate swore him, & then read the Constiution to him, which he wanted this Deponent to swear

to, but this Deponent objected as he could not read it himself, then as an inducement to this Deponent to take the second Oath he mentioned that several Considerable People were concerned in it particularly Stewart, Sherrard, Lewhellen & Hays in Martin County, Wm. Brimage, Peleg Balote & one Brogden in Bertie, beside some people in this County. Upon this Deponent refusing to stand by & support the Constitution, the said Legate then requested him to take an Oath to keep it Secret which this Deponent Did. The said Legate read to him a third Oath the purport of which was that under any injunctions of inviolable secrecy that they would protect any persons being Draughted or pressed to go to War against there will, that they should not be suffered to go but should be relieved there was several other matters in the Oath which this Deponent cannot recollect & this Deponent further saith that he heard Legate say that he General How had a hint of matters carrying on by the Associcators before that time.

This Deponent further saith that he refused to take the third Oath & then Legate swore him again to secrecy. This Deponent further saith that Legate informed him that William Brimage was sworn as a Senior Warden & further this Deponent saith not.

BENJAMIN HARRISON.

Benjamin Harrison Principal 100£.

Jonathan Davies Security 100£ for appearance at the next Court of Oyer & Terminer to be held at Edenton.

Sworn & acknowledged before us

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,

Chas. Johnson.

Affidavit of William Durrance.

Tyrrell Co.

July 14, 1777. William Durrance Came before us Justices assigned to keep the Peace in said County and being duly sworn upon the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God Deposeth & Sayeth that on or about the First day of July inst. that, Dan'l Leggett came to him the said William Durrance to his own house, and in the light of said Day Called the said Durrance out, and ask'd him if he was willing to stand up for the Protestant Religion, when said Durrance reply'd he was, Leggett told him that before he could let him into the affair he must swear to keep it secret, but said Durrance Refus'd to swear till he knew what he was to swear to, upon which they parted & said Durrance saw Leggett no more untill they met at Wheat Reaping at Jonathan Davis's in said County, when said Durrance was induced by persuasion & the example of others who were there & then swore to Take the Oath which was administered to him by said Leggett, the

purport of which was to stand by a Constitution which he then showed to him & not Divulge the same while the Society subsisted and further this Deponent sayeth not.

his  
WILLIAM X DURRANCE.  
mark

William Durrance Principal bound 100£.

John Everet, son of Thomas, security 100£.

That the above Durrance shall appear at the first Court of Oyer & Terminer to be held for the District of Edenton.

Sworn and acknowledged before us.

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,  
Chas. Johnson.

Affidavit of James Harrison.

Tyrrell County.

July 14, 1777. James Harrison came before us Justices for the County aforesaid, & being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God Deposeth & saith that about a fortnight ago he met with Daniel Legate upon a Path going to Thomas Harrison, that the said Legate read to him a paper which he called a religious Constitution, he then asked him if he would swear to stand to that Constitution, Harrison agreed to it, Legate then swore him to stand to it so long as the Society lasted & further this deponent saith not.

his  
JAMES X HARRISON.  
mark

James Harrison Principle bound for 100£.

Clement Crook Security for 50£.

The above James Harrison to appear at the Court of Oyer & Terminer to be held at Edenton for the District against Daniel Legate if taken.

Sworn & acknowledged before us.

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,  
Chas. Johnson.

July 16, 1777. James Harrison being again called on to give a further Testimony & being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God Deposeth and Saith, that the first oath that he took was administered to him by Thomas Harrison (son of John). This Deponent further saith that being at Thos. Harrison's Sd Plantation, he was in company with Daniel Legate, when he heard him say that General Howe was to befriend him and such as him, Legate said

that they were to oppose a Draught likewise that he expected the Magazine at Halifax was to be taken possession of, he likewise told this Deponent that a certain James Hays was a Principal man in the Association & rode about the country to prevail on people to join."

his  
JAMES X HARRISON.  
mark

Sworn before us.

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,  
Chas. Johnson.

Affidavit of Thomas Harrison.

"Tyrrell Co.,

July 14, 1777. Thomas Harrison (son of John) came before us, Justices for the County aforesaid & being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God Deposeeth & Saith that Daniel Legate came to him about a fortnight ago in his Cornfield & asked him if he would join a Constitution to support their religion to which Harrison agreed if there was no harm in it, Legate then swore him to be true to the Constitution, Legate likewise told Harrison that fourteen members of the Assembly had agreed to introduce Poppery & in particular mentioned Wylie Jones & Whitnell Hill being forward in doing it & further saith not.

his  
THOS. X HARRISON.  
mark

Sworn before us.

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,  
Chas. Johnson.

July 14, 1777. Thomas Harrison (son of John) being again called on to give a further Testimony declareth & saith that the last or third oath administered by Daniel Legett mentioned that they were to oppose a draught & protect deserters, the people of Martin & Pitt were to go & take possession of the Magazine at Halifax to secure the Arms and Ammunition for what purpose he cannot tell. That the Society extended from this County to New Georgia, that it expected General Howe was by this time acquainted with their Constitution. Leggett likewise informed him that about half of the 5th Regiment of Continental Forces raised in this State were Friends to their Cause, that James Sherrard, ———— Lewhellen & James Hays were the principals concerned in Martin County, he says he likewise thinks Leggett informed him that Samuel Black was one of their Society. Leggett likewise informed him that the above James Hays of Martin



travelled some thousand Miles endeavoring to get as many people to Associate as possible. This Deponent saith that he was present when James Harrison took the third Oath & he believes all that were concerned took the third oath.

his  
THOMAS X HARRISON.  
mark

(Copy.)

Affidavit of Thomas Harrison.

Tyrrell County,

July 14, 1777. This Day Thomas Harrison, Senr., came before us Justices for the County aforesaid & made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God & Deposeth & Sayeth that about the 1st July last Daniel Legate took him into his own Garden & asked him if he had not heard that some of the leading men of the Country wanted to introduce the Roman Religion, he told me he had heard the report, on which Legate asked him if he was willing to stand by the Protestant religion, he answered he would, he (Legate) asked him if he could keep a Secret, Harrison told him he could. Legate then said he must first swear before he could tell, Harrison told him he could keep it without if there was not any harm, Legate said he would not inform him without first Swearing. Harrison then agreed to Swear. Legate then swore him on the Prayer book to the following effect, not to reveel what he should disclose to him. He then showed him a form of a religious Constiution, in which Harrison thought there was no harm. Legate then swore him again to stand by the Constiution as long as the Society lasted & further this Deponent saith not.

THOS. HARRISON, Senr.

Sworn before us.

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,  
Chas. Johnson.

A second affidavit to be referred to.

Thomas Harrison, Senr., being called upon to Give a further Testimony Declareth and sayeth that on Friday the fourth inst. He was at his son's Wheat Field when William Brimage, Esq.; of Bertie County came there & called this Deponent to come to him, when he ask'd this Deponent where Leggett was, when this Deponent answered he did not know but he might be at his House. Upon which the said Brimage and this Deponent went to the House where they found said Leggett when the said Brimage called Daniel Leggett out and a little time afterwards called out this Deponent when all three, that is to

say the said Brimage Leggett & this Deponent went into the Woods adjacent to the House of this Deponent where the said Daniel Leggett administered the oaths & the said Brimage took the oaths of secrecy & for opposing Draughts, &c., which were administered to the members of this Conspiracy. Immediately after which the said Leggett & this Deponent went to his son's Wheatfield & the said Brimage went back to the House of this Deponent where he had left his horse to get him & directly followed the said Leggett & this Deponent back to said Wheatfield and at the corner of the Fence of said Field met Mr. Sam'l Black, of this County, when the said Brimage & Black called to said Leggett & this Deponent who went to them & soon after the said Brimage, Black, Leggett & this Deponent went together into the Woods joining said Field, when the aforesaid Oaths were administered by said Leggett & taken by said Black, then the said Leggett proposed to said Brimage to act as Senior Warden for this Society in Bertie County, which the said Brimage complied with & was sworn into said office by said Leggett, which office of Senior Warden this Deponent understood & believed to be for the Purpose of Gaining & Swearing in members to this Association & Conspiracy In the county of Bertie which office said Leggett Performed in this County and further this Deponent sayeth that at the time & place where Sam'l Black took said oaths John Stewart of Martin County was present, but did not then take the oaths tho this Deponent believes he had before taken them as none were suffered to be Present at the Swearing of any Members but such as were before sworn in members of this Association and conspiracy and more especially as the said Stewart came at first with said Brimage to his sons wheatfield and went from thence with the said Brimage & this Deponent to the House of this Deponent and from thence with said Leggett, Brimage & this Deponent into the Woods adjacent to the House of this Deponent and was there present when said Brimage took the oaths aforesaid as well as afterwards when the said Black took the oaths aforesaid and further this Deponent sayeth that upon the said Brimages being sworn in to act as Sen'r Warden in Bertie County for the Purposes aforesaid the said Brimage ask'd the said Daniel Leggett for a copy of their Constitution and also for a copy of the oaths aforesaid to enable him to Act in his office of Sen'r Warden, which copys said Leggett promised to send to him the said Brimage but said Black would call for them next morning & would take Care of them & send or deliver them to said Brimage, and he accordingly came the next morning to the House of this deponent whereby said Leggett's order they were delivered Folded up

by this deponent to said Black and Further this Deponent sayeth not.  
THOS. HARRISON.

Sworn before us Justices assigned to keep  
the Peace for said County the day and year  
first above written.

Chas. Johnson,  
Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,  
Robt. Davison,  
Thos. Mackey.

The above Thos. Harrison, Senr, being admitted as Evidence for the State he acknowledges himself bound in the sum of 150£ current money for his appearance at next Court of Oyer & Terminer to be held for the District of Edenton.

Affidavit of James Harrison, Jr.  
Tyrrell County,

July 15, 1777. James Harrison (son of James Harrison) came before us Justices assigned to keep the Peace for said County who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God Deposeth and sayeth that about a Fortnight ago being in Thomas Harrisons Cornfield Daniel Leggett swore him to secrecy & gave him the first Token or Word of this Society & then Swore him again & gave the second Token & Word. The Purport of the second Oath was to keep the Senior Wardens name secret which was his the said Leggetts and further this Deponent saith not.

JAMES HARRISON, Jun.

Sworn before us.

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,  
Chas. Johnson.

Affidavit of Bird Land.  
Tyrrell County,

July 16, 1777. Bird Land was brought before us Justices assigned to keep the Peace for this county who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God deposeth & saith that being at Jonathan Davises Wheat Reaping John Garrett & Daniel Legate come there from John Stewarts & told this Deponent & Severall others that if they swore to Secrecy he would tell them something, but this deponent objected unless McGarrett would join them upon which Garrett agreed and put his hand on the Book with him when he was sworn to Secrecy & the Constitution & further this deponent saith not.

his  
BIRD X LAND.  
mark

Bird Land Principal 100£.

Isham Webb Security 100£.

for appearance at the next Court of Oyer & Terminer to be held at Edenton.

Sworn and acknowledged before us.

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,

Chas. Johnson.

Affidavit of Thomas Stubbs, Senr.

Tyrrell County,

July 14, 1777. This day came before us Justices, &c., Thomas Stubbs, Senr., & being sworn, &c., deposeth & saith that Thomas Harrison (son of John) met him on the road about a fortnight agoe & the said Thomas Stubbs having heard of this Association used every persuasive means to dissuade the said Thomas Harrison from being concerned in the same & the said Thomas Harrison signified to him or supposed that if there was a Junction from this all the way to New Georgia might not they be able to do something & supposed that if a Petition was sent to the General Howe would he not befriend them & know his friends from his foes & that the said Harrison wished he had never been born as there would be a world of Blood shed and further this Deponent sayeth not.

THOMAS STUBBS, Senr.

Sworn before us

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,

Chas. Johnson.

Affidavit of Michael Ward.

Bertie County,

July 9th, 1777. This day Michael Ward was brought before the Subscribers suspicioned of being concerned in a Treasonable Conspiracy agt this State who being duly sworn doth say some time past he was sworn to secrecy by Absalom Leggett who give him some signs, &c., how to know the Brethren bye, &c., & tell'd him he must appear before Daniel Leggett (his son) for further Instruction, that some time after went with John Garrett, of Tyrrell Co., to Peleg Belotes where he was again sworn by sd Daniel Leggett (John Garrett being present when sworn) and was privy to the plott, that Garrett told this Deponent he would not take the State Oath, that this Clubb was to oppose a Draught in this Province & stand up for the King, and to protect all Deserters and further Saith not.

Sworn the day above before

Thos. Pugh,

Peter Clifton.

his

MICHAEL X WARD.

mark.

Affidavit of John Stewart.

Martin County,

July 19, 1777. John Stewart being called upon to give evidence of a certain Religious Society, &c., declareth & sayeth that on or about the 1st of this instant he this Deponent going to Tar River on Business, on his return was informed that Daniel Leggett had been to his house & informed the Deponent's wife that he Daniel Leggett wanted to see this Deponent on Business & desired he might come down to Thomas Harrison, Senr., on his return the second or third day after this Deponent came home he went to the house of Thomas Harrison, Senr., where this Deponent saw Daniel Leggett when the sd Deponent was called out of Doors by sd Leggett. He began his Discourse by saying that we was like to have a great fall in our Religion as the sd Leggett understood that sundry of the Members of Congress had damned the Being of a God & thought it would be very Necessary for the people of the Country to form themselves into a Society for the support of Religion, then he the said Daniel Leggett pulled out a paper & read something all of which this Deponent Does not remember but that it related principally to religion after reading some time he the said Daniel Leggett, asked the Deponent how he liked it, he the Deponent answered he liked it well enough. He this Deponent sayeth that the said Leggett told him that some of the Members of Congress was in it and that some of the Justices of Martin County was members in the sd Society & particularly mentioned Jas. Sherrod and that they intended to have Ministers in the Society after it grew a little older, this Deponent told the said Leggett if they would have ministers he would freely subscribe five pounds to it. Then he said Leggett tendered this Deponent an Oath which this Deponent refused to take as he said he intended out of the county in a short time did not choose to be concerned in any Society, the said Deponent mentioned he was going to Mr. Sam'l Black's for an Augur the said Leggett asked this Deponent if Mr. Samuel Black would not make a good Member, this Deponent answered he thought he would, then the said Daniel Leggett desired the said Deponent to inform Mr. Black of the sd Society which he this Deponent said he would but the said Leggett told this Deponent there was a token to be learnt before the said Black must be sent, & that this Deponent must swear him to secrecy of said Leggett's name when the said Leggett Learnt this Deponent for that purpose. Then this Deponent went to Mr. Black's & Did as the said Leggett had learnt him on which Mr. Black told this Deponent he would go to said Leggett; a few days after the said Samuel Black came to this Deponent's house & brought with him Mr. Wm. Brimage, the sd Black told this Deponent that he had

brought Mr. Brimage to get informed of the Society which this deponent had mentioned to said Black, when he this Deponent told him he knew neither head nor tail of it; but that he this Deponent was going down to Colo. Stevens Lees in the morning if they would stay at his house that night he would call with him in the morning at Harrison's to see Leggett after swearing Brimage not to mention Leggett's name as before ordered by said Leggett upon which this Deponent, Black & Brimage set off. Black calling at Jonathan Davises, this Deponent & Brimage kept on to Harrison's house where they found sd Leggett: The sd Leggett, Brimage & Thos. Harrison went a little way into the wood while this Deponent went to cut a whip, after coming up to Mr. Brimage, he Mr. Brimage and this Deponent went on to the Road where they met with Mr. Sam'l Black coming where he this Deponent left. Mr. Black & Mr. Brimage proceeded to Colo. Stevens Lees, the next day, on this Deponents return he met with sd Black at Capt. Everetts Muster when this Deponent asked said Mr. Sam'l Black how he liked the paper Mr. Black asked this Deponent if he had thought anything more of it & this Deponent told him he had not upon which the said Black told this Deponent that he had read it twice and that he did not like it the last time as he thought he could Discover something that might mean Bad on it and that he had an Intention to declare it. This Deponent told him if he thought anything Bad was meant, he might disclose it upon which this Deponent & said Samuel Black parted & further this Deponent sayeth not.

JOHN STEWART.

*(To be Continued.)*

## COMMITTEE OF SECRECY AND CORRESPONDENCE.

March 17th, 1776.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

Ambrose Knox, Esquire, came into the Committee and gave them to understand that Thomas Durant and Company of the Island of Santa Croix merchants had consigned to him a Sloop called the Two Brothers Commanded by Sanford Thompson. The Vessel being Danish property with a cargo of which the following are the contents. That is to say Sixteen Kegs of Gun Powder, seven Hogsheads of Muscovado Sugars, One Hogshead of Rum, Six pieces of Russia Duck, one piece of German Osnaburgs, one Bagg Pepper, Three Iron Cannon, a Barrel of Coffee and one Barrel of Gun Powder.

In the whole it appears to us that this Vessel has imported five

hundred and Seventy-two and one half pounds of gun powder and the above Cannon for the General Cause.

On the above premises, We think it a duty to admit the said Sandford Thompson Commander of the said Sloop to Land her Cargoe, and as we are not the Proper Committee to Value the aforesaid Powder & Cannon, We therefore humbly submitt that matter to the General Convention to be held at Halifax on the Second day of April next.

Observations, Thomas and Christopher Durant are partners.

The Keggs are very large and I should believe they will contain, each of them 30 pounds on weight.

Have our Committee of the County a Right to give him leave to Load, to value the Powder & Cannon? In the Invoice they're priced.

How is the man to proceed to get his money?

What Commodities may he take on board?

## ARTICLES OF PEACE WITH THE TUSCARORA INDIANS.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

1. That there be a firm, perpetual and inviole peace to continue so long as Sun and Moon endure between all and every the Inhabitants and people of North Carolina and all the nation and people of the Tuscaroroe Indian.

2. That if any occasione should fall out that there may be as soon as conveniently can be a meeting of the greatt men appointed to settle itt friendly and amicably.

3. Thatt iff any Seryant or Servants, Slave or Slaves come among the Tuscaroroe Indians Thatt they Forthwith with all Expedition and diligence apprehend him or them and bring them in and what arms or goods they shall have with them to some of the great men of the English who shall be obliegded to give them a Match coat or the Value for their trouble.

4. Iff any Englishman of this Government shall injure or wrong any of the Tuscaroroe Indians upon complaint and prooffe to the Great Men of this Government the Englishmen shall be ordered to make satisfaction to him or them injured according to Law.

5. Iff any Tuscaroroe Indians shall steall, purloine or doe any other injury to the English not exceeding the value of twoe or three skins then the sd Indian being brought befor some greatt man of the English and prooffe mad of itt he shall order the Indian to make present satisfaction to the person injured which if he doe nott he shall order him to have lashes.

6. If any Tuscoraroe Indian shall kill any of the English or

Steall or robe more than the Value of the 3 skins above mentioned or doe any injury to any of the English that shall deserve death or Banishment to be broughtt before any great man of the English he shall be secured untill notice given unto some of the great men of the Tuscaroroes thatt they may come in iff they please att his Tryall to see that no prejudice may come in to him: But iff the Indian or Indians hath done sutch as above mentioned should make his escape among the Tuscoraroe Indians Thereupon notice given to the greatt men of the Tuscoraroe Indians they shall be obleigded to send him in to the English to have his tryal according to law.

7. Thatt no Tuscoraroe Indian or Indians settle any quarters on the N. West side of Morattuck River.

8. That no Tuscoraroe Indian or Indians have any Cabins or quarters within half a dayes travell of any English plantation nor burne the woods within the bounds above mentioned & any English plantation itt being a great injury to ther stock.

9. Whereas the Tuscoraroe Indians many tymes leave pauns and pledges with the English for the paymentt or skins whitch they promise to bring in so many and doe nott performe may be in many dayes after the tyme appointed which may occasion much difference wherefor itt is agreed that iff any Tuscaroroe Indians who leave pauns doe nott bring in the skins to redeem them att the day shall bee, he shall loose his pawne and the English may dispose of them after as they please.

Lastly, That they be always a friendly and amicable correspondence between the said English and Tuscoraroe Indians.

Also itt is agreed that iff the Tuscaroroes have any wars wth any other nation of Indians the English of this Government (on notice being given) shall not assist that other natione wth men, powder or Shott or any other wise and also it is agreed that iff the English of this Governmt shall have wars, with any other natione of the Indians. The Greatt men of the Tuscaroroes (on notice given them) shall call home all ther Indians (iff any be with that natione) and give no manner of assistance to the sd nationes. Butt if required by the Government here shall assist the English against the Indians the Government here giving them reasonable Satisfaction for ther tyme."

The above paper appears among the items relating to the Assembly it is without date and not signed. Presume it was a draft of the Articles agreed upon between the English and Tuscaroras.



## PROCLAMATION BY GOV. CARY.

North Carolina, Ss. By the Honble Depty Govern'r & Councill.

## A PROCLAMATION.

Wherein the Rt. Honble Sr. Nathaniel Johnson by a Commission & Instrument directed to Honble Thomas Cary, Esq., hath Constituted & appointed him the sd Thomas Cary, Esq., Deputy Governr Lieutenant Generall & Vice Admirall of this Province.

To prevent all Failure in the Administration of Justice & that all processes in Law pleas & plaints of which nature soever may have their legall Course Wee Doe by this Proclamation Declare That all persons of Office & Trust within this Governmt shall continue in their respective Stations till the Honble Deputy Governr's pleasures be further known.

Given under the seal of the Colony the 21st day of March Anno Dmi 1704-5. Anno Quarto Anno Regina Angliecr.

W. GLOVER.

THOS. CARY,  
SAMUEL SWANN,  
THOMAS POLLOCK.

## AN ACT RELATING TO JUSTICES.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

An Act to Enforce Justices of the Sevrall Countys & Precinct Courts in this Governmt to take the oath & discharge their office in the Commission.

Be it enacted by his Excellency the Pallatine and the rest of the true & absolute Lords & proprietors by & with the advise and Consent of the present Grand Assembly & the Authority thereof And itt is hereby Enacted that what person soever shall be Commissionated Justice of the Peace for the General Court, County or Precinct Court in this Government and being summoned by the Provost Marshall or Deputy or Deputys shall refuse to take the Oaths apointed by Law & act as Justice in any of the General, County or precinct Courts in this Governmt as aforesaid Itt shall be in the power of the Quorum of each & every respective General, County & Precinct Court to Impose & Lay a fine upon every person of the same Court to which ye sd partyes are Commissionated, refusing in manner aforesd such fine or penalty as they the Quoram of such of each & every respective Court aforesd shal think fitt & Convenient & them to committ to prison till the sd Fyne be payd or other Compliance made and if there be not a Quoram in any one of the sd Courts that shall accept of the Commission & take the Oaths aforesd itt shall be in the power of the Governor's Councill for the time being to lay such Fyne or

penalty upon them as they shall think fitt & Convenient & Commit the sd person to prison untill paymt be made of the aforesd fyne or other Complyance.

(This paper is without date.)

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NOTE FROM S. NORTEN TO THOMAS SNODEN,  
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Mr. Snoden—Pray come to me with all speed to Mr. Penrice's with the Ritt for Members for Coratuck and what Pattions you have signed with Wm. Reed for gett nothing. I am waiting for you.

Yrs, S. NORTEN.

On the bottom of the paper appears the following:

"Wm. Bell Entered all that Island Situate, lying and being in Coratuck County called or known by the name of Bell Island containing 530 acres or thereabouts. Wm. Bell entered a plantaiton scituate and being in Coratuck where John Bell now lives containing 300 acres."

S. Norten was Clk of the Court, and we presume was behind in his work for the Court, the members for Coratuck referred to the Members of the Assembly and "Pattions" to patents of land. The note is without date but was written about 1715.

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PETITION FOR A CLERK FOR COROTUCK PRECINCT.

Corotuck, November ye 9th, 1706.

Sr. Mr. Edward Taylor ye present Clark for this place hath deserted his office and with Drawn him self hence or other his private affairs to the greevance of ye people and great obstruction of Business to that office Relating, for Remedy where of Could not But think it our Duty to your Selfe and Precinct to offer ye Same to your Consideration, not Doubting your Rediness to Remove the Malady or Grevance by Deputing Som Capable descreat person to supply the present defect, and presuming not any person more capable hath yett offered, do with Submission Recommend Mr. Jos. Wicker to your thoughts, whome we believe a person qualified for the undertaking and suppose his preferment here in will give as General Sattisfaction to the Inhabitants heare as in particuler it Doth to Sr.

Your Humble Servts to Com'd,

JOHN BONNET,  
THO. EANDEMERLER,  
BEN. TULLE.

And Mr. Jos. Wicker got the appointment as Clerk of the Precinct Court.—(Editor.)

FROM THE GOVERNOR OF SOUTH CAROLINA TO THE  
GOVERNOR OF NORTH CAROLINA.*(Old Style).*

May it please yr Honr.

Having not ye Conveniency of passage omediately to South Carolina I have made use of this way by Bermuda to dispatch to your honr ye Inclosed letter & Papers from ye Rt. Honble ye Lord of his Majestys Privy Councill relating to ye division & deliverance of his Majesty from a barbarous Conspiracy of Popish & Invasion from France for wch he issued proclamation for a publick Thanksgiving on ye 17th of June next, ye other letter concerning to his Majestyes Customs & an act past in Scotland having relation to a leter & Instructions from Comissr of his Majesties Customs wch is not come to hand but nevertheless I shall take all ye Care I can in that matter here is alsoe inclosed a letter from his Excel his Majesties Governr, &c., of Virginia, wherein your Hon may See wt claim it made to Crow Island & by Consequence to most of ye land on ye north of ye sound to wch we retained ye answer wch was all we could doe having not soe much as a Copy of their Lordships Grant in this Government to defend ourselves wth and our weakness in that matter is very well known in Virginia soe that I believe it will be very necessary yt their Lordship have Speedy acct of it.

May it please your Honr we have great reason to wish for yr Honrs arrival here, we have continued to adjourn ye Assembly by proclamation by reason of your honrs absence and ye ill use made of ye first adjournmt giving cause to believe yt ye like if not worse will be made of ye 2d & 3d, it is now adjourned to the 1st of October. Then it will be necessary for the Assembly to sett for discharging ye Publick Charge of the County and if your honr be not present or at best special instructions from ye Honor to satisfy ye Inhabitants, paticularly in ye assurance of their land. I doubt very much wee shall not be able to keep this Governmt in peace any longer for there does not want those that put ye people in fear that they shall not have patents for their land at all. Likewise I desire your Honr as a thing at this time very necessary to procure an authentic Copy of their Lordspes Grant if it be in South Carolina, ye public discourse that is in Virginia of this Country being in that Governmt ye country name yt ye foreign there give it may much animate all contented psons here upon expectatason of protection from thence. I desire your Honr alsoe if your Honr cant come to send full Instructions of ye qt rent in ye Comoditye of ye Country for price last settled viz of porke at one penny & tobacco 3 farthings p pound is soe ill taken that ye country will not continue it except yr Honr presence

here may prevail upon them. There doe appear great animosity in the Country already and If things will be worse, when, I crave leave once againe to your Honr to hasten your coming if possible ye peace of the Country very much depends upon it and ye Interest of ye proprietors much more I heartily pray for yr Honrs Health and Speedy arrival here and am yr Honrs

Humble & bounden Servt.,

The Governor to Gov. Archdale briefed on the back of the paper. It is neither signed nor dated, and does not say a word about the time between \_\_\_\_\_.

#### LETTER TO SETH SOTHEL.

Loving and kind friend Seth Sothel and Governor my kind love & remembrance unto thee. These are to desire thee to Enter for me four hundred and twenty acres of land adjoining to my head line and running along the Survey. Sir for my Mill and as thee didest tell me that I need not be so hurry to by rites untell I had spoken againe with Thee therefoare I have bought none, hoping that thee will furnish me with cites and if thee doest I shall make thee satisfaction. So having no more to trouble thee withall I rest thy loving friend in the truth.

ROBERT WINDLEY.

This paper antedates 1689, as Seth Sothel died in that year.

#### ADDRESS FROM THE HOUSE OF BURGESSES TO THE GOVERNOR & COUNCIL.

To the Honble the Deputy Governor, Esq., & Councill:

May it please yor Honors House or Board which requires all messages sent from this house to ye Honors should be signed by the Speaker We humbly conceive to be an Evading of the Privileges of this House and being contrary to all former practices of this House which usually has been done by the Clerk of thy House wherefore we humbly address yor Honors that all message coming from this House may be signed as formerly. Sent by Capi. Sanders, Wm. Barrow.

Signed by Wm. Wilkinson, Speaker, Thomas Blount, John Blount, Edw'd Smithwick, John Ardene, Gabriel Newby, Isaac Willson, Caleb Calloway, Timothy Cleave, Samuel Nicholson, W. Barrow, Thos. Peirce, Thomas Symons, Jeremyah Symons, Caleb Bundy, Augtn Scarborough, Jno. Hawkins, Rich'd Sanderson, Thos. Tayler, Ben Tulle, Wm. Bateman, Richard Cominfort."

Without date but evidently about 1703, as it is signed by Col. Wm. Wilkinson as Speaker, and the succeeding paper is also signed in 1703 by Co. Wilkinson as Speaker of the House of Burgesses.

## AN ACT REGULATING PAYMENT OF QUIT RENTS.

An Act to ascertain the manner of paying of Quit Rents which are or shall become Due to the true & absolute Lords Proprietors.

Be it Enacted by his Excellency the Pallatine and the rest of the true & absolute Lords Proprietors by & with the advise and Consent of this present Grand Assembly & the Authority thereof.

And it is hereby Enacted that the Quitt Rents of all the lands in this Government shall be made in these following commodities to wit *in Silver or good Merchantable Pork or Tallow att the Rate ascertained in the Act of Assembly*; and be it further enacted that the Inhabitants of Each & Every precinct & County in this Government are & shall be hereby obliged to pay the aforesd Rents Due to the Lords Proprietors on or before the 10th day of December yearly in such place in Each & Every respective River in this Government as the Governor shall appoint.

In the upper house Read the first time & past, By order Friday ye 12th of November, 1703. Tho. Snoden, Cl. of ye Assembly. Saturday 13th. Read the first time in the house of Burgesses & past wth the Amendment desired as to the friends on the Backside.

WM. WILKINSON, Speaker.

In the upper House read ye Second time & past with ye Amendment. By order Monday ye 15th of November, 1703. Tho. Snoden Cl. of ye Assembly.

Endorsed on the back is the following:

Fresh Pork ——— p hundred.

Pickeled & Barrelld Pork att ——— p Barrell.

Tallow att 4d p lb.

Tobacco att 8s 4d per Cwt.

WM. WILKINSON, Speaker.

This Bill read the second time in the House of Burgesses and past wth the Amendments aforesaid and wth this provided that this Bill shall Determine att the end of two years or the next Biennial Parliamt. By order of the House.

WM. WILKINSON, Speaker.

In the Upper House. Read the third time wth ye amendment and proviso, Friday ye 19th. By order, Thos. Snoden, Ck of ye Assembly.

Ordered to be Engrossed.

Friday 19. Read the third time & past wth Amendment & past by order of the House.

WM. WILKINSON, Speaker.

## ASSEMBLY IN 1708.

Att a Grand Assembly held at the House of (paper gone to the folding) Hecklefield in the precinct of Perquimans Begun on Monday the Eleventh day of October Anno Dom 1708.

In the Upper House.

Prest the Honble Thomas Cary, Esq., Presidt & Commander-in-Chief of North Carolina, the Honorable John Porter, Francis Foster, Gabriel Newby, John Hawkins.

In the House of Burgesses:

Edward Moseley Speaker.

Mr. Nicholas Crisp, Mr. Stephen Swaine, Mr. James Beasley, Mr. Thos. Clark, Mr. Isaac Wilson, Mr. Tim Cleave, Mr. Thos. Pearce, Mr. Sam'l Nicholson, Mr. John Barrow, Mr. Corns Jones, Mr. Robert Morgan, Mr. John Norton, Mr. Caleb Bundy, Mr. Augn Scarborough, Mr. Joseph Wicker, Mr. Benj. Tulle, Mr. William Nicholson, Mr. John Hodgson, Mr. Wm. Stafford, Capt. Collogum Ward, Mr. Geo. Birkenhead, Capt. Wm. Barrow, Capt. Emanuel Cleaves, Mr. Levi Truewhitt, Mr. Wm. Hancock.

These following Acts am Ratified.

We regret that this is all we can find relating to this session of the Assembly in the Court House at Edenton.

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BOND OF COMMISSIONERS TO DISBURSE THE MONEY  
FOR BUILDING THE COURT HOUSE FOR  
THE DISTRICT OF EDENTON.

North Carolina, Sss. Know all men by these presents that we Cullen Pollock, Joseph Hewes, Thomas Nash, Edward Vail and William Lowther Trustees & Directors for building and erecting a good & convenient Court House and Sufficient Prison for the use of the District of Edenton are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency Wm. Tryon, Esq., Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the province afsd in the sum of Two Thousand pounds proclama-tion money to be paid to the said William Tryon, Esq., and his successors Governors of the said Province to which payment well and truly to be made. We bind ourselves and each of us, our & each of our Heirs, Executors & Administrators Justly & severally firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals and dated this — day of —, in the year of our Lord 1767.

The Condition of the obligation is such that if the above bound Cullen Pollock, Joseph Hewes, Thomas Nash, Edwin Vail & Wil-liam Lowther shall well & faithfully discharge the several Trusts

in them reposed by An Act of Assembly intituled an Act for erecting a Court House and prison for the use of the District of Edenton and do and shall from time to time and at all times when they shall be called upon lay a Just state of their transaction as Trustees as afsd before the Assembly or such Committee as shall be appointed to settle & adjust the public accounts, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force & virtue.

CULLEN POLLOCK, (Seal.)

JOSEPH HEWES, (Seal.)

THOS. NASH, (Seal.)

EDW'D VAIL, (Seal.)

Scaled & Delivered In presence of Tho. Jones.

The above Bond is evidently given for the Disbursement of the money to be paid out for the Erection of the Court House and prison for the District of Edenton, and is we think without doubt the same building located on King Street in the Town of Edenton, N. C., now used as a Court House. We have carefully searched the records of the Courts of Chowan County for some Evidence of the time of its Completion and use, but have found nothing except the above bond, from which we infer the work was ordered by the Assembly of the State, and an account of the acts of the Commissioner will probably be found in the Secretary of State's office at Raleigh, N. C., and only there. The building in its Architecture and Construction, stands as a monument to the skill and ability of those who planned and erected this Most Substantial and eloquent public edifice.

# ABSTRACT OF MARRIAGE BONDS OF CHOWAN COUNTY.

CONTINUED.

(From originale in office of the Clerk of the Superior Court at Edenton, N. C.,  
with names of Sureties.)

1851.

Bunch, James E. and Elizabeth White. Feb. 3. Thos. J. White.  
Bryant, Lewis and Harriet Corbett. Apl. 23. Jno. Newborn.  
Bateman, Andrew J. and Elizabeth Beasley. July 7.  
Bunch, William and Christian Goodwin. Sept. 30. Fred'k Bunch.  
Brinkley, Myles C. and Mary E. Goodwin. Dec. 13.  
Bush, Elisha T. and Sarah M. Bush. Dec. 19. Jere Evans  
Douglas, William and Sarah Ann Goodman. May 2. W. H. Wilder.  
Eason, George and Mary Copeland. Feb'y 18. Thos. Hollowell.  
Evans, Albert and Mary Ann Elliott. Mch. 26. Jos. S. Cannon.  
Elliott, Vachel and Lydia Elliott. Aug. 20. Jos. B. Thach.  
Goodman, James and Sarah Fife. July 17. Elliott Floyd.  
Harris, Francis and Ann Bateman. Jan'y 16. Nath'l Bunch.  
Harrell, Wm. B. and Ann J. Battle. Mch 3. H. Simpson.  
Haste, Abner and Mary Jones. Nov. 6. Wm Previtt, Jr.  
Hollowell, Wm. and Christian Boyce. Dec. 9. Ephraim Bunch.  
Jordan Norfleet and Nancy Jane Boyce. Jan. 21. Baker Boyce.  
Jordan, Thomas M. and Mary Boyce. Oct. 29.  
Lane, Jesse and Margaret Jordan. Sept. 4. Wm. N. Pearce.  
Newborn, Hunter and Penelope Hews. Apl. 2. W. H. Wilder.  
Pratt, Nathan and Mary Walker. Feb'y 7. Charlton Sitterson.  
Phelps, Leonard and Jane Kail. Jan'y 14. J. W. Hathaway.  
Perry, John and Elizabeth Nixon. July 6. Myles Ashley.  
Rice, Freeman and Sarah Smith. Jan'y 21. James Bass.  
Skinner, William and Peninah Dail. Aug. 7. Wm. Bratton.  
Spivey, Timothy and Zillah Blanchard. Sept. 19. R. H. Tooley.  
Steele, John and Eliza Boyce. Dec. 10. Francis Byrum.  
Skinner, Joshua C. and Mary U. Leary. Dec. 15. E. C. Hines.  
Taylor, Joseph and Lucinda Speight. Feb. 5. Job Skinner.  
Ward, Quinton and Margaret Forehand. Nov. 12.  
Ward, Andrew and Miley Forehand. Dec. 20. Wrighton Ward.

1852.

Byrum, James and Elizabeth. Jan'y 8. Francis Byrum.



Boyce, William and Elizabeth ———. Jan. 12. Amos Perry.  
 Culpeper, Thomas and Emily W. Rafferty. Feb. 5.  
 Chappell, Isaac B. and Eliza Mitchell. Feb'y 19.  
 Copeland Phoenas and Jane E. Lane. Feb'y 23. Wm. D. White.  
 Dail, Henry and Elizabeth Ashley. Mch. 2. Jos. Asbill, Jr.  
 Goodwin, John and Achsia Halsey. Jan'y 22, Timothy Mitchell.  
 Chaplin, William G. and Martha Skinner. July 1.  
 Goodwin, Exum and Priscilla Bunch. Oct. 9. Wm. Bunch.  
 Hill, James W. and Mary Blanchard. Jan. 21. Jas. R. Darden.  
 Hollowell, Jordan and Mary Parish. Feb. 23.  
 Hendricks, Thomas and Esther Bagley. May 8. Wm. Spruell.  
 Hollowell, Luke and Eliz Forehand. July 22. Ephraim Bunch.  
 Harris, Josiah and Ellen Byrum. Sept. 9. Jesse Bunch.  
 \*Kennedy, William J. and Mrs. Eliza M. Clark.  
 Lane, Elisha and Janette Chappell. Jan. 6. Francis Smith.  
 Lane, Samuel C. and Mary Ann R. Lane. Feb'y 4.  
 Lashley, John T. and Martha White. Mch. 31. Jos. G. Godfrey.  
 Myers, Henry and Lavinia Smith. Sept. 22. Micajah Bunch.  
 Persse, Anthony B. and Margaret Dean. Nov. 25.  
 Rea, Wiley W. and Mary L. Noxon. July 15.  
 Stullifer, Rufus and Ritta Owens. Jan'y 6. Chas. Smith.  
 Sitterson, Alfred and Frances A. Allen. May 27. Jos. S. Jones.  
 Skinner, John and Lavinia W. Skinner. Nov. 2.  
 Wilson, William and Eliza Harrell. Feb. 5. Jno. H. Jones.  
 Wilson, Henry and Elizabeth Copeland. Feb'y 5. Moses Hobbs.

1853.

Boyce, Henry and Priscilla Griffin. Feb. 21. Jesse J. Griffin.  
 Chappell, Jonathan and Mary Elizabeth Roberts. Feb'y 2.  
 Evans, Jeremiah and Agathy Ann Trotman. Mch. 19.  
 Edwards, Rev. F. M. and Francis L. Bland. Dec. 21.  
 Gregory, Thomas and Elizabeth Hoskins. Mch. 16.  
 Goodwin, John E. and Mary Ann Perry. Apl. 4. C. E. Robinson.  
 Harris, Abram and Lydia Jones. Mch. 24. Wm. Bunch.  
 Harrell, John Wilson and Mary Haughton. Nov. 9.  
 Hobbs, Hamilton and Lydia Byrum. Aug. 10. Starkey B. Evans.  
 Hollowell, Quinton and Martha Ann Roberts. Jan'y 19.  
 Jones, Henderson and Mary Savage. June 8. Jesse Bunch.  
 Jones Whitmell and Margaret Bird. July 20. Jas. Wilson.  
 Kenedy, William and Margaret White. Mch. 30. C. C. Rea.  
 Morris, Miles and Louisa Lane. Mch. 9. F. E. Simpson.  
 Munds, William and Apphia Jordan. Feb. 9. Wm. N. Pearce.

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\* There is a legacy awaiting the heirs of Wm. J. Kennedy in Pennsylvania. — Write to the Editor of THE REGISTER for information. His wife was the daughter of Fred'k Greenwood, of Edenton, N. C.

Norcom, Abner and Margaret Hoskins. Oct. 12. Jas. Norcom.  
 Owens, Henry and Milly Jordan. Mch. 18. Jno. W. Cullifer.  
 Parker, Seth B. and Emily Hobbs. May 25. Isaac Moran.  
 Perry, John A. and Elizabeth Bond. Feb. 21. Chas. Smith.  
 Smith, Stephen and Nancy Harris. May 3. Phenias Copeland.  
 Spruell, T. C. and Elizabeth Wynn. June 7. Jos. S. Jones.  
 Simpson, Newton A. and Deborah Norcom. Dec. 7. J. S. Jones.  
 Selden, John A., Jr., and Penelope L. Benbury. Nov. 15.  
 Williams, Willis A. and Harriet P. Leary. Dec. 13.  
 Womble, Thos. J. and Sarah F. Best. May 5. J. G. Godfrey.  
 White, Jesse and Sarah Boyce. Jan'y 5. Jas. N. Floyd.

1854.

Cullens, Nathan L. and Mary Benbury. May 4. J. S. Jones.  
 Copeland and Rachel Jordan. Oct. 25. Tim Copeland.  
 Elliott, A. R. and Juliana B. Harvey. Feb. 13. Wm. C. Wood.  
 Hedricks, Wm. S. and Martha Pratt. Jan'y 17. E. A. Morris.  
 Nowell, Jos. W. and Harriet E. Cannon. Feb. 23. B. F. Welch.  
 Parish, Alfred and Mary Hedrick. Mch. 14. Benj. Jones.  
 Peters, Stephen T. and Jane Warren. June 22. Edward Warren.  
 Saunders, Calvin and Martha Bunch. Feb'y 25.  
 Sitterson, Alfred S. and Sarah A. Sitterson. Apl. 13.  
 Syme, John and Ann Cornelia De Coin. Oct. 11. Rich'd Paxton.  
 Wilder, Thomas C. and Mary E. Bockover. Feb'y 9.  
 Whitmore, D. T. and Mrs. Elizabeth J. Jordan. June 14.  
 Williams, John B. and Elizabeth Byrum. July 21.

1855.

Asbill, Elisha and Martha Ann Asbill. Jan'y 3. Jno. B. Wright.  
 Asbill, James and Hepsabeth Boyce. June 8. Baker F. Boyce.  
 Boyce, William and Hannah Dail. May 21. Julius Dail.  
 Burrows, Briant and Nancy Jones. May 25. Freeman Rice.  
 Bunch, Jesse and Sophia Jones. June 6. Wm. Perry.  
 Bunch, Lemuel and Mary Jones. July 9. C. E. Robinson.  
 Blount, William C. and Penelope Chambers. July 19.  
 Byrum, William and Martha Jane Harrell. Oct. 23. Wm. Perry.  
 Boyce, Thomas and Sophia Williams. Dec. 26. Jesse J. Griffin.  
 Floyd, Jeremiah and Miriam Bunch. Apl. 26. N. S. Perkins.  
 Gaskins, Wm. A. and Lydia L. Bunch. Jan'y 22. P. F. White.  
 Green, Samuel and Mary Evans. Jan'y 25. Quinton Hollowell.  
 Hobbs, Quinton and Elvy Ward. Oct. 25. George Eason.  
 Jordan, Nathan C. and Sarah Frances Walton. Nov. 28.  
 Jennings, John and Ellen McCoy. July 25. J. A. Woodard.  
 Jollie, H. G. and Margaret B. Lowther. Sept. 3. Wm. Norcom.  
 Jordan, William H. and Jane Lane. Sept. 19. J. N. Floyd.  
 Mitchell, Timothy and Ann Eliza Trotman. Apl. 24.

Miller, Augustine and Penelope Smith. Sept. 11.  
 Moore, Nath'l H. and Mary O'M. Bruer. Dec. 5.  
 Miller, Jonathan and Miley Todd. Dec. 26. Albert G. Jones.  
 Starnes, James W. and Sarah Ann Lane. June 16.  
 Winslow Reuben and Elizabeth Winslow. Jan. 13.  
 Welch, Drew and Eliza Ward. Oct. 16. Daniel N. Ward.

1856.

Bateman, Hamilton C. and Harriet Whitmore. Feb'y 26.  
 Burke, Richard C. and Sarah F. Small. Sept. 23. Moses Burke.  
 Blanchard, Josiah and Martha Winslow. Nov. 3.  
 Brinkley, Martin L. and Elizabeth A. Blanchard. Dec. 2.  
 Chappell, Harvey and Mary Simpson. Feb. 7.  
 Copeland, Joseph and Elizabeth Winslow. Dec. 23.  
 Clements, William and Mary Sansberry. Nov. 11. R. S. Pratt.  
 Daniel, Watson L. and Priscilla A. Gregory. Oct. 13.  
 Halsey, Samuel and Maria Ann Halsey. Oct. 31.  
 Harrell, Jno. H. and Elizabeth Smith. Dec. 30.  
 Jackson, Jos. C. and Mary Jane Taylor. Sept. 27. S. W. Taylor  
 Lane, Henry and Elizabeth Miller. July 9. Tim Coffield.  
 Overman, Joseph and Melissa Griffin. Feb'y 26.  
 Parker, N. N. and Sarah Webb. April 17. Levi Thorne.  
 Roberts, Stephen W. and Elizabeth N. Haynes. Apl. 28.  
 Righton, Stark A. and Susan A. Moore. Nov. 19. E. C. Hines.  
 Small, Richard and Jane Small. June 10. Jno. C. Badham.  
 Spence, Mark B. and Emily Ann Simpson. Sept. 8.  
 Taylor, Sam'l W. and Sarah F. Leary. July 8. James McCoy.  
 Wilson, Thomas and Nancy E. Bass. Nov. 3. Jesse Bunch.  
 White, Henry H. and Alethia Gaskins. Nov. 12.  
 Winslow, William H. and Media Ann Harrell. Dec. 4.  
 White, Jordan and Virginia Willians. Dec. 9. Wm. M. Ward.  
 Welch, Baker F. and Sarah M. Simpson. Dec. 9.  
 Wright, John B. and Corisand Bunch. Dec. 30. John J. Bunch.

1857.

Bunch, Perry and Martha Williams. March 4. Elliott Floyd.  
 Byrum, Wm. C. and Tamar Ward. May 16. Isaac Byrum.  
 Bond, Alex H. and Sarah R. Simpson. May 23. A. W. Clayton.  
 Bunch, Nehemiah and Lucretia Ellis. July 21. Perry Bunch.  
 Bush, John J. and Ann Wright. Oct. 12. Elisha T. Bush.  
 Bond, R. H. L. and Annie A. Hoskins. Sept. 27. T. W. Hudgins.  
 Coke, Dr. Geo. H. and Caroline Skinner. Dec. 10.  
 Coffield, Martin and Rachel Bufkin. Dec. 21. Edwin Byrum.  
 Churchill, Ephraim and Harriet Ann Roberts. Dec. 22.  
 Dempsey, Elijah and Sally White. Jan'y 12. Simon Cullifer.  
 Dail, Jos. B. and Sarah Hunter. Nov. 2. A. S. Sutton.

Elliott, Ameziah and Jane Jordan. June 18. Thos. Jordan.  
 Green, Sam'l and Mary Evans. Jan'y 25.  
 Galloway, George W. and Mattie L. Mixon. Nov. 12.  
 Hilliard, Rev. F. W. and Maria A. Johnston. May 6.  
 Haughton, Malachi and Mary Carter. May 27. Benj. K. Bullock.  
 Jones, John M., Jr. and Mary Bass. May 27. Wm. Morris.  
 Leary, West R. and Jane E. Saterfield. Jan. 13. W. H. Bonner.  
 Myers, Alex W. and Harriet Miller. Jan'y 27. D. McDonald.  
 Mardre, Joseph and Joice V. Small. Apl. 28. W. J. Kennedy.  
 Norcom, William, and Mrs. Pamela Hankins. Nov. 12.  
 Pratt, Robert S. and Laura Woodward. June 27. Jos. Moran.  
 Rogerson, Abel and Ellen Harrell. Aug. 12.  
 Rogerson, Matthew and Susan G. Long. Dec. 15. J. W. Rogerson.  
 Satterfield, John B. and Celia A. Leary. Jan'y 13.  
 Smith Jesse and Penelope Bratton. June 11. Wm. Privitt.  
 Spivey, Jesse and Leah Ward. Nov. 7. Jacob Spivey.  
 Skinner, Henry H. and Agnes L. Harvey. Dec. 8. A. R. Elliott.  
 Thompson, William and Sarah E. Paine. May 6.  
 Warren, Dr. Edward and Elizabeth C. Johnston. Nov. 13.  
 White, Joseph and Mary Berryman. Dec. 28. Allen Spivey.  
 1858.

Asbill, James and Sarah E. Boyce. Sept. 15. Jacob Jordan.  
 Boushall, M. S. and Sarah A. Welch. Sept. 21. Dorsey Welch.  
 Bass, John L. and Penelope Harrell. Oct. 6. Jos. Moran.  
 Boyce, Jacob D. and Sarah Jane Ward. Oct. 15.  
 Badham, William, Jr., and Louisa Jones. Dec. 13.  
 Brinn and Judy A. Forehand. Dec. 21. Jos. E. Byrum.  
 Creecy, Aug. R. and Mary Piercey. Mch 18. John Smith.  
 Cheshire, Alex, Jr., and Charlotte Burton. June 7.  
 Evans, Benj. L. and Clarissa Coffield. Feb. 23. Z. Evans.  
 Eggleston, Thomas W. and Sally Ann Cannon. Dec. 20.  
 Fleetwood, Geo. B. and Harriet Burke. Aug. 10. John Elliott.  
 Hurdle Washington and Elizabeth Smith. July 21.  
 Hollowell, Joel B. and Amelia Ann Goodwin. Oct. 22.  
 Harris, Irvin A. and Mary E. Dolby. Nov. 1. John Coffield.  
 Hobbs, Henry C. and Susan A. Eason. Nov. 30. Jos. S. Jones.  
 Hobbs, Alfred and Frances Bunch. Dec. 9. Ephraim Bunch.  
 Jordan, Jamieson and Elizabeth Parker. Jan. 20. Wm. Privitt.  
 Jones, Alexander and Martha Goodman. Apl. 2.  
 Johnston, James C., Jr., and Kate H. Warren. June 7.  
 Jones John B. and Missouri Savage. Dec. 11. Geo. Bond.  
 Jordan, Jacob and Sarah Elizabeth Forehand. Dec. 17.  
 Lane, Samuel and Elizabeth Small. Oct. 20. C. E. Robinson.  
 Long, John and Mary A. Manning. Oct. 26. Jno. L. Bratten.

Leary, West R. and Adaline Smith. Dec. 25. Wm. Perry.  
 Mardre, Joseph, Jr. and Sarah P. Leary. June 28.  
 Mitchell, R. G. and Sarah H. Cheshire. June 29. F. W. Bond.  
 Nowell, John W. and Esther P. White. Mch. 31.  
 Newbern E. and Margaret Robinson. Oct. 20. C. E. Robinson.  
 Nixon, William and Eliza Miller. Dec. 21. Jno. L. Broughton.  
 Parker, Thomas J. and Margaret Ann Smith. Jan'y 27.  
 Smith, William and Emma Jane Parker. Mch. 4. John Smith.  
 Smith, John and Charity Ward. May 26. Isaac Moran.  
 Sutton, Seth S. and Virginia C. Eshon. Dec. 16.  
 Thompson, Thomas and Elizabeth N. Anderson. Dec. 14.  
 Winslow, Valentine and Clarissa Ward. Mch 23.  
 Williams, J. D. and Eliz M. Bateman. Mch. 21. W. E. Bond.  
 Woodward, Richard and Mrs. Ellen Long. June 7. J. N. Floyd.  
 1859.

Aumack, Sam'l M. and Margaret J. Gregory. June 20.  
 Ashley, Allen and Mary Harrell. Aug. 11. Thos. L. Foxwell.  
 Boyce, Zach and Mary Louisa Dail. Jan'y 1. Isaiah Dail.  
 Boyce, Thomas M. and Sarah E. Jordan. Feb'y 11.  
 Baker, Joseph and Armesia Ward. March 1. Edward Perry.  
 Bunch, Collen and Mary J. Evans. May 3. Jas. E. Evans.  
 Boyce, Wm. F. and Mary Ann Bunch. Sept. 25. Geo. F. Byrum.  
 Bass, Quinton and Mary Jane Smith. Oct. 13. Exum Goodwin.  
 Bogue, Joseph and Caroline Nixon. Dec. 19. Jesse Parker.  
 Copeland, Elisha and Mary Jane Winslow. April 5.  
 Copeland, Timothy and Eliz Ann Coffield. Oct. 15.  
 Davenport, Chas. G. and Lydia Wynne. Jan. 27. P. F. White.  
 Dail, Joseph and Jane Barker. May. 31. John W. Brinn.  
 Dail, Charles and Charity Bunch. Sept. 9. Jas. W. Garrett.  
 Etheridge, Jos. W. and Martha Jane Brinkley. Jan'y 7.  
 Evans, Jacob E. and Charlotte Byrum. July 26. Henry Evans.  
 Evans, Thomas and Esther Ann Goodwin. Nov. 2.  
 Evans, Josiah and Elizabeth Jordan. Dec. 3. Thos. Evans.  
 Forehand, Thomas and Sarah Byrum. July 26.  
 Forehand, Ephraim and Lucretia Boyce. Aug. 1. Isaiah Dail.  
 Guiles, John and Sarah Griffin. May 21. Silas White.  
 Hollowell, John and Martha I. Saunders. Dec. 21.  
 Jordan, Hance and Elizabeth Mitchell. Mch. 30. Jas. Jordan.  
 Lane, Joshua and Mary P. Munds. Dec. 28. Harvey Smith.  
 Outlaw, Wm. D. and Absilla M. Twine. Jan'y 23. Elbert Twine.  
 Pugh, James and Anna Mariah Vanhoosen. Feb'y 24.  
 Perry, William and Sally Ann Parish. Feb'y 28.  
 Privett, Sam'l and Eliz M. Evans. Dec. 27. Jas. E. Evans.  
 Robinson, Wm. T. and Ann E. Rogerson. Jan'y 11. W. J. Hill.  
 Swank, N. M. and Harriet S. Carter. Jan'y 1st.

Simpson, John R. and Elizabeth Ann Norcom. Feb'y 8.  
 Sharp, John and Anna Maria Simpson. Mch. 19. J. N. Floyd.  
 Sutton, Stark A. and Henrietta Moore. May 31.  
 Shannonhouse, W. R. and Adelaide Thach. Aug. 16.  
 Worseley, James A. and Mary A. E. Ming. Feb'y 10.  
 Waff, William W. and Anna Wright. Mch 1st. Jos. T. Waff.  
 Weston, B. F. and E. A. Whitmore. June 2. Joel Hyman.

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Blount, William C. and Penelope M. Leary. T. P. Smith.  
 Bunch, Wm. N. and Susan M. Brinkley. Feb'y 13.  
 Bunch, Jas. L., Dr. and Martha A. Norcom. Apl. 17.  
 Boushall, Benj. F. and Mrs. Adaline J. Henry. May 9.  
 Bunch, Jos. E. and Marina Ward. May 14. John J. Bush.  
 Barclift, Dempsey and Mary A. Simpson. Aug. 6.  
 Brinn, Stephen R. and Julia Elliott. Dec. 17. Jos. Brinn, Jr.  
 Copeland, Andrew and Anna Maria Jordan. Oct. 18.  
 Duke, James H. and Betty V. Lawrence. Aug. 21.  
 Evans, Henry and Catharine N. Byrum. Apl. 21.  
 Forehand, Adam and Mary F. Smith. July 12. B. F. Boyce.  
 Gilliam, Julian and Elizabeth Hoskins. Dec. 12. Geo. Gilliam.  
 Goodwin, Amariah and Miley Britt. Dec. 13. Sam'l Bateman.  
 Haste, Abner and Nancy Burrows. Jan. 28. Jacob R. Privitt.  
 Harrell, Josiah and Mary Jane Halsey. Sept. 18. M. Bunch.  
 Harrell, Wm. H. and Margaret Boyce. Oct. 10. Henry Morgan.  
 Hobbs, Thomas and Lydia Byrum. Oct. 31. Gideon Byrum.  
 Hurdle, Wm. B. and Priscilla M. Goodwin. Nov. 27.  
 Johnson, Edwin and Catharine Ward. Aug. 27.  
 Johnson, Thomas L. and Martha Hall. Dec. 18. Wm. G. Britt.  
 Munds, Jefferson and Rhoda Jane Smith. Mch. 19.  
 Northcott, Jos. A. and Emily A. Simpson. Dec. 10.  
 Peterson, Rev. E. M. and Ellen B. Skinner. Jan'y 3.  
 Peel, George and Virginia Burton. Oct. 31. Chas. Leary.  
 Peel, Joseph and Henrietta Liles. June 4. Jas. Smith.  
 Parish, Wm. E. and Ellen A. Bond. Dec. 29. J. D. Parish.  
 Rogerson, Jesse W. and Martha Bland. Aug. 13. J. M. Jones, Jr.  
 Richardson B. A. and Lavinia P. Smith. Nov. 21. Jas. H. Bell.  
 Small, Baker D. and Mary E. Smith. Jan'y 7. Jacob R. Privett.  
 Sutton, LaFayette and Sarah J. Thatch. Mch. 5. T. J. Knapp.  
 Skinner, Thomas and Mary E. Starnes. Mch. 14. Wm. S. Smith.  
 Summerell, Dr. Thos. D. and Elizabeth J. Skinner. Dec. 12.  
 Tilton, John H. and Sarah E. Dosier. Feb'y 27. Allen Brown.  
 Todd, Bryant and Martha J. Miller. July 4. Jas. Bonner.  
 Thatch, Henry C. and Eliza Bunch. July 15. Jas. D. Wynn.  
 Ward, Wm. M. and Harriet E. Hollowell. Feb'y 6. Silas White.  
 Wright, Townsend and Margaret Harrell. Feb'y 16. Jos. Moran.

# ITEMS RELATING TO THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

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(From the Executive Letter Book at Raleigh, N. C.)

Charleston, S. C., June 25, 1777.

DR. SIR:

The Marquis de la Fayette, nephew to the French Ambassador to the Court of Great Britain, and Baron De Kalb, who were bound to Phila' in order to join the army under General Washington, the former in the Character of a Volunteer, and the latter of a General Officer having with several Officers and gentlemen of their suite, put into this port, whence they proceed by land, occasion my troubling you with this, to introduce them to your notice, being persuaded that they will receive from you, en passant, such civilities as foreingers of distinction may Expect.

I am, &c.,

J. RUTLEDGE.

Gov. Caswell.

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*Francis Brice to Gov. Caswell.*

Wilmington, June 29th, 1777.

SIR:

The Commissary's business calling Mr. Craike's attendance to some other part of the State, he thought proper to acquaint me with the Resolve of the Council for the removal of the Military Stores to Point Pleasant, desiring that I wd see it done. I should have received infinite satisfaction in being the Executor of a Resolve so manifestly necessary for the Security of the Stores; the first step I thought shd be taken was to inform myself, if a sufficient number of invalids were here to constitute a proper guard. On finding there was not. I then applied to Captn Vance, to know if a guard could be procured from the Artillery, who told me the Company at that time (yesterday only) had so few men it was impossible for him to supply the number necessary for the occasion, without taking away the sentries at the upper battery and the store where the clothing is kept. The only invalid being buried two days before my application. From these circumstances I have declined removing the stores, till your Excellency can point out some method by which a guard may be obtained, as without it the safety of them would be more precarious than where they now are, tho we are well informed of three Vessels of force being on our bar. The defenceless state of this river, makes

the present situation of the stores very dangerous, and ought to be a matter of serious consideration.

Most respectfully, I am

Your Excellency's most Obt. H'ble Servant,  
FRANCIS BRICE.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

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*Extracts from letter of Sam'l Johnston to Dr. Thomas Burke.*

Edenton, N. C., June 26, 1777.

I have had an opportunity of seeing an experiment of the new Legislature, and am as little pleased with it in practice as I was formerly in Theory, and am still of opinion, that your plan might, for ought I know, be well adapted to the government of a numerous cultivated people, it will by no means be attended with those Salutary ends which were in contemplation, of its framers. The few good men or men of understanding and business, who had inclination or intend to be either of the Legislative or Executive Department are by no means sufficient to counterbalance the fools and knaves, who by their low Arts have worked themselves into the good graces of the populace. When I tell you that I saw with indignation such men as G—th, R—d, T—s, P—E—N, and your Colleague Penn, with a few others of the same stamp, principle leaders in both houses, you will not expect that any thing good or great should proceed from the Counsels of men of such narrow, contracted principle, supported by the most contemptible abilities. Hewes was supplanted of his seat in Congress by the most insidious acts and glaring falsehoods and Hooper, though no Competitor appeared to oppose him, lost a great number of Votes, Quince for no crime alleged against him, but that he was a man of fortune, was turned out of his appointment of Naval Officer of Port Brunswick, which was filled by a stripling. Persons are recommended as Judges of the Court of Oyer and Terminer in this District, who are scarcely qualified to execute the most inconsiderable Office in the State. The one who is best qualified and was formerly Deputy in the Clerk's office, has too much modesty to act, conscious of his Incapacity.

I give them as only a few specimens of the hopeful beginning of our new government, omitting to mention a number of acts, which in my opinion are extremely impolitic and ill judged at this time. The event will show whether I am mistaken. I wish to God I may be. I have resigned the Office of Treasurer of the Northern District and am succeeded by Col. Skinner, of Perquimans County, but though I am now out of Office and totally abstracted from all political concerns, it will always give me pleasure to hear from you.



Please make my compliments to Harnett, who I expect will be with you before this, and believe me with the most sincere respect and esteem, Dear Sir

Your most obedient Servant,  
SAM. JOHNSTON.

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*Reccommendation of Mr. Robert Turner.*

New Bern, June 30th, 1777.

SIR:

The bearer Mr. Robert Turner hath been out in the service of his country as Captain of Marines on board the Brig Pennsylvania Farmer and hath always behaved himself well in this station, and tells me he hath the offer of a Lieutenantcy in Col. Sheppard's Regiment, which if not already filled up, take the liberty of recommending him, to your Excellency for said Commission as I think he will fully answer the expectations of his country.

I am your Excellencys most obedient hum Serv'ts,  
JOSEPH LEECH,  
JOSHUA HEMPSTED.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

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*Gov. Caswell to Pres'd't Rutledge, of S. C.*

New Bern, 3d July, 1777.

SIR:

The bearer Major De La Port, a French gentleman in the service of the United States of America, comes well recommended to me by the Governor of that State. He is on the business of recruiting, has been some what successful here. From his assiduity and conduct I am inclined to think he will answer the purpose of his appointment. He has enlisted six more in this place and sent them on to join his party in Virginia, think he may be able to raise some recruits from among his Country men in Charlestown for which place he is now setting out.

This Sir, is to introduce him to your Excellency and I flatter myself he will meet with such countenance from you as his conduct and the importance of his employment may deserve. He calls himself Major but is recommended to me as Captain.

I have the honor to be with greatest respect and esteem,

Dr. Sir, yours, &c.,

RICHARD CASWELL.

Presd't Rutledge, S. Carolina.

*Gov. Caswell to John Ashe, Esq.*

New Bern, N. C., 3d July, 1777.

DEAR SIR:

The bearer Major De La Port a French Gentleman in the service of the United States of America, appointed in Virginia, has been by permission, some few days recruiting here and is now about to proceed to Charles Town where he expects to raise some recruits from among his country men. He is apprehensive he may be short of Cash, and requested he may be supplied, I therefore request the favor of you to furnish him on account of the State of Virginia, with fifty pounds this currency. I have not the least doubt but it will be agreeable to the General Assembly, especially as we have an acct. with that State for Materials furnished the Gallies building by them in this State, and have to acct. with them for articles sent out here for Muhlenberg's Regiment which have been applied to the use of our Troops.

I am with great respect and Esteem,

Dr. Sir, Yours, &c.,

RICHARD CASWELL.

John Ashe, Esq.

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*J. G. Blount to Gov. Caswell.*

Contentney, July 5th, 1777.

SIR:

I was yesterday informed by Col. Robert Salter, who left Tarborough that morning that Col. William Williams was out there on some business and had received an express from Mr. Whitmel Hill informing him of a traitorous Conspiracy\* formed mostly in Martin and the adjacent Counties but more or less in almost every County from North to South of the State. They were at some certain night to fall in and assassinate all the leading men. The discovery was made by some person whom they had lately taken up and examined, and it is generally believed there are some principal persons concerned in their horrid plan. If so it's more than probable they are acquainted with the unguarded situation of the Magazine of this State, and will make an attempt to destroy it. I beg leave to observe your Excellency that I think the Artillery Company at Wilmington are quite in sufficient even with the greatest diligence to the task of guarding the two ports, Magazines, &c.

J. G. BLOUNT.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

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\* If the reader will refer to the affidavits in this number of THE REGISTER relating to the Tories, he will get some idea of this Conspiracy.—EDITOR.

*Jacob Blount to Gov. Caswell.*

Contentney, July 6th, 1777.

DEAR SIR:

You will receive a letter by the bearer George from my son John who come from Col. Salter's last evening in forming you of a most bloody plan supposed to be laid by some of the enemies of America; as to particulars I refer you to his letter. It doth not remain a Doubt with me but that there is some persons of note concerned in this horrible plan. If that should be the case, they will certainly make an attempt on our public magazine the first thing if it is not well guarded. I hope, Sir, you will take care of yourself.

I should have done myself the honor to have waited on you myself, but my family being all down with the flux, I could not by any means leave them. Mr. James Harvey is extremely ill with it. I dispair of his ever recovering. Mrs. Blount, Mrs. Harvey and Ned Baker is extremely ill with it now. Upwards of twenty of my negroes hath had it, from Sir,

Your most obt. Servt.,

JACOB BLOUNT.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

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*Gov. P. Henry, of Virginia, to Gov. Caswell.*

Wmsburg, July 9th, 1777.

SIR:

I beg leave to mention the case of Mr. De la Porte, a French Gentleman, to your Excellency. He was given to understand that several Frenchmen might be recruited in your State, and set out from hence on that business. I am sorry to hear he is so unlucky as to get into a quarrel, the consequences of which I hear are serious. I shall esteem it a favor if you'll please take notice of him and render him any proper assistance.

With regard, I have the honor to be Sir,

Your Most Obt. Servant,

P. HENRY.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

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*Michael Payne to Gov. Casswell.*

Edenton, July 14, 1777.

SIR:

I rec'd pr post your letter with the Commissions, and am at a loss to know how to act, as you have not mentioned whether there's any-

thing to pay for them or not. I should take it as a very great favour if you would please to write me on that head, and oblige.

Your most obedt. hbl. Servt.,

MICHL PAYNE.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

*Lt. Col. Henry Irwin to Gov. Caswell.*

Tarborough, 16th July, 1777.

DR. SIR:

Being extremely unwell prevent my attending at Halifax. I am now got some better, and would wish your Excellency's permission to go all to the No'ward to join my Regiment, as I can't promise myself any advantage I can be of to the Army, staying here.

I am very sorry to inform you of too many evil persons in this and the neighboring Counties being joined in a most wicked Conspiracy; but am in hopes it may be stopped, as many have come in, and made all the discovery they know of. About 30 of them made an attempt on this place, but luckily I had about 25 men to oppose them. I disarmed the whole, and made many take the oath.

I am Dear Sir,

Your Excellency's most Obt. Servt.,

HENRY IRWIN.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

*Maj. J. B. Ashe to Gov. Caswell.*

Halifax, July 18th, 1777.

I have just now handed a return to Col. Williams, (of the 9th Battalion) agreeable to your Excellency's directions to him. You will no doubt be astonished and wonder that such a Vast arrear can be due that regiment. \*\*\*. I haven't any news to write your Excellency, only that one of the Royal Bloods of France (the Marquis de Lafayette) recommended by Mr. Franklin, passed this a few days since on his way to the Grand Army. I am with due respect,

Your Excellency's very obed't very h'ble Servant,

J. B. ASHE.

His Excellency Governor Caswell.

*Robert Smith to Gov. Caswell.*

Edenton, 19th July, 1777.

SIR:

I went up to Halifax the 10th of this present month, when I was given to believe I should have the honour of waiting on your Excel-

lency. I waited the 11th till night, when word came you would not be at Halifax before the 15th. I left a packet for your Excellency and Council, in the hands of Thomas Eáton, Esq., which, as you did not go to Halifax, I hope he forwarded. It concerned the Brig King Taminy which I have had fitted out, and she is now ready to take her cargo; indeed I ordered thirty Hhds of Tobacco to be put on board her, the sails overhauled, and the rigging set up. I req'd another person might be appointed in my room Commissioner of her, as there would be an impropriety in my acting as agent for the Congress and Com'r for the State; especially as the Congress were to become Charterer, they would necessarily expect I would make the best bargain for them I could, and this State would have an equal right on their part to expect it. I mentioned that I was willing to Charter the Brig, have her valued, and on account of Congress would insure her out and back, from Nants, Bordeaux or Port L'Orient and execute the Charter party, with your Excellency and the Council! or if you thought proper to appoint some person here I could execute it with them. As she now waits for your determination, the sooner it comes, the better.

I have the honor to be Your Excellency's Most obed &  
 Very h'ble Servt.,  
 ROB SMITH.

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*Will Hooper to Gov. Caswell.*

Tinian, July 21st, 1777.

SIR:

By the death of Capt. Forster who was appointed a Commissioner for the Washington Armed Vessel, it has become necessary that his place should be immediately supplied. As the Assembly have invested the Govr & Council with a power for this purpose, it becomes very interesting to the public that they should exercise it without delay. \*\*\*\*\* The Capt. of the Vessel informs me that Mr. Toomer will undertake the office of Commissioner. His character in point of industry and integrity is unsullied, and his capacity in the common affairs of life good; he is not a seaman by profession, but upon the whole, with his other good qualities, has the best pretensions, to it of any I know here who will accept the charge. I have heard that Capt. Ellis is not adverse to this office, but as he lives 12 or 14 miles from the town, I doubt it would be attended with inconvenience to himself and the public.

I am Sir, with greatest respect,  
 Your Excellency's Most obt. Servt.,  
 WILL HOOPER.

*Robt. Smith to Gov. Caswell.*

Edenton, 24th July, 1777.

SIR:

The last time I had the honor of addressing your Excellency was on the 19th instant, in which I mentioned my having been at Halifax, with the intention of meeting you and your Council to conclude what should be done about the armed Brig King Taminy which the General Assembly thought proper to appoint me Commissioner for. Since I received the resolve of the Assembly, I have done my best to have her fitted ready for sea, and have put the greatest part of her Cargo, to-wit, Tobacco on board, but am now stopped from proceeding any further, as I am ordered by the Assembly to load her out on Continental account and have her by Congress insured, and as I act for the secret Committee as agent, I can not with any degree of propriety, Value the Brig, ascertain the freight and make out a charty party. I therefore inclosed your Excellency the Copy of the Resolve of the Assembly, with the request you would either appoint one as the Commissioner for the King Taminy, or allow men of judgment to set such value on the vessel and freight for the month as you might think proper, and for you & the Council, I was willing to charter her and on account of the Congress I would insure her against all risque whatever.

It's true at both times I forgot to mention, and I would rather avoid it now, if I could, but, the Taminy must not stay, they grumble enough already *I mean the People*. But I now will venture, should you and your Council not incline to Charter to me, to name Mr. Chs Bondfield, Mr. Josiah Collins or Mr. John Smith, as men fit to be appointed or any of them Com'rs for the King Taminy. I think they would do justice, but am not sure whether they may act, tho' some of them I have no doubt will, and therefore it might be well to name them all or any of them. Your an'sr by return of this Express would much oblige me. I have the honor to be Sir,

Your obed't Servt.,

ROB SMITH.

To Gov. Caswell.

*Francis Brice to Governor Caswell.*

Wilmington, July 25, 1777.

SIR:

In the death of Mr. John Forster the public have lost a warm friend to American liberty, and the privateer Gen'l Washington is left without any one to procure the necessary articles for the Ship's

use, except the Captain who must purchase every material at a much larger price than a person particularly appointed for that purpose, as if one was nominated, he might get a quantity of necessaries together, which would come much more reasonable than buying out of the retail shops.

I was at a loss to mention to your Excellency as a proper person, for the undertaking, till I recollected Mr. Robert Ellis, to whom I mentioned the circumstances, and he will readily accept the appointment, should your Excellency and the Council confer it on him. Mr. Ellis has been accustomed to the sea from his youth & consequently pretty well acquainted with maritime affairs. I could wish your Excellency could order whoever is appointed, to replace the money advanced by Mr. Forster since his settlement at Newbern; If you should I shall take care to have the acc'ts properly attested. The warrant your Excellency sent him by me I have in my possession.

I am your Excellency's h'ble Servant,  
FRANCIS BRICE.

P. S. I am told Mr. Toomer will also act as Commissioner for the Washington, provided he was appointed. Mr. Toomer is a very active, stirring man, he also knows something of shipping, and I make no doubt but he would fill that Vacancy with Credit to himself and benefit to the public. I don't presume to recommend either of these Gent. to your Excellency. I only mention them as the only two would undertake the business.

Your Excellency's H'ble Servant,  
FRANCIS BRICE.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

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*Richard Peters, Secretary, to Gov. Caswell.*

War Office, July 22d, 1777.

SIR:

I am directed by the Board of War to inform you that Congress have taken into Continental pay as part of the Quota of Troops to be raised by the State of North Carolina; the Artillery Company of the State. You will be pleased to inform the Officers commanding the Company of his being received into Continental Service and that Congress direct him forthwith to proceed and join General Washington. I have the honor to be your very Obed. Serv't,

RICHARD PETERS, Secretary.

P. S. I have had the honor of receiving no list of officers appointed in No. Carolina in the Continental Reg'ts with their ranks and dates of Commissions, as desired in a former letter.

*Thos. Craike to Governor Caswell.*

Halifax, July 23rd, 1777.

SIR:

I was this day preparing to send off the Powder ordered for the Magazines at Salisbury and Washington Districts, Col. Long having provided a wagon for that purpose; but from the intelligence we have rec'd from the Counties of Chatham, Guilford and Orange, I thought it necessary to consult with Col. Williams and Col. Long, who are of my opinion that it would be too great a risque to forward it till we are better informed of the intentions of these people. I have had the powder all started and put in good order, and shall wait on your Excellency's orders by the return of the express.

I am your Excellency's most Obed, h'ble Servt.,

THOS. CRAIKE, D. C. S. S.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

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*Gov. Caswell to Robt. Smith.*

Dobbs, 27th July, 1777.

DEAR SIR:

Your several letters of the 19th and 24th curr't I have received, but cannot, without the advice of the Council, do anything respecting the subject matter of them. The Council is to meet at Kingston the 4th of August next, when I will lay those letters before them, and if you think proper to send out then, I shall be able to inform you the result of the Council. I have much business on hand at present. You will therefore be pleased to excuse my not writing particularly to you and Mr. Benbury, assure yourself that every step in my power shall be taken to secure Mr. Brimage, and the other matters recommended in your letters shall be properly attended to by

Dr. Sir Your Most Obe't Serv't,

RICHARD CASWELL.

Robt. Smith, Esq.

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*John Ancrum to Gov. Caswell.*

Wilmington, 27th July, 1777.

May it please Your Excellency,

This will be handed you by Capt. Ingram, at pres't Com'r of the Washington, &c.

I have the honor to be your Excellency's Obe. Servt.,

JOHN ANCRUM.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.



*Capt. John Vance to Gov. Caswell.*

Fort Forster, July 29th, 1777.

SIR:

I take this opportunity to send my return, & likewise Capt. Ingram's return; I should been in myself, but I was alarmed by these dam rascals, the Torys. We are few in number but high in Spirits. I have sent your Excellency and the honorable Council a new projected Tory pudding with the plums in one end. I hope your Honour will approve of it. I have likewise sent your Honour a memorandum of materials wanting for the Artillery. We are very impatient for our paymaster, if your Excellency please to appoint Mr. Harry Toomer pay master of the Company; Sir, we are at present destitute of a Doctor. I have got one of my own appointing I likewise been under of a necessity of appointing officers to keep Decorum in Camp, for if I had not arrived in camp just as I did the Company would have been totally broke up. I have with a good deal of fatigue got them in good decorum once more. Money is our greatest object at present. I hope your Honours will approve the officers nominated by me, Mr. Phillip Jones 3d Lieut., Mr. John Cureton Vance, Jr., Lieut. fireworker. Sir, I have inclosed in the letter the proceedings of the Court Martial held on Mr. John Allen.

Sir, I remain your humble Servant,

JOHN VANCE.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

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*Robert Smith to Gov. Caswell.*

Edenton, 31st July, 1777.

DEAR SIR:

Your most obliging favours of the 27th by Egan, I had the honor to receive yesterday and am really sorry nothing could be done about the Taminy as she is now fully loaded and I suffer greatly as the whole blame of her detention seems by the people laid to my door. It is with real concern I observe your Excellency will once be under the disagreeable necessity of turning out to restore order in your Government and you have my most earnest prayers for your success, nothing I can do shall be wanting to help bring help about so desirable an end. Should Col. Dange with his men call, he shall have every necessary can be had for him, as well arms as provisions, and the two Field Pieces, but from the best information we can obtain our neighbors in Martin, upper end of Tyrrell and Bertie, are not like long to be quiet. We had them placed to guard the Magazine with a strong guard constantly kept up, the readiness of the Country as well as

the Militia of this Town to perform this service I can not omit mentioning with great pleasure and with no less satisfaction. *I can inform your Excellency we have never yet had reason to doubt any person in this County, Perquimans, Pasquotank or Currituck having any hand in the Conspiracy at least none are yet impeached or even suspected.* Last night Mr. Brimage was brought under guard to this Town from New Inlet and was committed to gaol. He with one Smith got acquainted with a Certain Campbell, as he called himself, who said he was Lieut of a man of war, and were endeavoring to get on board of the ships at Virginia the two former were taken, the latter stole a boat and made his escape. Smith is bound over. I would now send your Excellency a Copy of the depositions with proceedings thereon, but have really not time to have them copied. I saw some time ago I think about the middle of June last a letter to your Excellency from Mr. Bondfield with his resignation as Judge Associate of the Court of Oyer. We shall have many unhappy devils to take their trial for their life next Oyer Court and as I have not seen any new Commission I must confess I feel myself deeply interested in this matter. Your Excellency will see and I dare say View the present situation of this Country in as deplorable a light as I do—an exasperated Jury and a Lay Judge, my God! What may we not expect, Law should be strictly attended to, severity exercised, but the doors of mercy should never be shut—would a good Lawyer act at this time, I am convinced it would be a great means of giving dignity to Courts, strength to the Law, and restoring union to this distracted Country. Had the Assembly thought proper last time to have appointed Mr. Johnston he assured me then he would have acted, on that subject I have not of late conversed with him.

I have the Honor to be,

Your Excellency's Most Obedt & very Hble Servt.,

ROB. SMITH.

To Governor Caswell.

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*Robt. Smith to Gov. Caswell.*

Edenton, July 31st, 1777.

SIR:

This letter you will receive by the hands of Mr. Millen, a Merchant of this place, he is a Gent'n for whom I have ever entertained a friendship and who has ever supported a good character; but from the alteration of times, wants to depart the Country. He was cited under the Act of Assembly to appear next Court to take the Oath, and come before me and engaged he would make his appearance—

he has now a vessel almost ready to sail in which he wants to take his passage, and would be glad, were it consistent with the line of your Excellency's duty, to have permission to do so. His Capt. one James Ferguson who has sailed and served, in Mr. Hewes employ and mine these ten years and behaved well, has been out and brought in salt since these disputes began, and was intended to go on the same errand again, hath been cited and stands in the same predicament with Mr. Millen. I do not know how far their case may differ from the others, or whether their departure might not satisfy the law—this I submit to your Excellency. Could they with propriety have liberty to depart I should be exceedingly happy. I now once for the whole beg your pardon for the freedoms of this morning and have the honor to be

Your Excellency's most Obed. & very Hble Servt.,  
ROB. SMITH.

P. S. Should you have any papers from Council to forward Mr. Millen\* will be a safe hand. The Court's Laws are exceedingly wanted.

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*Robt. Smith to Gov. Caswell.*

Edenton, 31 July, 1777.

SIR:

The bearer, Mr. Alexander Gelatly, I have been well acquainted for a number of years. He has acted here as Register, and in several other Capacities, in all of which he discharged his duty well and faithfully. He is and ever since I knew him has been a most inoffensive character, and a very useful one. He carries certificates from the Clerk of this County for John Weir, Alexander Clarke, William Knight, James McClain and John Baggs and James Henderson who were all cited last Court to take the oath. They chose rather to leave the country than to do so. They, some of them did not come under the Act of Assembly. I believe and considered themselves pointed at. They are all men who have supported very fair characters, have ever been peaceful citizens and borne their share of all public duties assigned them, but refused the oath of Government, and therefore entered into a recognizance to leave the country agreeable to Act of Assembly—the time is near out, and

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\* Alexander Millen was not a Tory, he was however a Loyalist, and from the records appears as a gentleman of strict integrity and high character. He died in Edenton the last of April, 1807; his will is on record in the office in Edenton, and made numerous bequests to persons living in the Town; his relatives are mentioned in the will and the major part of his estate bequeathed to them; they resided in Gloscur, North Britain. Mr. Millen is buried in St. Paul's Cemetery, Edenton. He left a legacy to the Edenton Academy.

they wait your Excellency for your permission that they may depart the Country. However different Mr. Gelatly's political opinions may be from mine, I think I can answer for the integrity of his heart, and I do believe he acts from principle. Anything your Excellency can do consistent with the line of your duty to facilitate the departure of him and the others on whose behalf he appears would be conferring a favor on your Excellency.

Most obed. & very Hble Serv't,  
ROB SMITH.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

*Gov. Caswell to General Skinner.*

Dobbs, 6th August, 1777

DEAR SIR:

I have this day received from the Continental Treasury for the use of this State three Hundred thousand dollars, and as I wish the Troops to be immediately paid off that they may proceed to the No'ward I am to request you will come out to my house in this county, where the money is lodged, to receive your proportion, as soon as you possibly can. I shall immediately send an express to Gen. Ashe, and imagine both you and he will be here by this day week.

I am, &c.,  
RICHARD CASWELL.

*Robt. Smith to Governor Caswell.*

Edenton, 13th August, 1777.

SIR:

The politeness of your last address I ought more fully now to acknowledge, had I time to do it, but as I did not before this moment of the Brigadier's setting out. I have not time to mention any more than that I am extremely distressed about the King Taminy. 'heaven, I do not know what to do. Were she mine I would have burnt her long ago, rather than had the complaints on me she has occasioned. For God's sake believe me.

Genl. Skinner will inform you of the situation of Dauge. I have done and shall do all in my power to further his march. Your Excellency will likewise be informed of Legate's being now secure in our Gaol, &c., &c. I have the honor to be,

Your Excellency's Most Obed. Ser'vt,  
ROB SMITH.

*General Isaac Gregory to Governor Caswell.*

Camden County, 19th August, 1777.

SIR:

Mr. James Ferebee being appointed 2nd Major in the Camden Reg't of Militia, he being put over every Capt. in the Reg't thought it might be disagreeable, gave his Com'd up, and it was agreed on in our Court Martial that Mr. John Gray should have that Com'n as being the oldest Capt.; therefore I trouble you, if you think proper, to send a Commission to him. Col. Dauge will take care to bring or send it over. The news here is that there is two hundred sail of shipping in Chesapeake Bay, expected to be part of Lord Howe's fleet.

I am Sir, with due respect,  
ISAAC GREGORY.

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*President John Hancock to Gov. Caswell.*

Philadelphia, August 22d, 1777.

SIR:

The Congress having received intelligence from Virginia, that the fleet of the enemy were seen near the Capes of the Chesapeake, on the 15th inst., and not knowing what may be their views upon the Southern Coast, have come to the esteemed Resolve, earnestly recommending to you to have all the Naval and Military Stores removed, with the utmost expedition, to places of greater security.

I have the pleasure to congratulate you on the success of Gen'l Stark, who commanded a party of two thousand mostly militia, in the Northern Department. For the particulars I beg leave to refer you to the enclosed printed account.

I have the honor to be with greatest respect, Sir,

Your most obed't h'ble Servt.,

JOHN HANCOCK,  
Presid't

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*Gov. Caswell to Robt. Smith.*

Dobbs, 27th July, 1777.

DEAR SIR:

Since writing to you this morning I am induced to believe from information I have received from the Westward, that the Tories there have been some time assembling under pretence of going to Cross Creek to take Salt there stored, but I rather fear they will attempt to get possession of our Magazine at Cape Fear? Col. Williams with the Continental Troops which were at Halifax, are on their March against them, and I shall order Col. Sheppard's Battalion to join him, but as they are new recruits and without arms, I must beg,

if you can furnish 300 stand, to send them out by Col. Dauge's recruits, who are ordered immediately out, and also the Two Field Pieces Mr. Hewes had bro't in for public use, with every appendage thereto, and other warlike instruments you may think we shall stand in need of, which will not too much retard the march of their Troops.

I am, &c.,

Robert Smith, Esq.

RICHARD CASWELL.

*Joseph Blount, Robt. Smith and Chas. Bondfield to Gov. Caswell.*

Edenton, N. C., Sept. 30th, 1777.

SIR:

It now from the following circumstances becomes our duty to inform your Excellency that the Prisoner under the condemnation of death and reprimed by your Excellency and your Council 'till the meeting of the next General Assembly, as well as many others now Confined in our jail charged with Criminal Offences, many of them have been found guilty by the grand jury for this District for Misprison of Treason, who from the ill repair the said jail is now in and the impossibility of making it at any rate safe, without a Guard may with the utmost ease make their escape, at whatever time they please, and bid defiance to the Laws they have violated by the determination and verdict of their Country. Our County and Town have hitherto guarded the jail and Magasine which the Commanding Officer in concert with them thought necessary, never doubting but the charge would be made a general one, as equally interesting to the whole State. But as some Reports have lately prevailed that the Charges already due and arisen for keeping a guard for the purposes before mentioned, will not be allowed without a sanction from your Excellency and Council, the guard refused to do any further duty, and the Magasine which is of the utmost consequence, as well as the jail, are now for want of a Guard exposed to the bad designs of any Villain. We conceive by the Constitution you have full power of and the ordering the Militia vested in you, we think it proper to desire of your Excellency that you would with the advice of your Council, give orders to the Commanding Officer of the Militia to order such a guard to be kept as he may think sufficient for the preservation of the Magasine & the safe keeping the jail, and we do assure your Excellency that the stores at present in the Magasine in this Town are of too much Consequence to be neglected.

We are your Excellency's Most Obt. Servts.,

JOSEPH BLOUNT,  
ROB. SMITH,  
CHAS. BONDFIELD.

*Sam'l Johnston to Gov. Caswell.*

Hayes, 1st October, 1777.

DEAR SIR:

The Bearer Mr. Alexander Black, waits on your Excellency to procure a safe conduct for himself and some others, who are about to leave this State under the late Act of Assembly. I take the liberty to recommend them to your Excellency as men of fair character and inoffensive in their conduct, and therefore hope to experience your wanted Candour and humanity in Expediting the necessary passports. I found myself under a necessity of declining to act as Judge of the Court of Oyer. All the Bar concurred in my opinion.

Enclosed are the last papers. I would have wished to have sent you more particular accounts, but none such are come to hand, which makes me fear there is nothing good for us. I tremble for Philadelphia.

I hope to hear by the return of the bearer, that you & your family are perfectly recovered, be pleased to present my most respectful Compliments to Mrs. Caswell and be, with the greatest respect and esteem Sir,

Your Excellency's most Obt. Servant,  
SAM'L JOHNSTON.

*Gen. Washington's Letter to Hon. John Hancock.*

Camp at Pennibacker's Mill, 5th October, 1777.

SIR:

Having received intelligence thro' two intercepted letters, that Genl. Howe had detached a part of his force for the purpose of reducing Belling's Fort, and the Forts on Delaware, I communicated the accounts to My General Officers, who were unanimously of the opinion that a favorable opportunity offered to make an attack upon the Troops, which were at or near Germantown. It was accordingly agreed that it should take place yesterday morning, and the following dispositions were made. The Divisions of Sullivan and Wayne flanked by Conway's brigade were to enter the town by the way of Chestnut Hill, while Gen'l Armstrong with the Pennsylvania Militia should fall down by the Manatawny road by Vandering's Mill and get upon the Enemy's left and rear. The divisions of Green and Stephen's flanked by McDougall's Brigade were to enter by taking a circuit by way of the Lime Kiln Road at the Market House, and to attack their right wing, and the Militia of Maryland and Jersey, under Genls. Smallwood and Foreman were to march by the Old

York road and fall upon the rear of their right. Lord Sterling with Nash and Maxwell's Brigade was to form a Corps-de-Reserve. We marched about 7 o'clock the preceding evening and Gen'l Sullivan's advance party drawn from Conway's Brigade attacked the Picket at Mount Airy on Mrs. Allen's house about sunrise the next morning which presently gave way, and his Main body consisting of the right wing following soon engaged the Light Infantry and other Troops encamped near the Picket which they forced from their Ground leaving their baggage. They retreated a Considerable distance having previously thrown a party in Mr. Chew's house, who were in a situation not to be easily forced, and had it in their power from the windows to give us no small annoyance, and in great measure to obstruct our advance.

The attack from our left Column under Gen. Green began about  $\frac{3}{4}$  of an hour after that upon our right, and was for some time equally successful, but I cannot enter upon the particulars of what happened in that quarter, as I am not informed of them with sufficient certainty & precision. The morning was extremely foggy, which prevented our improving the advantage we gained as well as we should otherwise have done—this circumstance by concealing from us the true situation of the enemy obliged us to act with more caution and less Expedition than we could have wished and gave the enemy time to recover from the effects of our first impression, and what was still more unfortunate, it served to keep our different parties in ignorance of each others movements and hindered their acting in concert. It also occasioned them to mistake one another for the enemy, which I believe more than anything else contributed to the misfortune which ensued. In the midst of the most promising appearances, when everything gave the most flattering hopes of Victory, the Troops began Suddenly to retreat and entirely left the field in spite of every effort that could be made to rally them. Upon the whole, it may be said the day was rather unfortunate than injurious. We sustained no material loss of men, and brought off all our Artillery except one piece which was dismounted.

The Enemy are nothing better for the event, and our Troops, who are not in the least dispirited by it, have gained what all young Troops gain by being in action.

We have had, however several valuable officers killed and wounded, particularly the latter, Gen. Nash was among the latter and his life is despaired of. As soon as it is possible to obtain a return of our loss, I will transmit it. In justice to Gen. Sullivan and the whole right wing of the Army, whose conduct I had an opportunity of observing as they acted immediately under my eye, I have the



pleasure to inform you, that both officers and men behaved with a degree of gallantry that did them the highest honor.

I have the Honor to be with the greatest respect, &c.

G. WASHINGTON.

P. S. As I have observed, I have not received a return of our loss but from what Gen. Green informs me, I fear it is more considerable than I at first apprehended it to be. The Cannon mentioned above is said to have been brought off in a wagon.

To Hon. John Hancock, Esq.

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*Hon. J. Penn to Gov. Caswell.*

Pennsylvania, York Town, Oct. 10th, 1777.

SIR:

On the 4th Instant about six in the morning General Washington attacked Genl. Howe's Army in different places, the enemy were surprised and drove everywhere for three hours. Our Troops behaved with great Courage, and to their honor tho' they passed thro the enemy's Camp where their Tents were full of Cloth and other things, yet none stopt to plunder, Gen'l Howe was so alarmed that it is said that Chester was pitched upon as the place for his army to retreat to, but unfortunately at that instant two of our Columns mistook each other for enemies, and both returned in such haste that there was no such thing as rallying the men. This was owing to a very great fog, that lasted until after the Battle which continued until nine o'clock besides there was no air to carry off the smoke of the Guns so that a man could not see 50 yards.

The enemy were astonished at our retreat as they looked upon everything as lost with them, they give Gen'l Washington great credit for the manner of his attack, as they often tried but never could flank us, we brought away all our Cannon and nearly all our wounded. Poor Gen'l Nash was killed by a Cannon ball with his horse. His brigade was to act with a Corpse-de-Reserve. I believe very few of our troops were engaged from what I hear, and that our worthy Genl. was killed at a great distance by mere accident, he was highly esteemed in the army. It is said Col. Buncombe & Col. Erwin are taken prisoners by being lame tho' not wounded. Your son I am told is very well indeed. The above are all I can hear of that belonged to North Carolina that suffered. We have no return yet of our killed and wounded, it is supposed to consist of about 700. The accounts given by different persons make the Enemy's loss to be very considerable, they say that near 300 wagon loads of their wound-

ed were sent to the Barracks of Philadelphia, and that Gen'l Howe refused to let the Citizens walk on the field, before the dead were taken care of. Gen'l Agnew is dead. Sir William Erskine wounded in the head, supposed to be since dead, and a very large number of others killed and wounded. As soon as we get returns, I will transmit them to Carolina. General Washington has had a considerable reinforcement from Virginia and elsewhere, since the Battle. I hope he will give Howe another stroke before we lose possession of the river Delaware, which would ruin him. Our men are in high Spirits on finding they can make the enemy's best troops run by attacking them with courage, and are sensible now if they had rallied or not have been surprised in the manner above mentioned, that Genl. Howe and his whole Army would have been ruined. Our affairs to the Northward are in a good way, I hope soon to have it in my power to write you that Burgoyne and his Troops are in our hands. Enclosed is a letter from Buchanan, Commissary Genl relative to the Pork you mentioned.

Please inform Mr. Nash that I will endeavor to have proper care taken of the Genl's effects for the benefit of his family. I wrote in a very great hurry to him two days ago yesterday requesting he would shew you the letter, must now request your Excellency would communicate this to Mr. Nash.

I am with due respect,

Your Obt. Servt.,

J. PENN.

Since writing this letter I am told that Gen. Washington is marching towards Philadelphia, to give Genl. Howe another attack, his men are in high spirits, we are still in possession of the River. Miss Lucy Leonard a young lady lately out of the city, says the British officers have long faces, and declare that they have not had such a drubbing since Bunker Hill, that the city appears to be in mourning, the cry of the Tories was that they must leave the town with Genl. Howe, that all the Hospitals with several empty houses could not contain their wounded, that Genls. Agnew, Grant, Kniphausen, and Sir William Erskine had died of their wounds. Your son is well. I am told that Genl. Nash was wounded in the beginning a great way off by accident, as he could not be seen. A gentleman informs he was so ill as to make any assistance unnecessary, and that he left him Monday at the last gasp.

I am yours, &c.,

JOHN PENN.

Genl. Nash was buried Oct. 9, 1777.

*Letter from Chas. Bondfield to Gov. Caswell.*

Edenton, 8th Nov., 1777.

SIR:

On receiving your Excellency's Commission appointing me Commissioner for fitting out armed Vessels at the Port of Edenton, I drew on William Skinner, Esq., Treasurer of the Northern District for the sum of One Thousand Pounds, which Mr. Robert Smith told me, I was by a Resolve of the Assembly empowered to do, as I had not at that time seen the Resolve, and Mr. Smith told me he had, I took it for granted that I was acting right. Mr. Skinner advanced the money on my order, since which it appears that I should have had a warrant from your Excellency on the Treasury for what money I should want for that purpose, as there was at that time several demands against the King Taminy and more daily accruing, and I not being furnished with the Resolve of the Assembly to know in what manner to act, will I hope excuse me for not applying to your Excellency for a warrant sooner, which you will be so good as to give to Mr. Skinner who has my receipt for the money.

I have chartered the Brig King Taminy to Messrs. Hewes and Smith, on account of the Congress, a copy of the Charter party and an account of the disbursements, I shall furnish your Excellency with by Mr. Hewes when he goes for New bern.

I am your Excellency's most Obdt. Servt.,  
CHAS. BONDFIELD.

*James Blount's Letter to Gov. Caswell.*

Edenton, Dec. 3d, 1777.

SIR:

I've received your letter by express bearing date Nov. the twentieth, 1777. The contents of which shall, as far as is in my power, be complied with. I've a guard now of twenty-eight. My orders to the Captains are for thirty, but between twenty and thirty appear if your Excellency should think such a guard insufficient I shall be glad of further orders. (The Town Company is ordered to appear on an alarm, so that they are excused only on exigencies) without anything should happen more than we know of, perhaps the guard and Company before mentioned may be sufficient. A Dutchman from Maryland, has raised the price of salt, within a few days to fourteen dollars, which enrages the Country people in this place. There was a Deserter from the Fourth Regiment sent here by Mr. George Little from Hertford County, which he wrote was by your Excellency's orders (the letter was directed to Gen'l Skinner or me) therefore

shall be glad to know what to do with him and any others that may come. Genl. Skinner will show your Excellency Mr. Little's letter.

From Sir, Your most respectful hum'l Servant,  
JAMES BLOUNT.

The foregoing letters are all taken from the Governor's letter book in the Executive office at Raleigh, N. C.

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AN ACT FOR ASCERTAINING THE BOUNDARY LINE  
BETWEEN TYRRELL AND BEAUFORT COUNTIES  
AND BETWEEN EDGECOMBE AND TYRRELL  
AND BEAUFORT COUNTIES PASSED BY  
THE ASSEMBLY IN 1741.

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I. Whereas Disputes daily arise between the Inhabitants of Tyrrell, Beaufort and Edgecombe Counties, by Reason the Boundary Line between Tyrrell and Beaufort Counties, and between Tyrrell and Edgecombe Counties are not sufficiently ascertained and known; by Means of which Uncertainty, the Inhabitants within the Disputed Bounds refuse to pay their Public and Parish Levies to any of the Collectors of the said Levies of Either of said Counties; For Remedy, whereof.

II. We pray that it may be Enacted and be it Enacted, by his Excellency Gabriel Johnston, Esq., Governor, &c., and it is hereby Enacted by the authority of the same. That each of the County Courts of Tyrrell, Edgecombe and Beaufort, shall appoint one Person, who shall settle and run the Boundary Line between Tyrrell and Edgecombe Counties, and between part of Edgecombe and Beaufort Counties in Manner following: that is to say: The said Commissioners shall begin at the Upper Corner Tree of Jenkin Henry's line on the South side of Roanoke River, and from thence, run a direct line to the mouth of Cheek's Mill Creek, on Tar River; and the said Commissioners, as soon as the said line is finished, shall, under their Hands, return the Courses thereof into each of the Courts of the aforesaid Counties, which shall be recorded by the Clerks of the said Several Courts. And the said line so run, shall for ever after, be deemed the Boundary Line between Tyrrell and Edgecombe Counties and between Edgecombe and Beaufort Counties, from Tyrrell as far as the Tar River.

III. And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid. That the Flat Swamp which heretofore, was the Boundary of Albemarle and Bath Counties, shall, to the Head of the said Swamp, and from the head thereof, by a direct Line to the aforesaid Line between Tyr-

rell and Edgecombe Counties, for ever, be the Boundary Line between Tyrrel and Beaufort Counties.

IV. And for defraying the charge of running the said Line, Be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid; That each of the County Courts of Beaufort, Tyrrell and Edgecombe, be, and are hereby empowered, to lay a Poll-Tax, not exceeding the Sum of Four Pence, proclamation money, per Tithable, upon the Inhabitants of their respective Counties, and shall cause the same to be levied in the same manner the Public Taxes are levied; and shall, out of the Money arising by the said Tax, pay and Satisfy their respective Commissioners, for their Trouble and Charges expended, in running the aforesaid Boundary Lines. And after paying and satisfying the Commissioners for their trouble and Charges, each County Court shall apply the Money remaining, if any be, to the use of the County when such tax is collected.

(Compendium of Laws by James Davis, 1752. Pages 137 and 138.)

## DIVISION OF ESTATES (CHOWAN CO., N. C.).

Arnell, Edward, 1777. William, John, Edward and Richard Arnell, Elizabeth Norfleet, Pleasant Knight, Bathsheba and Esther Arnell.

Amiss, Thomas and Wm. Gilmore, Exrs. of Alex Black, 1791. Heirs Augustine Willis and Wm. Alex Black.

Allen Hugh, 1756. Jno. Lynch md. the widow. Joshua, John, George, Alice, Mary and Sarah Allen.

Adams, Peter, 1741. Sarah Adams widow. John Adams.

Briggs, Richard, 1764. Solomon, James, Richard, Moses, Zilpha and Christina Briggs.

Blanchard, Benj., 1763. Widow Sarah, Uriah, Robert, Reuben & Absalom Blanchard, Christian Hinton, Judeth Hinton, Elizabeth Barnes, Bethany Bond, Milleson and Absol Blanchard.

Blanchard Micajah, 1769. Widow, William, Micajah, Abner, Mary, Elizabeth and Christian Blanchard.

Bond, Ilance (prior to 1750). Widow Sarah Bond, Henry and Demsey Bond.

Beasley, James, 1754. Mary Woolard mother of said James, John Beasley, Mary Payne (wife of Peter), Thos. Beasley.

Benton, John, 1757. John Benton, Thomas Winborne & wife Sarah, John Hare and wife Priscilla.

John Beasley's wife sister to the children of Geo. Liles (1754).

Blanchard, Zilpha, widow of Aaron, James Sumner md. Mary one of sd Aaron's daughters. (Not dated.)

Blanchard, Absalom, 1758. Joseph Wimberly, Josiah, Benjamin, Elizabeth, Catharine, Chloe and Sarah Blanchard.

Bonner, Richard, 1781. Thos. Bonner, Wm. Roberts, Sr., Liles Roberts, Henry Bonner, Sarah Roberts, Elizabeth Roberts, Wm. Roberts, Jr., Miriam and Penelope Roberts.

Badham, William, 1781. Mrs. Mary Badham, Mrs. Martha White (wife of Luke), Elizabeth Badham, Mary Badham.

Bains, John, Colson, 1781. George Bains, Thos. Brinkley, Miss Ann Bains.

Boyd, William. Miriam Boyd, John Mare, Wm. Bennett & wife.

Bush, David, 1765. Widow, John Bush, Peter O'Neal, Josebed, Rachel, Michal and Sarah Bush.

Bonner, William, 1775. Thomas, Henry and Richard Bonner.

Barnes, Richard and Mary (1759). Thomas Barnes, Richard Hamilton and wife Rachel Barnes, Joseph Brady and wife Lydia Barnes, Prudence Barnes, Est. of Mary Barnes as above and further Edward Vann and wife Mary daughter of Mary Barnes, Alex Carter and wife Ann (do), Abraham Odom and wife (do), John Thompson and wife Sarah (do).

Bacchus, John, 1770. Elizabeth Bacchus, Jesse Copeland, Edith Bacchus, Tamar and Wm. Bacchus.

Bond, Lewis, 1762. Richard Bond, father's and his part of his sister Sarah's Estate, Wm. Bond, Elizabeth Bond & John Bond.

Butler, Christopher, 1763. Sam'l Dunscombe, Mary, Jacob and Sarah Butler.

Blount, John (son of John), 1763. James, Fred'k, Elizabeth, Wilson, Martha and Mary Blount.

Byrum, Gideon, 1776. Christian Stallings, Isaac Byrum, James and Absalom Byrum.

Byrum, Jonas, 1795. Peninah Hollowell, Rachel Ward and Esther Byrum.

Baines, George, 1797. Catharine Baines (widow), Lemuel, John, Ann, Rebecca, Lovey and Samuel Baines.

Blount, Edmund, widow Mary. Richard Benbury and wife, Elizabeth Blount, Ann Blount, Edmund, Richard and Martha Blount. (no date).

Benbury, Wm. 1796. Sarah Leary, Rachel Hare (wife of Mar-maduke), John Haughton and wife, Tamer and Chas Haughton.

Blount, Edmund, 1797. Charles Blount, Sarah Benbury, Wm. Blount.

Bond, William, 1787. Jameson, Charity, Mary and Margaret Bond.

Brownrigg, Richard, 1783. Sarah Brownrigg, Thomas Brown-

rigg, Mary Blackstock, John and Jane Brownrigg, Mrs. Sarah Meredith (widow of Richard B.).

Black, Saml., 1788. Mrs. Elizabeth Clarkson, Wm. McDonald in right of his wife Dorothy Black.

Black, Frances, 1785. Mrs. Elizabeth Clarkson, Wm. McDonald in right of his wife Dorothy Black.

Bond, Richard, 1788. Mrs. Bond, Sarah, Rebecca, John and Richard Bond.

Blanchard, Aaron, 1758. Widow, Aaron B., Jr., Moses B., Mary Sumner and Sarah Blanchard.

Beasley, James, 1742. Widow, John, James, Mary and Thos. Beasley (his children).

Butler, Sarah (daughter of Jacob), 1754. Christopher Butler and Jacob Simons.

Boyd, Mariam, orphan of Rev. John Boyd, 1752.

Bagley, Mary, 1833. Miles Elliott and wife Frances, Jeremiah and Wm. Newborn, Nathan Parker, Lawrence and John Newborn, 2-7 to Henry and Obadiah Badham.

Beasley, Rebecca, 1833. Elizabeth Creecy, John Beasley, Lemuel Pettijohn, Valentine Beasley, Fred'k Creecy, Jacob Eason, Robt. Beasley.

Blount, Edmund, (1804). Heirs Chas. W. and Wm. Blount, Jos. C. Benbury and wife Sarah, Richard Benbury and wife, Edmund Hoskins and wife, Richard Blount and Martha Blount. Edmund, brother of the above named heirs died in 1804.

Bennett, John B., brother of William, petitioned for division in 1804.

Burket, Lemuel, 1808. Children, Sarah, William and King, wife Sarah.

Bains, Mary, widow of George, 1808.

Beasley, Thomas, 1795. Martha, Elizabeth, Samuel and Joseph Beasley, James and Joseph Ming.

Bunch, Julius, 1799. Solomon, Malachi and Julius Bunch, Sarah Hains, Marion, Meriam and Abigail Bunch.

Bains, George, 1798. Widow Sarah, John, Lemuel, Ann, Catharine, Lovey and Samuel.

Bains, Ann, 1803 & 1804. Heirs of George Bains, viz: John, Lemuel, Lavinia and Samuel Bains, James McCabe and wife.

Bains, Sarah, 1804. Sarah, Lemuel, John, Lavinia and Saml. Bains, James H. McCabe and wife, Jno. Powell and wife.

Bartie, Elizabeth (her 1st husband Thos. Charlton), 1804. Children Charles, William and Nancy Charlton, Edward Haughton, Eli Bartie, Gdn.

Badham, John, 1817. Sarah Badham, Henry and John Hubbel sons William and Myles Badham.

Beasley, Martha, Admx of Thomas Beasley.

Burke, Arnold, 1817. Elizabeth, Moses, Arnold and Elisha Burke.

Lydia, Bennett md. — Fleetwood, Susan Bennett md. — Hunter.

Barnes, George, 1812. John and Lemuel Bains.

Blount, Joseph (1810). Mrs. Ann Blount, Henderson Standin and wife Frances Lee Blount, Sarah E. Blount, afterwards Morgan, Elizabeth A. Blount (mother of Rev. Jos. Blount Cheshire, D. D., late of Tarboro, N. C.), Elenor Blount and Joseph Blount.

Bush, Wm., 1807. Henry Hurdle and wife Sarah, 1-5 part.

Burket, Lem'l, 1809. Widow Sarah, children Wm., Sarah and King.

Bains, George, 1802. John, Lemuel and Anne Bains children of George Dec'd.

Bateman, Nehemiah and John. Ann Moseley daughter of John Bateman, Thos. Bateman, Sarah Ward, James, Whitmell, John and Wm. Bateman, Hester Vere Cropper, Thomas Vere's children, William Vere's children.

Bennett, William, 1805. Lydia Bennett the eldest (widow), William Roberts and wife, John Boyd Bennett, Edward Bennett, Lydia Bennett, Susannah Bennett, Henry P. Bennett, Margaret and Sarah Bennett.

Brinn, (1805). James Brinn, Job Chappell and wife Ann, Jesse White and wife Elizabeth, Sarah and Charity Brinn.

Blanchard, Micajah, 1804. William Blanchard, Matilda Blanchard and her child Micajah Blanchard.

Bufkin, Ralph, 1772. Widow Sarah, Edith and Elizabeth Bufkin.

Bartie, Robert, 1811. Robert and Elizabeth Bartie and heirs of Arthur Bartie.

Borritz, William, 1810. James and John Borritz.

Bateman, John, 1808. Thomas and James Bateman, James Ward and wife Sarah.

Burke, Arnold S., 1810. Henry Riddick and wife, 4 other heirs not mentioned.

Blount, Jacob, 1808. Nancy Blount and Elizabeth Blount.

Beasley, John, 1807. George, Francis and Robert Beasley.

Benbury, Richard Genl., 1808. Children, Elizabeth, Mary, Penelope, Thomas and Richard Whitaker Benbury.

Beasley, James, 1742. Widow, sons John and James, daughter Mary and son Thomas.

Benbury, Wm. and Mary Bryer were married Jan'y 16, 1755. Miles Gale and John Benbury sureties to the bond.



Bateman, Nehemiah, 1791. Son John, Allen Ramsey.

Byrum, James, 1793. Isaac Byrum, widow, Christian Stallings, Gideon Byrum, James and Absalom Byrum.

Beasley, John Baptist, 1792. John Beasley, Mrs. Martha Ryan, Mrs. Beasley, Joseph Beasley, Mary Beasley and Frederick Beasley.

Boulton, Jonathan, 1794. Daughters Fanny, Elizabeth and Anna Boulton, widow Fanny Boulton, son Benjamin Boulton.

Blount, Lemuel, (no date). Wilbur Littlejohn, Wm. Reed and Joseph Blount, Wm. Reed, his half brother and Wm. Littlejohn's wife Sarah, his half sister.

Bond, Charity, 1791. Daughter Margaret, Michal Coffield gives her part to Margaret.

Brinn, John, 1775. John, Joseph, Mary, Jesse, Amy, Josiah and Ann Brinn.

Bonner, Ann Miss, 1774. Mrs. Thompson, Mr. Theach H. Standin.

Byrum, Bryan, 1772. Widow Christian, Isaac, Joel, Rachel and Phebe Bryan.

Blanchard, Robert, (1778). Aaron Blanchard, Sr., Demsy and Aaron Blanchard, Jr., Josiah Lassiter.

Brinn, Joseph, 1778. John Roberson and wife, Nath'l Brinn.

Benton, Epaphroditus, 1778. Isaac, Moses, Elisha and Millicent. Benton, Edith Jones, Rachel Jones and Elizabeth Benton.

Burkett, Sarah, widow of Lemuel, 1807.

Boyce, Leah widow of Jacob, 1795.

Badham, William, 1793. John, William and Myles Badham.

Blanchard, Elizabeth widow of Micajah, Abner, Mary, Elizabeth and Christian Blanchard, (1772).

Charlton, Thomas, (1792). Widow, now Mrs. Elizabeth Simons, his three children.

Copeland, Josiah, 1791. Sarah Copeland, Mr. Long and wife, Benj. Gordon and wife.

Creecy, Levi, 1776. Widow Mary, William, Lemuel, Mary, Nathan, Job and Elizabeth Creecy.

Charlton Mary, widow of Charles Charlton (1808).

Charlton, Charles and Nancy, 1808. Wm. Charlton, Robert and Elizabeth Bartie children of Arthur Bartie.

Coffield, Jeremiah, 1808. Zach Evans and wife Sarah, John Coffield, Jr., Solomon Bunch and wife, Nancy Coffield, Edward and John Coffield, Jr.

Charlton, Thomas, 1804. Charles, William and Nancy Charlton.

Chappell, Josiah, 1816. Between his two heirs not named.

Copeland, Mrs. Sarah, (1815). Among the heirs of Thos. White

as follows: Mary Hudgins, Esther Theach, Benjamin and John White.

Cheshire, Henry. Estate administered on by John Cheshire 1807.

Cunningham, Elizabeth, widow of James, 1809.

Copeland Willis, 1795. Names not given.

Cannon, Jacob, 1797. Jemima, Sarah, Joseph and Jacob Cannon.

Copeland, John, 1788. Lydia Buckler, Peninah Avery, Charity Winlow, Willis Copeland, Esther Halsey, James, Jesse, Elisha and David Copeland.

Charlton, Wm., 1784. Mrs. Ann Charlton, Thomas, Eliz, Sarah and Wm. Charlton.

Creecy, Job, 1782. Lemuel, William, Nathan and Elizabeth Creecy, Mrs. Mary Creecy and John Skinner.

Copeland, William, 1768. Widow, Josiah, Selah, Tamer and Sarah Copeland.

Campbell, John, of Lazy Hill, Bertie Co., N. C., married about 1761 Mrs. Priscilla Curle, of Hampton, Va. She had two sons, Dan'l Wilson Curle and William Rascoe Curle, his third wife was Martha ———, Who?

Costen, James, md. Sarah Bond widow of Richard, about 1743. Mary Bond and Lewis Bond children of Richard.

Collins, Richard, 1780. Charles Johnson for his wife, son William.

Chappell, Josiah, 1816. His two heirs not named.

Dear, Ann, widow of George (1789).

Dickinson, Henry, 1806. Mrs. Dickinson his mother, Dr. Andrew Knox and wife, John Dickinson, Penelope Dickinson.

Docton, Jacob, 1771. Rachel Eason, Wm. and Jacob Bagley (sons of Sarah Docton), Mary Hill, Elizabeth Perry, Christian Cul-lens, Docton Perry (son of Ruth Perry).

Dickinson, Henry and Penelope. Div. of negroes (1807).

Endless, Abraham md. Elizabeth widow of Wm. Arkill (1757).

Eelbeck, Henry and William, 1810; Dr. Andrew Knox and wife, John Dickinson and wife, Nath'l Bond and wife Penelope.

Eelbeck, Joseph, 1807. Mrs. Dickinson, Dr. Andrew Knox and wife, John Dickinson, Penelope Dickinson.

Elliott, Ephraim, 1832. Mrs. Sarah Elliott, W. H. Elliott.

Elliott, Stephen, 1798. Josiah Vick and wife the widow, Polly and Stephen Elliott.

Eccleston, Thomas, Sr., 1794. Mrs. Agnes Hathaway, widow of Thomas Eccleston md. 2nd Woolsey Hathaway his 2nd wife, sons John and Thomas Eccleston.

Elliott, Solomon, married Rachel Gregory widow of Henry, (son

of Henry), Timothy Walton and wife Sarah, Matilda, Lem'l C. Gregory, Alfred M. and Solomon J. D. Elliott (1808).

Felton, Richard, 1792. William, Elisha, Shadrach, Noah, John, Cader, Ann, Chloe Perry, Sarah Thomas, heirs of Josiah Rogerson.

Freeman, Richard, 1764. Amos and Demsey Freeman, John Benbury.

Felton, Leah, widow of Shadrach.

Freeman, Demsey, orphan of Richard, (1765).

Foy, Damson, Exx. of Francis Foy, (1760).

Frazier, Thomas, 1796. Elizabeth, Sarah, Margaret, Ann, Bar-sheba and Hester Frazier.

Floyd, William. Widow and seven children not named.

Freeman, Alexander A., 1807. Widow Elizabeth and her daughter Providence Freeman.

Frazier, Jeremiah. Wm. and Ann Swain, Elizabeth Frazier and Wm. Gregory, Penelope Frazier, Sarah, Ada and Zilla Gregory.

Gregory, William, 1817. Mackey Gregory, Eliz Bains, Mary Bains, Joshua Newborne and wife Sarah, Gdn. of Eliz Bains.

Gardner, Henry, 1817. Mrs. Gardner, Emily Gardner and Mrs. Elizabeth Chester.

Gregory, Charity, 1807. Solomon Elliott and wife, Henry and Sarah Gregory.

Gregory, Henry, 1808. Timothy Walton and wife Sarah, Henry Gregory, dec'd, his part divided between Solomon Elliott and wife and their three children Lemuel, Alfred and Solomon, Timothy Walton and wife Sarah.

Gregory, Samuel, 1779. William, Luke, Mary, Elizabeth, Deborah and Eleanor Gregory. Value Est. 15,900£.

Gregory and Wm. Holmes. Division of land between, 1801.

Gregory, Luke, 1802. Martha Gregory and Wm. Gregory.

Gregory, Henry, 1802. Widow md. — Elliott. Children Charity, Henry and Sarah.

Goodwin, Sarah, widow of Lewis, 1808.

Gregory, Samuel, 1835. Fred'k C. Gregory, Mackey Gregory, Mary Lucilla Gregory, Nath'l J. Beasley and wife.

Goodwin, Exum, 1834. Elisha Bunch and wife Absola, Lydia. Susanna, Eliz and Penelope Goodwin.

Gregory, Luke, 1745-6. Widow Sarah, Elizabeth Creecy, Mary and Samuel, Sarah, Deborah, Penelope, Ann and Martha Gregory.

Gregory, Benj., 1770. Mrs. Sarah Gregory, (widow) Jenkins, John, Henry and James Gregory, Comfort Booth and Benjamin Gregory.

Gregory, Sarah and Deborah (daughters of Luke), 1754. Eliza-

beth Creecy, Mary Standin, Sam'l, Benjamin, Ann and Martha Gregory.

Goodwin, Joseph, 1763. Ruth Goodwin (widow), Thomas, Joseph, Exum, Lewis, Ann, Ruth, Elizabeth and Mary Goodwin.

Gordon, George, 1766. Josiah, John and George Gordon, Sarah Hinton, Priscilla Hinton, Susannah and Elizabeth Gordon.

Green, Thomas, 1758. Widow, Wm. Felton, Wm. Sparkman, Wm., Ezelfy, Catharine, Richard and Elizabeth Green.

Grogan, James. Acct. Sales returned 1765.

Halsey, John, 1762. Mary Halsey, Jeremiah, Joseph, Samuel, Fred'k and Edward Halsey.

Hinton, William, 1737. Elizabeth Hinton (widow), Sarah Hinton now Blanchard, John, Reuben, Jonas, Micajah, Noah, Charity, William and Mourning Hinton, (one son's name illegible).

Hinton, John, 1763. Widow Sarah, John, Rachel and Sarah Hinton.

Harloe, John, 1764. John Vail, Mary and John Harloe.

Hodgson, John, 1783. Henry J. D. Eelbeck.

Hodgson, Robert, 1761. Isabella, John and Thomas Hodgson.

Hurdle, Thomas, 1770. Martin (son of Harden Hurdle), Thomas (son of Joseph).

Hawkins, Arnult, 1762. Mrs. Jane Bell, Robert and Elizabeth Hawkins.

Hoffler, Hance, 1774. Thomas Hoffler, Mary Garrett.

Hunter, John, (about 1765). Widow, William, John and Marv Hunter.

Halsey, Mary, 1762. William, Jeremiah, Joseph, Samuel, Edmund and Fred'k Halsey.

Hinton, James, 1761. John, Jonas, Amos, Demsey and Aaron Hinton, Wm. and Thos. Outlaw, Richard Freeman, Wm. Wallis, George Outlaw, Robert Hill.

Harrell, Benjamin, 1795. Jesse, Elizabeth, Miles and Benjamin Harrell, widow Ann, Hezekiah Gorham and wife, Abraham and James Hassell.

Haughton, Thomas, 1744. Widow and daughter Mary.

Harloe, Mary (widow of John), married ——— Benbury 1762.

Hunter, Isaac, (1753). Elisha, Jacob, Jesse, Isaac, David, Alice Perry, Hannah, Riddick, Elizabeth Perry, Rachel Walton and Sarah Hunter.

Hobbs, Thomas, 1754. Mary Hobbs (widow) Thomas, John, William, Guy, Amos, Barneby, Dempsey, Elisha, Moses, Ann Ward, Mary and Sarah Hobbs.

Hunter, Elisha md. Anne, daughter of Thomas Walton.

Harloe, John, 1750. Widow, George Lyles, Francis Penrice, Wm. Harloe, Martha Norcom, Ann Harloe, Jno. Harloe and Thos. Harloe.

Haughton, Thomas. Elizabeth (widow) md. — Butler, Mary Haughton.

Haughton, David, 1754. Widow Mary, William, Richard and Tamer Haughton.

Harloe, John, widow now wife of John Vail. Mary and John Harloe, 1764.

Haughton, Eliza P. widow of Thomas B. Haughton, 1832.

Hoskins, Lemuel, 1832. Widow Elizabeth Hoskins and daughter Jane Hoskins.

Hinesley, James. James Coffield, Joseph McClammy and orphan of John Hinesley dec'd.

Hankins, Thomas, 1837. John G. Hankins and Sarah Elizabeth Hathaway (daughter of Rev. Thos. V. and wife Caroline E. A. R. Hankins).

Haughton, Tamer widow of Charles, who left six children. Sarah (wife of John Leary), Rachel (wife of Marmaduke Hare), John, Tamer (wife of George Liles), Thomas and Charles Haughton.

Hoskins, Nancy, widow of Samuel, 1804.

Harrell, Elizabeth, (widow of Abraham), 1803.

Horniblow, Elizabeth, widow of John, 1802.

Halsey, Cullen, his widow Ann md. — Satterfield, prior to 1809.

Hoskins, William, 1795. Widow Sarah, Sarah Webb, Mary Simons (wife of Reuben), Elizabeth Hall (wife of William) Anne Lutten (wife of King), Nathaniel and William Hoskins.

Horniblow, John, 1810. Thos. Horniblow 1-5 interest.

Hassell, Abraham, 1806. Widow Elizabeth, Nancy and Alexander Hassell.

Halsey, Benjamin, 1805. Thos. Satterfield, Miles Halsey, James H. Satterfield.

Hurdle, Hardy, 1800. Benjamin, William, Harden, Martin, Josiah, Henry, Harmon, Hurdle and Hannah Trotman.

Hoskins, Samuel, 1803. Widow Nancy, William, Mary and Elizabeth Hoskins.

Hoskins, Thomas, 1793. John Hoskins, William Jackson and wife, Job Leary and wife, Elizabeth Coffield's heirs, Thos. Hoskins' heirs.

Hinton, Jacob, 1778. Children Elizabeth, Millicent, Mary, Zaddock, Sarah and Christian Hinton.

Hobbs, Thomas, 1778. Henry and Edmond Hobbs. Ann Hill, Abigail, Judah, Esther and Pleasant Hobbs.

Halsey, Miles, widow Mary, Wm. Stewart, Mary Halsey, Hezekiah Jones, John Frizel, Malachi and Cullen Halsey.

Hunter, James (son of William), 1770. Mother Sarah Hunter, brothers and sisters John Nicholas, Hardy, Job, Timothy, Charity and Sarah Hunter, Priscilla Walton.

Howcott, Mary, 1774. Widow Howcott and Nath'l Howcott.

Howcott, Joseph, 1772. Widow, Nathaniel and Mary Howcott.

Harrell, William, 1766. Henry, Abner and Ruth Harrell.

Haughton, David, 1766. Mary and James Chew, of Va., William, Richard and Tamer Haughton.

Hurdle, Benjamin, 1808. Widow Selah, Leah and Nancy Hurdle.

Humphries, Richard 1800. David, Thomas and Margaret Humphries.

Hoskins, Richard, 1803. Martha Rombough, Sarah Skinner wife of Josiah, Winnefred, Elizabeth, Fanny and Lemuel Hoskins.

Horniblow, John, 1813. James Norcom and wife. Joseph Horniblow.

Hoskins, Sam'l, 1812. Elizabeth Hoskins md. Hogan. William and Mary Hoskins.

Hurdle, Henry md. Sarah Bush widow of Wm. Bush, (1807).

Hawkins, Jane widow of Esmarit Hawkins, came to N. C. from Queen Anne's Co., Md., about 1768.

Hofler, Thomas, of Nansemond Co., Va. Wife Mary. Children Hance, Thomas and Mary Hofler, the latter died before she became of age.

Haughton's, Thomas, widow Elizabeth mtd. 2nd John Penrice.

Hannah's, Mary, mother md. 2nd Stephen Martin (1748).

Haughton, William, his widow Mary md. Eli Griffin.

Hubbard, Thomas, 1771. Mary, McGuire and Charity Hubbard.

Jones, William, 1838. Luke H. White and wife Catharine, Thos. C. Jones, Richard C. Dennis and wife Sally, Wm. Jones.

Jackson, William, 1808. James Jackson, Henry Hurdle and wife Sarah, John Felton and wife Elizabeth, Nancy, William and Rachel Jackson.

Jones, Thomas, 1793. Thomas Jones, Elizabeth Collins, Sarah Rogerson, William Jones, Mourning Humphries, Tamer Small, (his children).

Jones, Isaiah, 1794. Widow and Richard Jones.

Johnson, Christopher, 1780. Thomas Endless, Admr., William and Ann Johnson.

Jameson, Bond, 1809. Kiddy Jordan *nee* Jameson, other two heirs not of age.

Johnson, Charles, 1804. Charles Earl Johnson and Thos. Johnson.

Jordan, Joseph, 1801. Sons Jacob and Joseph, widow Mourning Jordan, William Jordan (son of Joseph Jordan, dec'd).

Jones, Thomas, 1754. Widow, Thos. Jones, heirs of John Jones, heirs of Catharine Luten, heirs of Mary Weston, heirs of Henry Jones, Martha Weston, Sarah Haughton, Jane Hearn, Lewis Jones.

Jones, James, 1768. Elizabeth, Mary and Judeth Jones.

Jones, John. James, John, Josiah and Judah Jones.

Jones, Thomas, 1764. Widow Elizabeth, Mourning Humphries, Thomas and William Jones, Sarah and Tamer Small, Elizabeth Newborn and Miriam Jones.

Knox, S. P., 1833. Andrew Knox, Louisa M. Knox.

Knight, John, 1771. Widow, James and Elizabeth Knight.

Luten, James, (son of Solomon and Mary), died in 1766, leaving Mrs. Mary Luten, children Henderson, James, Absalom, King, Solomon, Mary died young, and Ferebee Luten, the widow of James Mary Luten md. 2nd John Smith.

Long, Ichabod, 1804. Nath'l Miller, William Long, Mary White, Josiah, Matilda and Lemuel Long.

Lawrence, David, 1787. Widow Mrs. Sarah Amelia Lawrence md. 2nd ——— Thompson. Had 3 children. Not named.

Lewis, Anne, 1773. Isaac Lewis, James, Farrow, Sarah and Elijah Lewis.

Little, Andrew (1778). Mrs. Elizabeth Little (widow), John, Elizabeth and Archibald Little.

Leary, Cornelius, 1775. Cornelius William and Demsey Leary.

Lewis, Isaac, 1779. James Farrow, Sarah and Elijah Lewis.

Leary, Job, 1806. John and Job Leary, Thos. Matthias.

Lassiter, Allen. L. D. Gaskins and wife Deborah, John Proctor and wife, Charlotte Welch.

Luten, Henderson, 1744. Sarah, James, Ephraim and Henderson Luten, heirs of Thomas Luten, William Bonner md. Sarah above.

Lawrence, David, 1799. Mary Lawrence, James Wills and wife Tabitha, Peter Payne Lawrence.

Leary, Cornelius, 1764. Mrs. Susannah Clear, Cornelius, William and Demsey Leary.

Liles, George, 1753. George, Sarah wife of Jno. Beasley, Ann, William and Elizabeth Liles.

Lewis, John, 1766. Joseph Ming, Isaac, Elijah, Esther, Sarah and Anne Lewis.

Lassiter, Moses. Millicent, Frederick, Jethro and Timothy Lassiter.

Leary, Cornelius, 1741. Elizabeth Leary widow, children Ann, Cornelius, Mary, Richard and Thomas.

Leary, Thomas, 1762. Cornelius Leary, Robert Hall, William Badham and wife Mary, heirs of Richard Leary, dec'd.

Miller, Solomon. William and Josiah representatives of Willis Miller, of Currituck, 1763.

Ming, Thomas, 1769. Widow Sarah, Thomas and Sarah Ming, Ebenezer Leary,

Ming, Thomas, Jr., 1772. Widow Mary, John and Richard Ming.

Ming, Thomas, Sr., 1772. Widow Mary, children Sarah Ming, Thos. Ming, Elizabeth Leary sister of Ebenezer Leary.

Ming, Thomas, 1781. Wm. Burkett, John and Richard Ming.

Ming, Thomas. Solomon Elliott, Joseph James, Willie and Penelope Ming.

Miles, Stephen, 1797. Mrs. Miles, Stephen Carpenter, Jonathan Maulbee, Hosea Miles.

Mixon, Jeremiah, 1832. Joseph B. Haughton and wife Emily, Mary Mixon.

Murphy, William, md. Lydia Elliott, widow of Exum Elliott, (1800).

McDonald, William, 1796. Duncan McDonald, Mrs. Dorothy Skinner.

McNider, Thomas, 1786. Mrs. Penelope Copeland, Thos. McNider, Mrs. Margaret Butler, John McNider, James McNider, Charlotte McNider and Mary McNider.

Ming, Richard, 1802. Widow Rachel md. 2nd Robt. Stacey, his other heirs not named.

Miles, Stephen, 1808. Miriam Carpenter, Benj. Whedbee and wife Mary, Thomas Whedbee and wife Jehosheba.

Matthias, Thomas, 1816. Widow Mary, Thomas, John and Fanny, Martha Ann and Elliott Matthias orphans, Thomas Toppin, Jno. McGuire.

Ming, Thomas, 1814. Sarah Butler wife of Willis, Elizabeth Ming, Lavinia Stacey (daughter of Robt.), Elizabeth Ming.

Mewborn, Wilson and Mariam Fletcher were married in 1784.

McDowall, Charles, 1739. Charles, Mary and Elizabeth McDowall his children, the widow Eliabeth md. Mr. Rhodes, of Tyrrell Co., N. C., daughter Elizabeth md. John White.

Meazle, John, 1748. Widow Margaret, children John, Joseph, Miles, Aaron, Timothy, Jeremiah and Margaret Meazle.

Nugin, Edward md. Sarah Wingate widow of Edward, (1750).

Norcom, Abner, 1807. John, James and Edmund Norcom, Richard, Ann, James, Mary and Miriam Whedbee, representatives of Sarah Whedbee by their friend Thos. Whedbee.



Newborn, Joshua, (without date). Mrs. Mary Newborn, daughter Sarah Luten, son Wilson, daughters Prudence and Ann Newborn.

Norcom, Elizabeth, widow of John, 1803.

Norcom, Fred'k, 1797. James Hoskins and wife Mary, Charles . Benj. and Martha Norcom.

O'Mally, Myles, 1804. James Norfleet and wife, Ann C. O'Mally.

Pollock, Cullen, Oct. 23 & 24, 1754. Widow Frances, Stevens Lee, Frances Pollock, George Pollock, Mary Pollock died before division, Cullen Pollock died before division, Martha md. Stevens Lee, Frances md. Dr. Robert Lenox, Robert West md. widow of Cullen Pollock.

Parker, Richard, 1753. Jacob, Stephen, Francis, Richard and Patience Parker.

Paget, Sam'l Dr. Daughter Elizabeth md. John Hodgson, Penelope md. John Hodgson, 2nd James Craven, 3rd Thos. Barker, Sarah md. Jos. H. Eelbeck, Sam'l Paget md. Mary.

Pagett, Samuel, 1756. Samuel, Mary and John Pagett, widow Mary md. ——— Quinn, Micajah Pagett.

Price, Thomas, 1707. Widow Miriam, Nancy, Sally, Jeremiah, Francis, Docton, Elizabeth and Miriam Price, Jr.

Pierce, Thomas, 1757. Kesiah Newby, Kerenhappuck Pierce, Sarah Morris, Jemima Newby, Mary Nixon.

Potter, James, 1753. Mary and Sarah Potter his orphans, nieces of Wm. Hoskins.

Perry, Samuel, 1779. Amos and Mordecai Perry, Ann Hobbs, Leah Goodwin & Grace Eason.

Price, John, 1792. Orphan of James Price, Jr., Thomas and Job, Jeremiah Fleetwood and wife Elizabeth, Sarah Pierce formerly Price, Elizabeth Parker *nee* Price.

Parish, John, 1810. Widow Sarah, William, John, Miles, Dempsey, Charity, Penina, David, Joseph, Amy, Ann, Sarah and Henry Parish, (children).

Perry, Roderick, 1847. John, William and Starkey Perry, Miles Ashley and wife, Winney, Cullen Halsey and wife Lotty.

Patterson, Elizabeth, wife of Robert, 1787. Mrs. Montgomery lived next door to them.

Payne, Peter, md. Mary Beasley daughter of James Beasley. She died and Mary, the wife of Wm. Woollard her mother, admr. No issue by Payne.

Purdie, Ivy, 1808. Life right of Mrs. Purdie, Jno. Pophelston and wife Sarah, Edward Riley and wife, Thos. Purdie.

Rea, Samuel S., 1833. Christopher, Artenes, William and Wiley Rea, Lavinia Jackson.

Ross, Alexander. His widow md. about 1784 — — Wood, he left daughter Mary about one year old md. Eliab Griffin.

Ramsey, Allen, W. T. Muse Exr., 1807. Allen's brothers John, James, William and Willis Ramsey had at that time 19 children.

Rogers, Jos., 1816. Daughters Sarah Parish and Jane Woodard.

Roberts, Willis, 1813. William C. Roberts and Sarah E. Roberts.

Roberts, William was the Guardian of Charles Earl Johnson in 1804.

Roberts, Willis, 1808. John Roberts (1800), Wife Elizabeth, children John and Sarah.

Roberts, William, 1808. Widow  $\frac{1}{4}$  interest.

Roberts, James, 1807. Henry Skinner and wife Sarah, Charles and James Roberts.

Roberts, Elizabeth (Estate of Jno. Roberts), 1802. Jno. B. Griffin and wife, and son John of the half blood Patsey Newby of the half blood, James, Charles and Sarah Roberts.

Roberts, John, share of James Roberts' Estate 1-5 divided between Mr. Griffin and Wyke Newby's daughter (1802).

Roberts, Charles, father of James, Willis, William & Liles, child in esse.

William, Roberts, Jr., son of William, wife Elizabeth, Wyke Newby md. Charity, (widow of James Roberts), Elizabeth, James and Sarah children of James Roberts.

Roberts, Liles and Mariam, 1795. Heirs of Elizabeth Roberts widow of William, Henry Bonner, Samuel Hoskins, Elizabeth Williams, William Roberts, Fred'k Norcom, Jr.

Roberts, James, 1795. Wyke Newby and wife Charity, heirs of James Roberts.

Rombough, Catherine. Benjamin Bissell and wife Elizabeth, Nancy Rombough.

Mary, Richard's husband, Wm. Richards died in 1746. She md. 2nd Moses Wellwood, 1752.

Rombough, William, 1813. William and Sarah Rombough. He died in 1808.

Rombough, Catharine, mother of William and grand-mother of Mrs. Bissell and Anne Rombough.

Robinson, Thomas, orphans, 1756. Elizabeth, Thomas, James, John, Bennie and Bethany Robinson.

Rosson, John, 1754. Widow and six children.

Satterfield, John B., 1836. Miss Fanny Satterfield, Thomas Satterfield, Alex Spence and wife Fanny, Jas. L. Satterfield and wife Eliza, James and William (sons of Alfred Satterfield).

Sumner, Josiah, Nov. 24, 1756. Received one set of Shew and

Knee buckles left me by my father at his death, in presence of my sister Mary Sumner.

Slaughter, Michael, 1744. Mr. Wallace and wife the widow, and six children.

Standin, Edward, 1743. Joseph Creecy and wife the widow, Henderson, Sarah, Edward and Mary Standin.

Saunders, John, 1752. Wife Mary, children Milly, Fereby, Robert, Thomas and Jesse, Frances and Mary Saunders Exrs., said Mary md. 2nd Joseph Rooks, the children are minors.

Skinner, Josiah, 1834. Sarah Frances Skinner, John Skinner, Hardy Skinner, and Josiah Skinner. (Lemuel Skinner's Estate, dec'd, and Est. Sarah Skinner, dec'd, included).

Skinner, Lemuel, 1836. James L. Satterfield in right of wife Eliza, Richard Skinner.

Satterfield, Alfred, 1837. James Goodwin and wife Catharine, James and William Satterfield.

Skinner, Mrs. Dorothy, and William Donaldson. Division of land. Standing, Mary, widow of Joseph, 1800.

Simons, Charlton, 1798. Brothers John and Edward Simons.

Simons, Thomas, 1809. Penelope, William and Thomas.

Standin, Henderson, 1793. Sons Joseph and Henderson.

Spivey, Champion, 1794. John, Dorothy, Delia and Rachel Spivey.

Small, Josiah, 1792. Sarah Rogerson, Amia Small wife of Phillip McGuire, Reuben and Rachel, Josiah McKeel grand-son of Josiah Small.

Smith, Robert, 1803. Uncle of Thomas Smith, brother of Samuel, James and Isabella Smith; Sam'l had two children Robert and Thomas, James unmarried, Isabella md. James Milligan, issue James and Rebecca, in the Kingdom of Great Britain, Castle Douglass, Scotland.

Skinner, Richard, 1817. Elizabeth and Mary Skinner.

Standin, Henderson, 1816. Mrs. Frances Lee Standin and son Wm. H. Standin.

Standin, Lemuel, Sr., 1817. Joseph, Lemuel, Parthenia and Deborah Standin.

Standin, Edward, left children. Henderson, Edward, Sarah and Mary.

Small, Joseph, left children Jonathan (since dead) Benjamin, Joseph, Martha and Mary married Jno. Luten.

Saulsbury, William, was brother to the wife of William Bennett, Jr.

Slaughter, Michael, left 7 daughters, Hannah, Abigail, Elizabeth.

Rebecca, Deborah, Nancy and other since dead. James Wallace md. the widow Elizabeth, Peter Payne md. Hannah.

Satterfield, Thomas md. Ann Hoskins, daughter of John Hoskins.

Small, Joseph, 1761. Widow, Jno. Luten for wife Mary, Benj. Albertson for wife Sarah.

Small, James, 1811. Widow and orphan.

Simpson's, Dempsey, widow Ann md. ——— Parker.

Simons, Argyle, 1798. John Simons, heirs of Thomas Simons, dec'd, William and Reuben Simons, Esther Wilkins and Elizabeth Simons.

Simons, Jacob. John Simons, Rowson Elliott and wife Sarah, Edward Simons, James Saunders and wife, (the widow).

Sumner, Jethro, (1752). Thomas, Jethro, Edward and Elizabeth Sumner.

Stepney, John, Perquimans Co., N. C., 1763. Sarah Butler wife of Christopher, Samuel, Mary and Elizabeth Stepney, Nancy Stepney, William Stepney his part in 1754.

Scott, James, 1762. Widow, Mary, Elizabeth, Judah and Ruth Scott.

Speight, Isaac, 1762. Isaac Speight, Wm. Boyd, Mills Riddick.

Smith, James, 1764. Elizabeth Smith (widow), Thomas and Mary Smith.

Simpson, Dempsey, 1795. Exum and Mary Simpson, Samuel Simpson.

Taylor, John, 1765. Luke, Sarah, Martha, Elizabeth, Rebecca, Ann and Penelope Taylor.

Truelove, Timothy, 1739. Widow, Breathet Truelove, Timothy, William and Samuel Truelove.

Thompson, James, 1792. Tenry Thompson, Rebecca Boyce.

Trotman, Henry, 1805. Timothy and Dempsey Trotman, Jacob Cullens and wife, Joseph Trotman.

Trotman, Amos, 1800. Hannah Trotman, Dempsey, Henry, Josiah and Timothy Trotman.

Thompson, Henry, 1786. Francis Beasley married the daughter, James, William and Timothy Thompson.

Thompson, John, 1756. Widow and son Robert Thompson.

Underhill, Joseph, 1789. Widow Sarah, daughter Mary, Mrs. Underhill was the Aunt of Anne Jones.

Valentine, Alex, died in 1782. Wife Sarah md. 2nd 1785 George Morgan, Elizabeth Valentine md. James Hathaway, Sr., (his 2nd wife) Joyce Valentine md. ——— Small.

Vail, Thos., 1813. Edward Vail, Mary (widow).

Virgin, John, died unmarried, his brother James Admr. 1756.

Vail, Thos., 1805. Abner Nash Vail, Lillington, John, Mary, Thomas, Bonner, Charles, Edward and Fred'k Vail.

Walton, William, 1772. Widow, Timothy, William, John, Thomas, Isaac and James Walton, Sarah Lassiter, Mary, Ann and Celia Walton.

Walton, William. Widow, Palatiah, Henry, Edmond, Richard, Thomas, Mary and Elizabeth Walton.

Walton, Timothy. Widow, Jno. Benbury Walton, Timothy Walton, Celia Freeman, Mary and Elizabeth Walton.

Walton, Mrs. Sarah, 1762. William and John Walton.

Walton, Richard, 1771. Widow, James, Ellinor and Cretta Walton.

Walton, Mary, widow of Timothy md. 2d Thomas Hunter (1770).

Walton, Sarah and Millicent. Orphans of Palatiah, 1777.

Walton, Palatiah, 1778. Widow, Zilpha, Christian, Sarah and Millicent Walton.

Walton, Leah, widow of John Walton, 1800.

Welch, Rev. Miles, 1837. Widow Sarah, Gaston, Baker F., Drew, Dorsey, Sarah and Louisa Welch.

Ward, Hardy, 1834. Jonathan and Jacob Ward, Margaret Smith.

Wills, James, 1835. Mary L. Wills, James and Ann Wills.

Wood, William, 1835. Jesse, Dempsey, Moses, James and Mary Wood.

Ward, Thomas. Elizabeth, Sarah, Thomas, Lewis and Moses Ward, Ruth Gooding, Judeth Measles.

White, Luke, 1778. Not named, simply states each heir so much.

Wingate, Edward. Widow, William, Edward, Michael, Elizabeth and Judith Wingate.

Wilkins, Charles. Widow, Elizabeth, John, Ann, William, Elizabeth and Mary Wilkins.

Woodly, William, 1737. Mary Woodly now Willcox, Andrew Woodly (minor).

Whedbee, Thomazin, widow of Joseph, 1791.

Williamson, Rebecca, had three sisters. (1) Polly Vail (unmarried), (2) Mrs. Pembruna, (3) Mrs. Fuet (1790).

Wilder, Michael, 1794. Hannah, Miles, Willis, Nathaniel, Frances and Michael Wilder.

Ward, Thomas, 1784. Children of Penelope McNider and Rachel Wilder's children, Willis, John, Francis, Nath'l and Michael, Rachel, wife of Michael Wilder, Sr.

Wallis, John, 1775. Widow, Miles and William Wallis.

Wilder, Rachel, daughter of John Wilder, 1811.

Wilkinson, Mrs. Jehoshaba, widow of George, 1806.

Warring, Ann, Admirx. of Hamilton Warring, 1801.

White, Stephen, (1782). Six children without naming them.

Williams, Willis, (1795). Son William, widow Elizabeth Williams, Ann Williams, Wm. Roberts, Gdn. of William.

Welch, William, 1837. James Harrell and wife Nancy, James Harrell, Amr of William Welch (infant son of William Welch) and Emily Welch.

Wilder, Nath'l, 1836. Mrs. Eliz Wilder, Charles C. Taber and wife, Henry Wilder, E. J. Wilder, P. A. Wilder, Elizabeth Jane Wilder.

Winslow, William, 1810. Widow Pleasant Winslow, William Byrum and wife, Mary and Elizabeth Winslow.

Winslow, Joseph, 1782. Job, Israel and Jesse Winslow.

Wilkins, James, 1782. Mrs. Sarah Wilkins, orphans of Anthony Wilkins, William Liles, Joseph and William Wilkins.

Ward, Thomas, 1782. Widow, John, William, Henry and Crissey Ward.

Wilkins, Anthony, 1785. Widow md. Edward Coffield, Miles and Thomas Wilkins.

## AN ACT OF ASSEMBLY RELATING TO THE LAND WHEREON THE TOWN OF EDENTON, N. C., IS BUILT.

I. Whereas Thomas Peterson, late of Albemarle County, Esq., died seised and possessed in his Demesne, of Fee of, in and to a certain Plantation or Tract of Land, lying and being in the Fork of Queen Anne's Creek, in Chowan Precinct, containing by Estimation, Four Hundred Acres, be the same more or less, butted and bounding to the Eastward on the Town Land and to the Westward on Slocumb's Creek; and also, of, in, and to One Half Acre or Lot of Land in Bath Town butting and bounding to the Southward on the lot of Col. Ipher Gale, and to the Northward on one of the Cross Streets; which said Plantation and lot of Land, do descend unto Anna, an infant, the Daughter of the said Thomas; And whereas Johanna, the Mother of the said Anna, by her Petition preferred to this Assembly, is very willing, for the advancement of the said Anna's Portion, to relinquish her Right of Dower of, in and to the said Lands and Lot, provided that the same Lands and Lot may be sold, to and for the Use, Benefit, and Interest of the said Anna, the said Lands and Lot now having considerable Improvements thereon, which makes them

Valuable; which otherwise will be very much impaired and ruined before the said Anna shall come of Age; Wherefore

II. Be it Enacted by His Excellency the Palatine and the rest of the true and Absolute Lords Proprietors of the Province of Carolina, by and with the Advice and Consent of the rest of the Members of the General Assembly, now met at Little River for the North East Part of the said Province, and it is hereby Enacted, by the Authority of the same, That the said Johanna be and she is hereby impowered, to bargain, sell, enfeof, and transfer the said Plantation or Tract of Land lying in the Fork of Queen Anne's Creek, in Chowan Precinct, containing by estimation, Four Hundred Acres, be the same more or less, butting and bounding to the Eastward on the Town Land and to the Westward on Slocumb Creek; also one Half Acre or Lot of Land in Bath Town, butting and bounding to Southward on the Lot of Col. Ilpher Gale and to the Northward on one of the Cross Streets; or any Part or Parcel of the same, to any Person or Persons that shall be willing to give most money for the same; to have and to hold the same to such Purchase or Purchasers, his or her Heirs and Assigns for ever.

III. And for the better securing the Money, arising by such Sale to and for the Use, Benefit and Interest of the said Anna, her Heirs and Assigns, It is hereby further Enacted, That immediately at and upon the sale of the aforesaid Plantation or Tract of Land and of or any Part of the same, the said Anna shall stand and be seized in her Demesne, as of Fee, of, in and to one certain Plantation or Tract of Land, whereof the said Johanna is and now stands seized and possessed of, in Perquimans Precinct, Containing, by Estimation, One Hundred and Seventy Acres, be the same more or less, situate, and being on Castleton's or Laker's Creek, butting and bounding on the Lands of Juliana Lakers and Richard Skinner; to have and to hold the same Plantation or Tract of Land to her the said Anna, her Heirs and Assigns, in Fee Simple, with Condition, that if the said Johanna do pay the Monies arising by such Sale to the said Anna, at and upon her Arrival to the Age of Eighteen Years, or Day of Marriage, or otherwise appropriate the Monies arising by the Sale of the aforesaid Plantation or Tract of Land at the Fork of Queen Anne's Creek and Lot aforesaid, by purchasing young Female Slaves for the use of said Anna; then the aforesaid Estate of the said Anna, of (in, and to the afore mentioned Plantation and tract of land in Perquimans Precinct, to be invalid and of no Force or Effect. A. D. 1715. (Compendium of Laws by James Davis. Edition of 1752, page 40.)

AN ACT OF THE ASSEMBLY RELATING TO THE  
INDIANS.

I. Whereas before the late War, daily and grievous complaints of the Depredations and Insults of the Indians was Exhibited against them, by divers Persons bordering upon and residing near to the Habitations of the said Indians: For the Prevention of the like Disorders for the Time to Come, and for the cultivating a better Understanding with the said Indians, the want of which has been so injurious to the Government.

II. Be it Enacted, &c. That whoever shall discover or find any Indian or Indians killing, hunting, or in Pursuit of any Horses, Cattle or Hogs, the Right and Property where of is in any white Men inhabiting within this Government, every such Person or Persons on Discovery or Sight thereof, may, and he is hereby empowered, to apprehend and seize every such Indian or Indians, and him or them so apprehended and taken to convey before some one of the Commissioners to be appointed for Indian Affairs, and for want of such, before the next Magistrate; which said Commissioner or Magistrate together with the Ruler or Head Man of the Town to which such Indian Delinquent may belong, is and hereby empowered to punish every such Delinquent in such Manner as the Nature of the Offence may require, and to award Restitution to the Party injured for all Damages by him sustained; saving always the Right of Appeal to the Governor and Council, if either party shall think themselves aggrieved or wronged thereby.

III. And be it further Enacted, &c., That if any Difference shall, for the future, arise between any white Man and Indian, concerning Trade or otherwise howsoever, every such Difference shall be heard, tried, and determined by such Commissioners as the Governor or Commander in Chief for the Time being shall appoint, together with the Ruler or Head Man of the Town to which the Indian belongs; Saving only the Right of Appeal as herein before saved and excepted.

IV. And whereas there is great Reason to believe, that Disputes concerning Land has already been of fatal Consequences to the Peace and welfare of this Colony; Be it further Enacted, &c. That no White Man shall for any consideration whatsoever, purchase or buy any Tract or Parcel of Land, claimed or actually in Possession of any Indian, without special Liberty for so doing from the Governor and Council first had and obtained, under the Penalty of Twenty Pounds for every Hundred Acres of Land so bargained for and purchased, One Half to the Informer and the other Half to him or them that shall sue for the same; To be recovered by Bill, Plaint



or Information, in any Court of Record within this Government; wherein no Assign, Protection, Injunction or Wager of Law, shall be allowed or admitted of.

V. And be it further Enacted, &c. That whatever white man shall defraud or take from any of the Indians his goods or shall abuse or injure his Person each and every Person so offending shall make full Satisfaction to the Party injured, and shall suffer such other Punishment as he should or ought to have done, had the Offence been committed to an Englishman. A. D. 1715.

At this same sesion of the Assembly, An Act was passed for a Town on Roanoke Island for the Encouragement of Trade from Foreign Ports, it was repealed by Act Nov. 23, 1723. Chap. 12.

Also an Act for raising Corn, to satisfy the Debt due from this Government to the Honourable Charles Craven, Esq., Governor of South Carolina and for the Subsistance of such Forces as shall be raised for the necessary Defence of the Frontiers of this Government. (We presume this debt was created on account of the Indian War through which the Colony had just passed, to cover the expense of the South Carolina troops who came to the assistance of the Colonists in North Carolina.)

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## AN ACT OF THE ASSEMBLY AMENDING ACT INCORPORATING BATH TOWN, AND REGULATING ITS PUBLIC LIBRARY.

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I. "Whereas, at the Request of Mr. John Lawson, Mr. Joel Martin and others, a certain Tract or Parcel of Land, purchased by them, lying on the Old Town Creek, in Pamptico, and containing by Estimation Sixty Acres, be the same more or less, being a Part of a larger Tract then belonging to David Perkins, but now in the Possession, and of Right belonging, to Colonel Thomas Cary, and divided from thence by a Line of marked Trees from the Old Town Creek, to Mr. Barrow's line, now also the Right and Possession of the said Cary, was Incorporated and made a Township, by an Act of the General Assembly, made and ratified at the House of Captain John Hecklefield, the Eighth day of March Anno Domini 1705, with divers Privileges and Immunities therein, and thereby invested in the said John Lawson, Joel Martin and Nicholas Daw, to and for the Uses therein mentioned, To promote therefore the Settlement of the said Town, and for securing the *Public Library* of St. Thomas Parish, in Pamptico;

II. Be it Enacted, &c. That the said Land be, and it is hereby

henceforward invested in Mr. John Porter, Mr. Joel Martin, Mr. Thomas Harding and Capt. John Drinkwater, or any two of them, to and for the Uses aforesaid, and Declared, Confirmed and Incorporated into a Township, by the name of Bath Town; with all the Privileges and Immunities hereafter Expressed forever.

III. Pursuant to which, It is hereby Enacted, That Convenient Places and Proportions of Land be laid out and preserved for a Church, a Town-house and a Market-place; and that the rest of the Land which is not already laid out, be forthwith laid out into Lots of Half an Acre each, with convenient Streets and Passages, by the said Trustees, or any Two of them.

Then follows Sections IV to XVIII relating to the sale of lots, &c.

XIX. And whereas, at the Promotion of the Reverend Doctor Thomas Bray, a Library hath been sent over to Bath Town, for the Use of the Inhabitants of the Parish of St. Thomas, in Pamptico; and it is partly feared that the Books belonging to the same will quickly be embezzled, damaged or lost, except a Law be provided for the more effectual Preservation of the same.

XX. Be it therefore Enacted. That the said Library shall be, continue and remain in the Hands, Custody and Possession of a Library Keeper, to be elected, nominated and appointed by the Commissioners hereafter by this Act appointed, or the Major Part of them; which said Library-keeper is, and shall be hereby bound and obliged, to keep and preserve the several and respective Books therein, from Waste, Damage, Imbezzlement, and all other Destruction, (Fire, and all other unavoidable Accidents only excepted) and is and shall be hereby accountable for the same, and every Book thereof, to the Commissioners hereafter nominated; and to that End and Purpose, the said Library-Keeper shall pass Two Receipts for the Library aforesaid, one to the Commissioners hereafter named, and the other to the Church-Wardens of the said Parish, for the Time being, in which Receipts the Title of each Book shall be instituted: And in case all or any of the Books is or shall be found to be wasted, damaged or embezzled or otherwise destroyed, (except as before excepted) the said Library-Keeper, his Heirs, Executors and Administrators, are and shall be hereby bound and obliged to answer double the Value of the same; and the said Commissioners are hereby empowered to sue for the same, in any Court of Record in the Province, by Bill, Plaint, or Information, or other Action; wherein no Essoign, Protection, Injunction or Wager of Law, shall be allowed; and that what thereby shall be recovered, (reasonable Charges and Expenses deducted) to employ and dispose of towards the Compleating and perfecting the aforesaid Library so wasted, endamaged, Embezzled,

or otherwise destroyed, within the Space of Twelve Months after such Recovery.

XXI. And be it further Enacted, That in case of the Death or Removal of the said Library-Keeper, the Church-wardens of St. Thomas's Parish shall immediately take into their Custody, Possession and safe-Keeping, all the Books belonging to the said Library, and shall be answerable for the same to the Commissioners of hereafter in this Act nominated.

XXII. And be it further Enacted. That the Church Wardens of St. Thomas's Parish, in Pamptico, upon receiving the Books belonging to the said Library, shall compare the same with the Catalogue and Receipt for the same in their Custody; and if any of the Books are wanting or damaged, they shall give an Account thereof, in Twenty Days at Farthest, to the Commissioners hereafter mentioned, who are impowered to sue the said Library-Keeper, or in case of his death, his Executors or Administrators for the same; And in Case the said Church-wardens refuse or neglect to give such Account, then the said Church Wardens, their Heirs, Executors or Administrators and every of them, are hereby made accountable to the Commissioners hereafter named for all the Books belonging to the said Library, and contained in the Catalogue thereof.

XXIII. And be it further Enacted. That the said Commissioners, or any Five of them, within Twenty Days after such Notice given, shall forthwith proceed to the Election of another Librarian, to whose Custody and Safe Keeping the said Library, and every Book therein contained, shall be forthwith delivered by the said Church Wardens, by order of the said Commissioners; which said Librarian so elected, shall continue in the same office, unless removed by the said Commissioners, or the Major Part of them (which they are, upon a just occasion, hereby empowered to do) or until the settlement of a Minister in the said Parish; which said Minister or Incumbent shall, *ex-officio*, be Librarian, and shall be unanswerable for the same to the Commissioners aforesaid, in Manner as is by this Act directed.

XXIV. Provided always, That the said Library shall not be removed out of Bath Town other than to the Incumbent's House: and not thither, without Liberty first had and obtained from the said Commissioners, or the Major Part of them.

XXV. That the Inhabitants of Beaufort Precinct shall have Liberty to borrow any Book out of the said Library, giving a Receipt for the same to the Librarian, for the Time being, with a Promise to return the said Book or Books, if a Folio, in Four Months Time; if a Quarto, in Two Months Time; if an Octavo, or under.

in One Months Time; upon penalty of paying Three Times the Value of the said Book or Books, so borrowed, in Case of Failure in returning the same; And the said Library-Keeper is hereby obliged to enter such Receipt in a Book, to be fairly kept for that Purpose, and upon the Return of any Book or Books so lent shall note it returned on the opposite side or Column of the said Book, and not Cross or blot the same; And in Case the Person that borrows any Book or Books out of the said Library, doth refuse to return the same, or doth damnify the said Book, upon Complaint thereof given by the said Library-Keeper, his Executors or Administrators, to two or more of the Commissioners, and by them or any Five of them, to the Chief Justice of the Province for the Time being, or any Two Justices of the Peace, it shall be lawful, and the said Chief Justice, or any Two Justices, are hereby empowered and required, by Warrant of Distress, directed to any of the Constables of the said Precinct, to levy Three Times the Value of such Book or Books, on the Goods and Chattels of the Person so refusing to deliver or damnifying the same; and for want of such distress, to commit the Person to Prison, till Satisfaction be made to the said Library-Keeper.

XXVI. And be it further Enacted. That the Commissioners hereafter named, shall make, or cause to be made, several Catalogues of all and singular the Books in the said Library, and the same being fairly written, and signed by the said Commissioners or some Five of them, One to be entered upon Record in the Secretary's Office of this Province, One to be in the Custody and for the Use of Commissioners hereafter named, under which the Library-Keeper shall sign a Receipt for the respective Books, One to be in the Custody of the Church Wardens of St. Thomas's Parish for the Time being, under which the Library-Keeper shall also sign a Receipt for the respective Books, and one to be fairly entered in a Book for that purpose to be kept by the Library-Keeper in the said Library, that so any person may know what Books are contained therein.

XXVII. And be it further Enacted. That the Commissioners or any Five of them, hereafter named, after making one exact Catalogue of all and singular the respective Books in the said Library shall and are hereby directed, to appraise and rate each Book, at a price certain in the Current Money of this Province; which appraisement shall be an established Rule to determine the Value of the said Books, in case any suit is brought by the said Commissioners against any Person that shall detain or damnify any of the said Books, or against the Library-Keeper, his Executors or Administrators.

XXVIII. And be it further Enacted. That the Commissioners hereafter named or any Five of them, shall, every Year, or Easter Monday Yearly, resort to the House where the said Library shall

be kept, and there examine the Books thereof by the Catalogue, and see that there be the full number, and that they are not damaged or spoiled; and therefore the Library-Keeper is hereby required, in lending any of the said Books out of the said Library, notwithstanding the Time usually allowed by this Act, to oblige the said Person to return such Books as they borrow to the said Library-Keeper Ten days before the said Easter Monday, Yearly, that so all and singular the Books belonging to the Library aforesaid, may be exposed to the View of the said Commissioners, the better to enable them to judge if they be any ways damaged or spoiled and give their order accordingly.

XXIX. And be it further Enacted. That the Honourable Chas. Eden, Esq., present Governor, and the Governor or Commander in Chief for the Time being, the Members of the Council for the Time being, Christopher Gale, Esq., Chief Justice, and the Chief Justice for the time being, Tobias Knight, Esq., Secretary and the Secretary for the time being, Col. Edward Moseley, Speaker of the present Assembly, and the Speaker for the time being, Daniel Richardson, Esq., Attorney General, and the Attorney General for the time being, the members of the Precinct Court for the Time being. Capt. Frederick Jones, Mr. John Porter, Mr. Joel Martin, Capt. John Drinkwater, Mr. John Clark, Mr. Patrick Maule, Mr. Thos. Worsley, Mr. Lionel Reading, Mr. James Leigh and Mr. Thomas Harding or any Five of them, are hereby nominated to be Commissioners and Trustees, for the one Inspection and Preservation of the Library aforesaid, and all and singular the respective Book to the same belonging; and they or any Five of them, shall have Power to commence or bring any suit or Action given by this Act.

XXX. And in Case of the Death or Absence of any of the Commissioners who are by this Act particularly by Name before appointed, then the surviving Commissioners, or any Five of them, at their next Meeting after such Vacancy, are hereby fully authorised and empowered to make choice of another, in the Place and Stead of him or them who shall be dead or absented; which said Commissioners so elected shall be invested with the same Authority, as if he had been before in this Act particularly named and appointed.

XXXI. And be it further Enacted, That the Commissioners above named or any Five of them, after having Examined the Catalogue of Books, and discovered what are wanting, shall summons such Persons as have the said Books in their Custody, to deliver the same, within Twenty Days after such Notice in Writing left with the Person, or at his usual Place of Abode; and in case any person shall fail or refuse to deliver the said respective Books to the said Commissioners or any Five of them, are hereby required, directed

and impowered to take such Measure for the Recovery of the same, or treble the Value thereof, as is before by this Act prescribed

XXXII. And be it further Enacted. That all persons that have borrowed, or have in their Custody, any of the Books belonging to the Library aforesaid, shall, on or before the next Easter Monday, return the same to the present Library Keeper, under the Penalty of the forfeiture of treble the Value of each Book not returned as aforesaid; the better to enable the Commissioners before named to make a perfect Catalogue of the Books belonging to the said Library, A. D. 1715. ( Compendium of Laws by James Davis, page 38, Ed. 1752.)

From the above Act of the Legislature, we learn the rules and regulations of the first free public library in North Carolina, from the stringent laws that was passed for its management, it was probably for those days quite a large and valuable Library.

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#### AN ACT FOR ENTERING VESSELS AND TO PREVENT THE EXPORTATION OF DEBTORS, &C.

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I. Be it Enacted, &c. That the Master of every Ship or Vessel coming into this Government, Shall, within Four Days next after his Arrival, and before he trade or land any Goods (living Creatures are excepted) enter into Bond in the Naval Office, with one sufficient Freeholder or well known Merchant, in the sum of Five Hundred Pounds with Condition, That the said Master shall not carry off any Person out of this Province without a Ticket first had and obtained from the Naval Officer, and signed by the Governor or Commander in Chief, for the Time being. (Persons coming into this Province in the same Vessel, Women whose husbands are resident in the Country, Persons under Age and Sailors who have not resided in the Government above Two Months excepted) nor shall depart himself without leave, under the Penalty of Fifty Pounds, One third to the Lords Proprietors, One Third to the Governor or Commander in Chief, and the other third to the Informer.

IV. And be it further Enacted, &c. That no Ticket shall hereafter be granted to any Person intending to export his or herself out of this Government (except as before excepted) until sufficient Security be first given to the Naval Officer, for the Payment of all such Debts as the Party so intending to depart shall be chargeable with, and for which Actions shall be commenced within Four Months next after such security given; or until Certificate be first made to

the Naval-Officer, by the Clerk of the Precinct Court where the Party shall reside, that he hath published his Intentions to depart the Government by affixing a Note to the Court House Door, publicly to be read by all Persons, during the Sitting and Continuance of the Two Courts next preceding such Certificate, without being under-written or any Demand made to hinder his or her Departure.

V. And be it further Enacted, &c. That in Default of so doing, the Naval Officer shall be liable to satisfy the Creditors of all such Persons who shall depart the Government by Ticket from that office, provided Actions for the same be entered within Four Months after the Date of such Ticket so obtained; with out Security given, or Certificate had and received from the Clerk of some Precinct Court, as before mentioned. 1715. (Same Laws, page 15.)

An Act was also passed at this session of the Assembly (1715), for raising a Public Magazine of Ammunition, upon the Tonnage of all Vessels trading to this Government.

An Act to encourage the building of Mills.

The Assembly held its Session at the Court House in Chowan Precinct, Augt. 2, to the 20th, 1720, and at Edenton from Oct 2d to 19th, 1722. Bertie Precinct was incorporated during this Session. In 1723, Nov. 23rd, the Assembly met again in Edenton.

Three English emigrants (brothers) Basil, Thomas and John Prather landed in Maryland in 1732. Basil was an Episcopal Clergyman stationed at Rockville; his youngest brother John (then 22 yrs old) removed to Frederick Co., where he was md. in 1738. In 1740 his only son Thomas was born. In 1771 this Thomas removed to North Carolina, (Orange Co.) his first wife was Rachel Gaither by whom he had one son John who removed to Virginia or Tennessee with three daughters; his second wife was Lena Roby, of North Carolina, by whom he had six sons, Thomas, Basil, Leonard, &c., and two daughters. Leonard, was the great grand-father of the lady making the query. Wanted the record of Thomas Prather's marriage to Lena Roby, date and county (probably Orange, Caswell or Alamance). Also the names of all their children, and where their descendants can be located. Was Thomas Prather a soldier in the Rev. War? Did he receive a grant of land in that part of North Carolina which became Tennessee? Also all marriage licenses, dates, &c., of all Prathers which occurred in N. C. Col. John S. Prather was an officer in the cavalry service of the C. S. A. and the lady's Uncle Hon. Warren Aiken was a Confederate States Congressman. Please assist us for the lady.

# ABSTRACT OF CONVEYANCES.

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[From Register's Office of Chowan County, Dook C. No. 1.]

Wm. Rodes, of Morattuck, to Wm. Garrett. 116 acres on west side Coneby Creek; June 29, 1722. Test, John Adderly, Daniel Garrett.

James Williamson, of Bertie to William Haughton. 519 acres near the Sound side, beginning at ye head of Yoppim River, adjoining land of Henry Clayton, Wm. Harris; Nov. 2, 1722. Test, Thos. Swaine, Wm. Benbury.

John, Hare to Joseph Oates, of Perquimans. 125 acres near Bluff Point, adjoining land of James Williamson; Augt. 7, 1722.

Elliner, Sadler to her son William Sadler. 180 acres at or near Green Hall, left me by my husband Wm. Sadler; Apl. 10, 1722. Test, Robert Hicks, Tamer Howcott.

Henry Simes and wife Grace to Wm. Camil. 170 acres on Youra Swamp; Sept. 16, 1722. Test, Barnabee McKinne, Robt. Simes.

Peter West to Robert Moore. 150 acres; Sber 26, 1722. Test, Thos. Spiers, Sarah Smith.

Richard, Pickerin to Martin Cremen. 200 acres S. Side Bear Swamp Marsh, adjoining lands of Col. Pollock; Mch. 2, 1721-2. Test, Hugh Highman, Ann Abel.

Peter West to Mary Williams. 300 acres land.

James Spivey to Isaac Hunter. Test, Christian Heidelberg, Jno. Williams.

Charles Wilkins to James Breton and wife Jane. 100 acres where I now dwell; Mch. 10, 1721. Test, Sam'l Warner, Wm. Stewart, Edwd Standing.

Thomas Harvey to James Wimble. 640 acres S. Side Albemarle Sound by grant to John Vollway, dated Mch. 9th, 1717-8. Deed dated Mch. 29, 1733. Test, Roger Hazard, Thos. Spiers.

John Roads to John Swaine. Assignment of a Patent; Mch. 30, 1721. Test, Sam'l Spruell, Joseph Spruell.

Robert Hicks to Wm. Badham. One moiety of patent dated Mch. 4, 1721, lying on back of the Town of Edenton, binding on uppermost part of Peterson's land, Nicholas Crisp and Welch, 50 acres Apl. 4, 1723. Test, Thos. Luten, Clement Hammond.

Jonathan Kittrell to Richard Parker, of Nansemond Co., Va. 50 acres part of a patent dated July 4, 1723 to said Kittrell; Mch. 23, 1723. Test, George Spivey, James Spivey.

Jon Jernagan to John Williams, both of Nansemond Co., Va.



100 acres part of a patent to said Jernagan, on Wolff Pit Branch, adjoining land of Thomas Jernagan; Mch. 20, 1723.

Robert Fewox and wife Martha to John Worley. Tract of land between lands of Sam'l Spruell and John Davenport, known as Wm. Hardy's Island, Feb. 4, 1722. Test, Thos. Everenden, Jarvis Ballard (Tyrrell Co).

Nath'l Gulliver to Wm. Page. 60 acres on a small branch issuing out of Chowan River, adjoining land of Chas. Gavin; Mch. 23, 1723. Test, Dan'l Streeter, John Odom, (now Gates Co.)

Stephen Williams to Wm. Downing; Aug. 31, 1722. 140 acres part of a patent, dated Aug. 28, 1714, adjoining lands of Abraham Blewlitt and Thomas Byrd.

John Walker to Thos. Bale. 1120 acres on Deep Run; Dec. 30, 1722. Test, Patrick Ogilby, James Long, James Hooper.

James Ward to Joseph Ming and wife Rachel, my daughter. 108 acres Westward Yoppim River Bridge, also 200 acres where said Ming now dwells; Oct. 17, 1722. Test, Jacob Butler, David Butler.

Wm. Horton to Charles Horton. 100 acres adjacent to Yoppim Pocosin; Sep. 15, 1722. Test, John Blount, J. Slosser.

Caleb Stevens and wife Margaret to John Graves. 320 acres adjoining land of John Wyer; Aug. 18, 1722. Test, John Arthur, Henry Lysle.

John Bryan, son of Edward to John Maglohan. 640 acres N. side Weecacon Creek; July 17, 1722. Test, Wm. Crawford, J. Glohan.

Phillip McGuire to John Evans. 100 acres land on Indian Creek adjoining land of Sam'l Pagett; Apl. 15, 1722. Test, John Jordan, John Parker.

Isaac Cardell, of Massachusetts Bay, to John Ainesley. General Power of Attorney; June 15, 1722. Test, Fras Newby, R. Langdon.

Thomas Speight and wife Mary, of Perquimans, to Jacob Hunter. 311 acres in Hogg Neck, adjoining lands of John White and Warwick Swamp; Mch. 5, 1723. (Now Gates Co.)

Wm. Morris to Jasper Hardison. 100 acres lately purchased of John Browning, bounded by lands of Thomas Lee, Cullen Pollock and Welch's Creek; Jan. 7, 1722-3. Test, Robt. Hicks, Jno. Smit (Washington Co.)

William Crawford and wife Catharine to Wm. Bush. 120 acres adjoining land of Thos. McLenden and Abraham Blewlitt; 8ber 13, 1722.

Wm. Crawford to Jno. Bryan (son of Edward); July 17, 1722. 640 acres in St. John's Neck.

Henry Bonner to Thos. Newbern; 8ber 16, 1716. Test, Jno. Nairn.

Tredel Keefe and wife Elliner to Wm. Brasswell. 300 acres on the River (Chowan); Oct. 13, 1716. Test, Fras. McLenden, Wm. Crawford.

John Davison to Richard Barnes, of Nansemond Co., Va. 100 acres N. side of a creek, running out of Meherrin River, part of a patent to said Keefe dated Mch. 5, 1711-12. Test, Rich'd Lawrence, John Odom.

Thomas Spivey to Thos. Speir, Jr., son of said Thomas, and wife Mary, of Nansemond Co., Va. 70 acres N. side Catharine Creek Swamp; 8ber 15, 1716.

Richard Showell did take up and Survey Apl. 10, 1702 a parcel of land on S. Side Sandy Run in Chowan Precinct 290 acres, did sell Nov. 13, 1703 to Wm. Stevens 100 acres said land. I Wm. Copeland do convey to James Fleming the remainder, 8ber 15, 1716. Test, Thos. Luten, Jr., Rich'd Lewis.

James Fleming and wife Margaret to James Byrd, of Nansemond Co., Va. 200 acres on Stopping Creek; 8ber 15, 1716. Test, Thos. Luten, Jr., Henry Jernagan.

James Turner to Thomas Kirk. 300 acres S. side Chowan River on Chinkapin Swamp; 8ber 23, 1716. Test, David Atkins, Isaac Hill.

John White and wife Sarah, to son George White. 10 acres part of a patent to John White in Hogg Neck, dated Aug. 30, 1714; Deed dated 8ber 15, 1716 Test, Luke White, Luke White, Jr., John Goodin.

John White, Sr., and wife Sarah to John Ward. 140 acres in Hogg Neck, part of above patent; 8ber 15, 1716. Test, Jon White, Jr., Luke White, Jno. Gordon.

Edward Smithwick, Jr., and wife Grace to Robert Warburton. 50 acres lying upon the head of Edward Smithwick's land and of the same tract he lives upon, part of the Smithwick and Robt. Warburton land; May 21, 1716. Test, Sarah Anderson, Francis Hobson.

John Edwards and wife Dorcas to Edwd. Moore. 150 acres on West side of Keshiah River; Apl. 28, 1716. Test, Wm. Jones, John Nairn also assigns the patent on the same day.

(Last 12 Conveyances were taken from Book B. No. 1, loose leaves found after the records of Book B. had been made up.)

Book C, No. 1, continued.

Paul Phillips to Nath'l Myer. Assignment of deed; 8ber 4, 1722. Test, John Champion, Wm. Ashley.

Paul Phillips (Schoolmaster) to my friend Jane Parker, widow,

20 acres on S. side Poplar Run, part of a patent to me for 130 acres; Sep. 26, 1722. Test, John Champion, Mary Foxworth.

Paul Phillips to Nathan Myer. 100 acres balance of above patent; 8ber 4, 1722. Test, John Champion, Wm. Ashley, also assigns the patent dated Aug. 10, 1720.

John Arthur to Adam Cockburn, in trust for the heir at law of Daniel Halsey, dec'd. 100 acres on the Bridge Branch and Spruce Branch; Aug. 29, 1723. Test, Robt. Hicks, Thos. Paris.

Edward Wingate and wife Ann (formerly Ann Blount) to Edmund Gale. 240 acres west branch Mattacomack Creek, given by will of James Blount, dec'd to his daughter Ann, (will dated Apl. 16, 1712) now wife of said Wingate. Test, Christian Heidelberg, Jon Laport.

John Charlton to James Privett. 500 acres on Yawpim Pocosin, adjoining lands of Edward Standing, 8ber 16, 1723. Test, Wm. Badham, Robert Forster.

Wm. Yates to Thomas Banks. Assignment of a patent, 8ber 31, 1723. Test, Edward Wingate, John Falconer.

Gabriel Cosans to James Morgan, of Perquimans. 50 acres called the Holes land; 8ber 3, 1723. Test, J. Lovick, Wm. Badham.

Thomas Mewborn to Edmund Gale; Apl. 22, 1724. 100 acres N. E. side Mattacomack Creek, or Queen Anne's Creek joining on lands that were Edw'd Wingate and John Nairn's, where the said Mewborn did lately lived. Test, E. Moseley, Wm. Badham.

George Bromley to Thomas Cook. 190 acres on North Shore of Chowan River, called the wood yards.

Joseph Oates to John Norcomb. Assignment of deed for 125 acres purchased of John Hare; Augt. 7, 1722; deed dated Apl. 3, 1724. Test, Edward Howcott, Robt. Hicks.

Catharine Carlton to James Ward. 38 acres S. side of Yoppim River, bought of Robert Douglas; Apl. 7, 1724. Test, Elijah Jones, David Butler, Susannah Austin.

Matt Bryan to Rich'd Fullington. Part of a patent for 360 acres to-wit: 100 acres adjoining lands of Thos. Williams and Wm. Fallaw; Oct. 6, 1718. Test, Robert Hicks, Katharine Bryan.

Henry Haughton to Benj. Simpson. 88 acres adjoining lands of John Blount and Henry Haughton, part of my patent for 319 acres; May 8, 1713. Test, E. Moseley, S. Swann, Jr.

John Pettiver to Robert Hicks. 563 acres at mouth of Rockyhook Creek, patented Feb. 18, 1714-5; deed dated Aug. 29, 1723. Test, Constantine Luten, Thos. Paris.

John Standiford, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Thomas Wallis. 200 acres S. side Catharine Creek and on Warrick Swamp; Jan. 8, 1723-4. Test, John Keaton, John Ismay, Chas. Beele.

William Haughton to Wm. Stuart. 100 acres adjoining land of Wm. Eggerton and Iron Mine Branch; Apl. 22, 1724. Test, Sam'l Warner, Thos. Hoarth, Benj. Simpson.

Luke White to John Evans. 640 acres on S. W. side Chinkapin Swamp; patent granted Thos. Bray; Sber 14, 1723. Test, John Jordan, Christian Heidleberg.

Wm. Egerton to James Chesson. One moiety of 300 acres, adjoining Robert Douglas' and Robt. Murray's land, on the head of the Creek Fork, patent dated Apl., 1723; 8ber 19, 1723. Test, D. Beekmen, Wm. Badham.

Thos. Bray to John Ricards. Tract of land whereon Lawrence Mague lately dwelt, at the mouth of Indian Town Creek, one tract 540 acres the other 200 acres adjoining where I purchased of Wm. Gordon; July 30, 1724. Test, Wm. Badham, Robt. Hicks.

John Rice and wife Sarah to John Burkett, Jr. 220 acres beginning at a Black Oak in Garrett's line, &c., patent granted to Thos. Roberts for 566 acres Nov. 11, 1720; Mch. 19, 1724. Test, Rich'd Boozman, Edw'd Wood.

George Hewes, Sr., to his son George Hewes, Jr. Tract of land formerly patented by Wade Manier, of Nansemond Co., Va., Aug. 16, 1716, on Hofsely Pott Pocosin, 363 acres; Sep. 18, 1724. Test, Fras Page, Edw'd Howcott.

John Duckinfield to Nath'l Duckinfield. 1,000 acres in Albemarle County, N. C.; May 18th, 1724. Said land due to me for Sundry patents. Test, Whr Lane, Hercules Coyte, Edw'd Moseley.

Thomas Matthews to my son-in-law Sam'l Byfields. 50 acres on Queen Anne's Creek on the back or head line of the land where I now live, bounded North by lands of Thos. Jones, and Morgan Swamp; Jan. 8, 1723-4. Test, John Crisp, John Pagett.

Thomas, Garrett, Jr., and wife Thomasin, to John Brinkley. 230 acres S. side Catherine Creek Swamp; 8ber 14, 1723. Test, Thos. Rountree, John Freeman.

John Freeman and wife Martha to John Barnes; Jan. 16, 1720. 50 acres S. side Warrick Swamp. Test, Rt. Hicks, Edw'd Outlaw.

Michael Brinkley and wife Mary to Thos. Rountree. 175 acres on Warrick Swamp, adjoining land of Francis Rountree. Test, Walter Draughon, Thos. Hobbs, Thos. Wallis; 8ber 10, 1724.

Richard Berryman and wife Martha to John Rice. 200 acres on N. side Warwick Swamp; Mar. 31, 1724. Test, John Williamson, Thos. Rice.

Thomas Bray, of New Kent Co., Va., to Wm. Badham. 500 acres in Rockyhook Neck; July 21, 1724. Test, Wm. Daniel, Rt. Hicks.

John Rice to Richard Berryman. 100 acres formerly purchased

of said Berryman; Oct. 5, 1724. Test, Robt. Forster, Thos. Parris. William Fallaw to Thos. Luten. 50 acres part of 332 acres patented by me, Mch. 30, 1721.

Moses Foxworth and wife to John Overton, of Nansemond Co., Va. 100 acres on Hog Yard Branch and Indian Town Creek; Feb. 14, 1723-4. Test, John Parker, Joshua Parker, John Overton.

Edward Orrenton and wife Isla, to John Braveboy. 50 acres west side Darba; Oct. 23, 1723. Test, Jos. Oates, Thos. Haughton, Chas. Stacey.

Thomas Bray of New Kent Co., Va., to Richard Whitby (Whedbee) of Perquimans. 640 acres on Indian Town Creek, the land where James Farlow now dwelleth, being the plantation where Thos. Bray formerly dwelt, and formerly belonging to Thomas Pollock; Mch. 30, 1725. Test, Thos. Pollock, Robt. Loyd.

Wm. Charlton and wife Susannah to Wm. Williams. 600 acres adjoining Dogwood lands and lands of Charles Wilkins and Edward Standin; Jan. 26, 1724-5. Test, Henry Speller, Thos. Parris.

Richard Marsh to John Ismay, Power of Attorney; Dec. 3, 1724. Test, Adam Cockburn, Thomas Croker.

John Worley to John Jones. 100 acres on Chowan Sound, adjoining land of Thomas Lee; Nov. 5, 1724. Test, Joshua Worley, Jane Vollway.

John Hicks to Wm. Cockrill. 200 acres on Indian Creek Swamp; Mch. 29, 1725. Test, John Jordan, Chas. Sowell.

William Smith to Thomas Pierce. 70 acres part of 100 acres known as Poplar Neck, (other part sold to Thomas Newborn) given said Smith by will of his mother, Mary Smith, dec'd, (on the Sound): Mch. 19, 1723-4. Test, Thos. Mewborn, Elizabeth Burwell, Wm. Smith.

John Ames and wife Jane to Francis Ponrice. Assigns deed for 92 acres formerly assigned to him by Fras Smith; Feb. 15, 1723-4. Test, Thomas Pierce, Jr., John Bennett.

Samuel Woodward to Isaac Williams. Assignment of deed for 125 acres on N. side Chowan River, purchased of Richard Riddick; July 5, 1723. Test, Wm. Badham, John Fryer.

Edward Howcott and wife Thamer to John Howcott. 200 acres in Bertie adjoining land of Francis Macklenden; May 18, 1724. Test, Rt. Hicks, John Jones.

Henry Speller, Patience Speller and James Swain to James Ward. 90 acres on S. side Yoppim River, formerly belonging to Stephen Swaine; Dec. 21, 1721. Test, Thos. Harvey, Chris. Butler.

James Swaine to James Ward. 60 acres S. side Yoppim River; May 14, 1725. Test, Wm. Pieræ, Henry Speller.

Jerome Armore (Armour) and Arthur Goff to Edward Moseley,

Gdn. of Elizabeth Glover (daughter of Gov. Wm. Glover) Bond for 300£. (Mrs. Glover mother of Elizabeth, md. 2nd Tobias Knight.)

John Burket and wife Elizabeth to Thomas Garrett. 220 acres on Foxworth and Dudley's line, part of patent to Thomas Roberts for 1566 acres ; Nov. 11, 1720. Test, Thos. Garrett, Sr., Jno. Gray.

Jerome Armore to Edward Moseley, Gdn. of Elizabeth Glover, Negro woman Nanny, 1724.

Thos. Garrett, Sr., and wife Bethiah to Thos. Garrett, Jr. 400 acres S. side Catharine Creek Swamp. Test, John Richards, John Ismay.

John Goodwin and wife Mary to Epaphroditus Brinkley. 450 acres S. side Warrick Swamp; Reg. July 27, 1725. Test, Edward Wingate.

Joshua Turner to Thomas Long. Assignment of deed for land purchased of James Long; Mch. 9, 1724-5. Test, Wm. Gard, John Long.

Thomas Long to James Wimble, assigns above deed.

Epaphroditus Brinkley to Wm. Freeman. 150 acres S. side Catharine Creek Swamp; Mch. 25, 1725. Test, Jno. Gordon, Jno. Freeman.

Francis Rountree to Thomas Rountree. A water mill on Catharine Creek Swamp; January 18, 1724. Test, Wm. Hill, Aaron Blanchard.

John Burkett and wife Jane to John Goodwin. 320 acres on S. side Warrick Swamp; July 16, 1725. Test, Epaphroditus Brinkley, Jno. Burkett, Jr.

Edmund Porter to Geo. Barrington. 90 acres bought of Wm. Haughton; July 20, 1725. Test, Cullen Pollock, Geo. Pollock.

Edward Hassell to Richard Addison. 240 acres S. side Scuppernong River, joining lands of Edmund Phelps; Mch. 27, 1725. Test, John Patchett, Jos. Turner.

Edward Wesson to Thos. Blichenden. 100 acres adjoining lands of Jno. Burkett; 1722. Test, John Falconer, John Price.

Thos. Bray, of New Kent Co., Va., to John Wallis. Tract of land called Sandy Point, adjoining Luke White's land, 200 acres; July 31, 1724. Test, Rt. Hicks, Jno. Richards.

William Badham to Samuel Woodward. 500 acres bought of Thos. Bray; Aug. 2, 1725. Test, Henry Clayton, Richard Everard.

Wm. Fallaw to Matthew Gumbs. 100 acres N. side head of Mat-tacomack Creek, adjoining lands of Wm. Fallaw and Jno. Keaton; Jan. 19, 1724-5. Test, Jno. Graves, David Atkins.

Matthew Gumbs, of Perquimans, to John Ballard. Conveys above tract; Jan. 19, 1724-5. Test, John Jones, David Adkins.

Wm. Riddick to Thomas Johnson. 125 acres on Chowan River,

between land of Luke White and Charles Williams up to John Wallis; Aug. 24, 1725. Test, Thos. Beverly, Sam'l Woodward.

Thomas Stacey to Cornelius Leary. 50 acres bounded by lands of John Woollard and Vines Cropley; Apl. 20, 1725. Test, Wm Stewart, John Simons.

Wm. Stuart and wife Mary. Assign 50 acres to Thos. Stacey; Nov. 21, 1719. Test, John Harrison, John Hare.

Chas. Craddock to Andrew Oliver. 100 acres West side Scuppernong River; July 15, 1725. Test, John Rogers, Matt. Casswell, Sam'l Spruell.

Meedia White to Christopher Heidelberg. Assigns deed for 275 acres bought of Robt. Hicks; Jan. 19, 1724-5. Test, David Thomas, Rt. Hicks.

William Coward to Thos. Garrett. Assigns deed for 200 acres bought of Jos. Jessup; July 28, 1724. Test, Orlando Champion.

Jno. White, Sr., to John Pettiver. Assigns deed for 150 acres on Ballard's Swamp; Nov. 20, 1724-5. Test, Henry Olayton.

Christopher Gale's receipt to Henry Clayton, Recorder General of N. C., for 36£ for six months salary as Chief Justice; Aug. 5, 1724.

John Dunston's receipt to Arthur Goffe, Recorder Genl. of N. C. for 76£, one and three quarter years salary.

Thomas Boyd's receipt to same, as Atty Genl.

Thomas Luten to my daughter, Mary Evans. Conveys Sandy Point, adjoining lands of Jeremiah Vail. 200 acres, Sarah, Mary and Elizabeth Evans daughters of Jonathan Evans; Nov. 12, 1725. Test, Elizabeth Hews, Luke Gregory.

Thomas Luten to his son Henderson Luten. Remainder of above tract, including Harris' field, adjoining land of John Blount; Nov. 15, 1715. Test, Elizabeth Hews, Luke Gregory.

Robert Hicks to Thomas Hoarth. Assignment deed for 264 acres bought of John Pettiver; Aug. 29, 1725-6. Test, Thos. Parris, Robt. Kingham.

Orlando Champion to Thomas Jones. 20 acres on Morgan Swamp and Mattacomack Creek; Feb. 21, 1725. Test, Rt. Hicks, Henry Bonner.

Henry Bonner to Orlando Champion. 20 acres East side Slocumb Creek, on the west side of a branch called Filberd's Creek; Feb'y 21, 1725. Test, Robt. Hicks, Thomas Jones.

Wm. Haughton to Jacob Butler. Assignment of deed for land bought of J. Williamson; Feb. 20, 1725-6. Test, Jean Ames, Thos. Stacey, Rt. Hicks.

John Burwell and wife Elizabeth daughter of Joseph Orsburne, of Janeworth, County Stafford, Great Britain, late widow and relict of John Herrick and niece of Thomas Guy, Stationer of London.

dec'd, by means of his decease becomes heir to 1,000£ by his will. Assigns same to Edmund Porter; Sept. 16, 1725. Test, Wm. Steward, Solomon Hews, A. Goffe.

Phillip Maguire, of Bertie, to John Overton. 200 acres on Old Town Creek Swamp; Jan. 26, 1725. Test, John Byrom, Sarah Byrom.

John Jordan to his son Charles Jordan. 116 acres adjoining land of John Overton; Apl. 21, 1726. Test, John Byrom, Mary Chapell.

Same to son Edward Jordan. 400 acres lately bought of Charles Sowall; Apl. 22, 1726. Test, John Byrom, Chas. Jordan.

Wm. Haughton to Jacob Butler. Assignment of deed for land purchased of James Wilkinson; Feb. 20, 1725-6. Test, Jean Ames, Thos. Stacey.

William Hughes to Joseph Vann. Lease for 200 acres adjoining land of Rich'd Odom and Knotty Pine Swamp (Gates Co.); July 30, 1725. Test, Sarah Williams, Geo. Hughes, Sr.

Same to Same. Deed of Release; July 4, 1725.

John Pettiver, of Perquimans, to John Ogilby. Deed of Gift for 640 acres on the head of Scuppernong River; Dec. 6, 1725. Test, John Dougall, Ann Pettiver.

John Williams, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Robert Rogers of same place; Nov. 27, 1725. 100 acres part of a patent to John Jernagan; Mch. 20, 1723. Test, Robert Rogers, Sr., Simon Daniel, Henry Gardner.

John Alston to William Sumner, of Nansemond Co., Va. 100 acres North side Bennett's Creek, part of a patent to said Alston; dated Mch. 1, 1722. Test, John Sumner, Jas. Riddick, Jno. Sneed.

William Sumner to George House of Upper Parish, Nansemond Co., Va.; Mch. 6, 1726. 100 acres part of a patent to said Sumner dated Apl. 3, 1723. Test, James Riddick, John Sumner, Joseph Everard.

Francis Pettitt to John Stone. 50 acres adjoining lands of John Bennett; Dec. 31st, 1726. Test, Wm. Biggs, Wm. Smith.

Jacob Odom to Moses Hare. 15 acres; Oct. 1, 1726. Test, John Pipkin, Robert Rogers, Godfrey Stancele.

Epaphroditus Brinkley to Thomas Ward. 150 acres adjoining lands of John Goodwin and Edward Wingate; Apl. 21, 1727. Test, John Goodin, Jno. Brinkley, Mary Goodin.

Edward Hassell to John Hassell. Plantation called Heart's Light on East side Scuppernong River, 250 acres; June 3rd, 1725. (Town of Columbia, in Tyrrell Co., now.—Editor.) Test, John Jennett, Anthony Alexander, Jr.

William Fryley to James Jones; Jan'y 18, 1724. 500 acres for-



merly surveyed by Mr. Lillington for Richard Rose. Test, Patrick Maule, Edward Moseley.

Christian Heidleberg to John Dunning. 275 acres adjoining land of John White; July 10, 1727. Test, John Parker, Mary Jones.

Ann Batchelor to Matt Caswell. 100 acres on South side Albemarle Sound, bounded on lands of Cuthbert Phelps on Scuppernong River; Jan'y 11, 1726. Test, Thos. Smith, Joshua Worley.

Solomon Alston to Francis Pugh. Assigns patent for 200 acres at the head of Bennett's Creek; Mch. 31, 1727. Test, Henderson Luten, Francis Brown.

Thomas Lovick to John Benbury. 300 acres butting to the South on Albemarle Sound, East lands of Wm. Benbury, West lands lately in possession of President Pollock; Dec. 29, 1724. Test, Samuel Warren, John Harloe.

Thomas Yates to Thomas Spires. 140 acres N. E. Side Chowan River, being one half tract patented by Thomas Jones and sold by him to David Jones and by said David to said Thomas Yates, adjoining Tindal Swamp; Apl. 2, 1726. Test, Wm. Little, Joseph Oates.

George Hews to William Hews; Apl. 22, 1726. Lease of 340 acres patented Oct. 22, 1719, by Thos. Jernigan. Test, Sam'l Williams, Thos. Jernigan.

George Hews to his son William Hews. Deed of Release; Apl. 22, 1725. Test, Thos. Jernigan, Sam'l Williams.

John Stepney and wife Sarah to Francis Wells. 940 acres adjoining lands of Jacob Butler; Augt. 16, 1726. Test, Richard Sanderson, Edmund Gale.

John Davidson and wife Mary of Nansemond Co., Va., to John Gay of same place. 200 acres patented by said Davison; Mch. 1, 1717; adjoining lands of Richard Lawrence and Cole Milliner; 8ber 1, 1725. Test, Charles King, Henry King, Jas. Cowling.

Same to Charles King. 221 acres adjoining above tract; Aug. 15, 1725. Test, Wm. Lee, John Hicks, Jr., John Rogers, John Minshew.

Charles Jordan to Robert Willson. 600 acres patented Mch. 9, 1717-8, adjoining lands of James Farlow, Thos. Hicks, James Thigpen; July 28, 1726. Test, John Jordan, Jos. Jordan.

John Collins and wife Martha to James Your. 199 acres beginning at a pine in Henry Hackley's line, calls for John Harris' line on West side Scratch Hall Pocosin; May 3, 1726. Test, John Norris, Andrew Hambleton.

Same to John Norris. 200 acres adjoining above; Dec. 28, 1725. Test, Andrew Hambleton, James Your, Martha Collins appointed Major John Alston her Atty to acknowledge deed.

Same to Andrew Hambleton. 100 acres adjoining above; Dec. 10, 1725. Test, John Norris, James Your.

James Riddick to Andrew Hambleton; Mch. 26, 1726. 640 acres adjoining land of Abraham Odom. Test, Samuel Guillam, John Kitterlin.

Samuel Williams to Alex Oliver. 100 acres adjoining land of William Crawford patented by John Jernegan; Jan'y 2, 1723. Test, John Kittrell, Henry Baker.

Thomas Luten to his daughter Mary Evans. 300 acres at Sandy Point; May 31, 1726. Test, Robert Hicks, Henderson Luten.

Paul Palmer to Charles Jordan, 1726. 34 acres adjoining land of John Jordan and John Parker. Test, Robert Hicks, Richard Everard.

Epaphroditus Benton to Richard Chappell. 200 acres in Hogg Neck on South side Warwick Swamp; 8ber 10, 1726. Test, Wm. and John Freeman.

Richard Beacken, of Norfolk County, Parish of Elizabeth, to John Goodwin. 100 acres in Hogg Neck, Surveyed by Francis Thornton. Test, Francis Rountree, Edward Wesson; Jan'y 10, 1721-2.

Samuel Woodward to Job Meader. 200 acres on N. E. side Chowan River, adjoining lands of John Jordan. Test, Wm. Coward, John Jordan, Jr.

Same to John Jordan. 200 acres on South side Chowan River; 8ber 25, 1726. Test, Job Measer, Wm. Coward.

Robert Wilson to Thomas Elliott. One half patent granted Chas. Jordan Mch. 16, 1718-9, lying next the Punch Bowl; Oct. 25, 1726. Test, Ralph Bowman, Mary Bowman.

Thomas Elliott to Aaron Elliott. 100 acres part of above tract; 8ber 25, 1726.

James Ward to David Butler. Assigns deed for land bought of Cath Carleton Apl. 17, 1724; this deed dated Dec. 5, 1724. Test, Wm. Rainer, Thos. Ward.

John Lovick Atty. for Fras. Hammerden, of Douraie, Kent, to Christopher Gale. About 130 acres adjoining to Edenton, bounded east by lands of Nicholas Crisp and where the said Gale now lives; Mch. 25, 1727. Test, Robt. Forster, Wm. Badham.

Col. Thomas Harvey to Wm. Rowden. 640 acres lying on South Shore of Chowan, adjoining lands of Wm. Fryerley, patented by Edw'd Moseley; Aug. 1, 1727. Test, Thos. Parris, Wm. Downing.

Charles Fortce to Fras Hammerdin. 130 acres adjoining Queen Anne's Town; Sept. 27th, 1728. Test, Thos. Betterly, Jno. Falconer.

Thomas Lovick to Thomas Penrice. My Manor plantation, 600 acres adjoining Dogwood lands and those of Chas. Wilkins, Nov. 22, 1727. Test, Richard Sanderson, Thos. Betterly.

William Williams and wife Francis to Thomas Lovick. Deed for above land; Nov. 4, 1727. Test, Thos. Betterly, Wm. Rowdon.

Thomas Luten to Richard Leary. 550 acres bounded West by the Sound, East by lands of Gov. Thos. Pollock adjoining lands of James Long and Mr. Womble; Sept. 5, 1727. Test, Wm. Stewart, Jno. Simons, Cornelius Leary.

George White to John Wallis. 100 acres in Rockyhook called Pidgeon's Point; Aug. 21, 1727. Test, Robert Hicks.

John Richard to Thomas Holliday, of James City Co., Va. 540 acres at the mouth of Indian Town Creek, one other tract of 200 acres in possession of Thos. Parker adjoining. Test, Thos. Paris.

James Wimble to John Pettiver. Assigns Patent for 640 acres on the head of Scuppernong River; Patent dated Aug. 3, 1723. Test, Thos. Parris, Susan Parris; Aug. 28, 1725.

John Jones to Henry Bonner. 125 acres on Western branch of Mattacomack Creek; July 8, 1725. Test, Robert Hicks, Elizabeth Baker.

Edward Moseley, Gdn. for Elizabeth Glover, to Jerome Armour. Negro woman named Nanny; Jan'y 18, 1725.

Jerome Armour to Robert Loyd. Negro woman Nanny; Dec. : 1725. Test, George Burrington, James Winwright.

Robert Douglas to David Butler. 250 acres bought by my father Robt. Douglas, dec'd, of Thomas Clark; Apl. 12, 1725. Test, Timothy Truelove, James Bassett, James Ward.

Aaron Blanchard to cousin Robert Blanchard. 40 acres in Meherrin Neck; July 16, 1725. Test, Henderson Luten, Rich'd Minshew.

Same to Richard Minshew, his near kinsman. 100 acres in Meherrin Neck; July 16, 1725. Test, Robt. Blanchard, Henderson Luten.

John Brown, of Bertie, to Samuel Johnson, of Nansemond Co., Va. 286 acres adjoining land of Richard Malpus. Test, Robert Foster, Thos. Spiers.

William Lilse and wife Mary to Charles Ricketts and wife Elizabeth. 100 acres in Cowhall adjoining land of Nicholas Blackman; Aug. 19, 1725. Test, Robt. Jeffreys, George Lilse.

Thomas Stacey and wife Christian to Alexander Smith. *Illegible*. Test, Thomas Horton, Jno. Watkins. (Book B. loose leaf.)

Thos. Hawkins to Thos. Willey. 100 acres, dividing upon Thos. Long's line. (Book B.)

William Crawford to John Bryan; July 17, 1722. (bal. gone). Test, Jno. Falconer, Wm. Jones.

Jas. Castellaw to James Hudson. Assignment of land purchased

of Jacob Hardy, and by him bought of John Crombie; Aug. 14, 1722. Test, Thos. Rains, Wm. Badham.

John Gardner to Thomas Rogers. Assignment of a deed for land purchased of John Simons Mch. 15, 1722; Deed dated Oct. 7, 1722. Test, Wm. Latimore, James Brady.

John Edwards to James Roberts and John Gensett. Assignment of a Patent for 220 acres dated Aug. 20, 1720; Mch. 21, 1721. Test, Chas. Pate, Chas. Barber.

Smith William and wife Ann to Richard Abel. 300 acres beginning at Adam Cockburne's corner, adjoining land of John Hardy; Jan'y 26, 1721-22. Test, Lewis Davis, Geo. Cockburn.

John Edwards and wife Dorcas to their son John Edwards, Jr. Assignment of deed for land bought of Samuel Edmunds; Apl. 16, 1716; deed dated May 28, 1722. Test, Edw. Moseley, Jas. Roberts.

Roger Snell to Roger Bell. 200 acres on South side of branch of Casia River; Augt. 21, 1721. Test, John Crombie, Sam'l Ratliffe.

Matthew Edwards to John Williams. 150 acres beginning at Jonathan Stanley's corner tree; July 14, 1721. Test, John Rasberry, Jas. Castellow, Wm. Badham.

Richard Killingsworth to Michael Dorman. 480 acres on South side Urah Swamp, patented March 1, 1699. Deed dated July 17, 1722. Test, James Howard, Richard Williams.

Richard Williams to George Allen, of Va. 150 acres remainder of 400 acres granted John Yelverton, I reserve 100 for myself, and have sold Wm. Coward 150 acres; Apl. '23, 1723. Test, Robert Forster, Thos. Beeman, Wm. Courie.

John Downing to Phillip MaGuire. 90 acres on old Town Creek Swamp; May 14, 1723. Test, John Jordan.

William Smith and wife Rachel to Thomas Mewborn. 30 acres part of land known as "Hardy's Old Field," lately in possession of Thos. Pierce, Jr.; Aug. 3, 1723. Test, Sarah Fleder, Thos. Calloway.

Henry Clayton to Joseph Alexander. Assignment of deed for 900 acres on South side Albemarle Sound; Aug. 9, 1721. Test, Sam'l Phelps, Thos. Parriss.

Jonathan Bateman to Wm. Hewete. 200 acres on South side Albemarle Sound, part of a patent for 300 acres to Rich'd Burtonshall; Augt. 2, 1722. Test, Wm. Gray, Robt. Hicks.

John Crosby and wife Lydia to Wm. Howett. Assignment patent for 400 acres West side Meherrin Creek; Mch. 9, 1717-8. Test, Samuel Wheatly, Josiah Bridgers, Robert Hicks.

Wm. Kelley and wife Hannah to Edw. Wesson. 100 acres North side of Warriek Swamp; Jan. 20, 1723. Test, Rob't Keele, Jas. Keele.

Joseph Hudson, of Bertie, to Samuel Pagett. 100 acres near Barrow Hole, adjoining lands of Wm. Woodley and Henry Lyle; Augt. 29, 1723. Test, Henry Yyle, Sam'l Warren, Robert Hicks.

## MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

(From Records of Albemarle County and Chowan County at Edenton, N. C.)

Timothy Yeates married widow of Peter Young about 1750.

Samuel Bayard Captain of the Privateer Brigantine Hester captured the Spanish Vessel called the Jupiter, Capt. John Cresicy, carried the vessel to Brunswick, Cape Fear, N. C., where she was condemned and sold. She carried 12 carriage guns and one Swivel gun.

Richard Tilghman was Clerk of Queen Anne's County Court, Maryland, from 26th June, 1728 to Nov. 2nd, 1763, when he resigned.

Vote for Member of Congress in Chowan Feb'y 15, 1783, Stephen Cabarrus 243, William Johnston Dawson 85; Jan'y 28, 1791, Chas. Johnson 234, Hugh Williamson 93. Augt. 12, 1796 Demsey Burgess majority 149. Charles Johnston was elected to Congress in 1801--3 to succeed David Stone resigned.

Commission of James Hassell as Chief Justice signed by Matthew Rowan, Governor, and Jos. Murray, Sect'y, Sept. 4, 1753.

John Sumner, Dempsey Sumner, Thomas Walton and Richard Bond were appointed Justices of the Peace July 10, 1750.

Thomas Jacocks, Master of Ship Swallow from Edenton to Boston March 28, 1760; he married Rebecca Scolley, of Boston, Mrs. Dorrance, of Middleborn, Mass., is a descendant of this marriage.

John Van Pelt Master of Sloop Mary, Sept. 26, 1755.

Thomas Durant Master of Sloop Lyon (1763).

Dr. Frederick Ramcke and Capt. Samuel Butler were arrested Augt. 16, 1800, being about to engage in a duel; cause not stated.

Major Nathaniel Allen and Col. Lemuel Creecy were arrested Aug. 15, 1800, as they were about to leave for the field of honor, to settle their misunderstanding, the cause of the difficulty is not stated as usual.

George Williams' will (Bertie) 1735. Wife Margaret, daughter Mary Williams, father George Williams, Exr. Test, Thos. Brown, Chas. Horne, Thos. Andrews.

Thomas Beasley nephew of Thomas Falker.

Joseph Hassell married Anne (daughter of James Fox,) James Fox died in 1754. Sarah Fox daughter of Thomas son of James, daughter Susannah married Wm. Alexander.

John Barber's will, (Currituck) Apl. 14, 1762. Wife Linna, son Joshua, daughter, Letitia and Sarah, brother Thomas Fenton and Mr. Sam'l Bernard Exrs. Test, Ann Stanley, Sam'l Bernard, Anne Bernard, Thomas Sawyer married Letitia.

Margaret Gregory's will of Pasquotank Co., 1746-7. July Court 1753. Sons Richard, James, John and Caleb, daughters Mary Humphries, Margaret Barber and Sarah Grandy, grand-daughter Sarah Humphries, son James Exr. Test, James Forbes, Elizabeth Forbes, Rebecca Harding.

Cornelius Relfe, of Pasquotank, who died in 1750, left children William, Mary and Agnes. Dempsey Gregory md. Mary. Agnes died and so did the widow, Nathaniel Wilson become Guardian of Mary, said Mary has since died (no date).

Daniel Foy, Exr. of Francis Foy, suit vs. Thos. Bell (1760).

Adam Ferguson died in Craven Co., leaving son Adam and daughter Sarah who md. James Toole, of Princess Anne Co., Va. Adam died soon after his father. Issue of Sarah and James Toole, (1) Adam Toole, (2) Mary md. Solomon Miller now deceased, (3) Elizabeth md. William Morris, issue William, Thomas, Arthur, Josiah, and Francis Morris, (4) Rebecca Toole md William Millar, issue, Willoughby, Jesse, Courtney and Lucy Millar, and by her 2nd husband Malborn Godfrey, issue, Jesse, Sophia and Ann Godfrey, (5) Margaret Toole md. John Whitehead, issue, John, William and Margaret Whitehead (1761).

Charles Blacknall suit vs. John Brooks in 1762.

Elizabeth Whitmell md. April 18, 1734 Geo. Pollock son of Gov. Thomas Pollock, he died Oct. 27, 1736. No issue, Elizabeth md. 2nd Feb'y 24, 1736-7. Thomas Blount, issue Whitmell Blount and Winnefred Blount md her 1st Cousin Hon. Whitmell Hill. Thomas Blount died Sept. 1st, 1745, and Elizabeth md. Oct. 2, 1746 William Williams. Cullen Pollock brother of George died Feb'y 9, 1750.

Snowfield, in Bertie county, contained, in 1724, 640 acres of land situated at the head of Little Roquist Creek, it was occupied then by William Gray (brother of John) as lessee having been leased to him for seven years by William Maule, 100 acres of the 640, being the quantity leased. Later a suit was brought vs. Wm. Marshall by Wm. Maule and Needham Bryan was notified to look after his interest if he had any.

Jonathan Mountfort, Joseph York and Elizabeth Mitchell widow of John were joint owners of Sloop Hannah and Mary; Power of Att'y to John Nichols, of Boston, June 3, 1718. Acknowledged before John Clark, J. P.

Suit of Richard Washington vs Jonathan Christmas, 1724.

Francis Pridgeon was in Chowan in 1723 and lived on Chowan River, Pridgeon's Point at the mouth of Indian Creek between Bandon and Wingfield took its name from him.

John Worley and Joshua Worley of age in 1726. (Sons of John Worley).

Edmund Gale, Barnabe McKinne, Wm. Downing, Robert Lloyd, John Alston, John White, Thomas Lovick and Richard Greaves were appointed Justices of the General Court of that part of the Province of N. C., which lies east of Cape Fear.

A Court was held at the house of John Harris Feb'y 4, 1689, present Maj. Alex Lillington, Caleb Calloway, Henry White, Thos. Vandemullen. Henderson Walker Clerk of the Court.

"Att a Court holden for Albemarle County at the house of Francis Hartly ye 1st Monday in October, 1688, present Wm. Wilkinson, Thos. Pollock, Alex Lillington, Patrick Beally and John Hunt, Henderson Walker Clerk, Edward Wood High Sheriff."

Samuel Chadwick, Ephraim Chadwick, Ebenezer Chadwick and John Burnap all late of New England now of Carteret precinct, Bath Co., were engaged in 1726 in fishing for whale in the waters of North Carolina.

"To Samuel Chadwick you are hereby permitted with three boats to fish for whale or other Royall fish on the Seay Coast by this Government and whatsoever ye shall catch to convert to your own use paying to ye Honble ye Governor one tenth parte of ye Oyle and bone made by Vertue of this License. By the ye Honble ye Governr order.  
Richard Rustull, for Collector."

Benjamin West, of Pasquotank, married Winnifred Boyd (widow of Thomas), 1720.

Jeremiah Finch was dead in 1725.

Dr. Patrick Maule Exr. of Wm. Maule suit vs. George Martin of Maryland late of Bertie Precinct, 1728.

John and Martha Cotten's daughter md. John Speir. She was dead in 1726.

There was an Abigail Vallentine in Chowan in 1723.

Ralph Fletcher, of Perquimans, was born in 1632. (Affidavit made in 1694).

George Eubank, of Bertie, suit vs. John Green and Jno. Bobbitt 1732.

Phillip Lightfoot and Benjamin Harrison, Exrs. of Francis Lightfoot of Va., suit vs. Geo. Rawlins, of Bertie, (1731).

Elizabeth, widow of Thomas Haughton, md. 2nd John Penrice, 3rd Jacob Butler. Daughter Mary md. Thomas Minge 1778.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brimmage Gdn of Wm. West Brimmage, 1778.

Luke White kept the Ferry from Rockyhock to Bertie Co., N. C., in 1739.

John Welch died in Chowan in 1730 leaving his wife Exr. She died the same year, they left four children—eldest son George. Joseph Parker md. Sarah the eldest daughter.

John Rivet md. Anne Lawler (daughter of Patrick) heir at law to her brother Darby Lawler, John Singleton md. Mary Lawler widow of David Lawler (1736).

Robert Moore came from Douglas, Isle of Man, to N. C., with Rev. Richard Marsden. He was left in Chowan by Mr. Marsden when he removed to Cape Fear.

Daniel Goldsmith, Inspector of Tobacco and Keeper of Warehouse in Edenton, 1759.

James Pettinger for himself, Elitia his wife and Mary Johnson, assigned to Isaac Guilford.

Oct. 1712, William Barefield for himself twice, John Shepherd, Sam'l Gayward, Thos. Matthews, John Robison, John Lahay and Joyce his wife, Ann their daughter assigned to Col. Wm. Reed.

Dec., 1702. James Fewox for importation, Sarah Wood, Eliz Wood, Henry, Richard, Mary, John and Henry Smith, Jr., William and Francis Casswell Edith and Edward Batchelor, Mark, Elizabeth Deborah and Jane Wheeler, Daniel, Elizabeth, Sarah, John, Thomas and Abraham House, John, Rachel, John, Jr., Elizabeth, Mary and Sarah Smith, Cornelius and Elizabeth Dunevare, John and Thomas Word (probably Ward).

Robert Saunders for himself six times, George Saunders, George Beshar, Job Woolyard, John and William Tooke, Phillip Sexton, Sam'l Hopkins, John Duisdall, John Farrington.

Thos. Abington, Clk.

July 5, 1697. Nicholas Tyler, 2 passages, Katharine his wife, Kellam, Mary, Rose, Ann, William and Katharine Tyler, Archibald McCarrell, Daniel Bathell, Farnifold Green, in all 12.

Michael O'Neill Sr., himself, wife Deborah, Michael O'Neill, Jr., Deborah O'Neill, Ann O'Neill, Sam'l Cowenton, Chas. Smith, Clk.

James Neville, himself 2 passages. Dorothy his wife, Rebecca, Richard, James, John and Thomas Neville.

Nicholas Tyler for importation of Francis Garganus, Leonard Jones, Jane McDaniell, herself twice and John Hogan.

John Buntin for Edward Keisland, an Indian named Frank.

Wm. Hancock for William, Susanna, William, Jr., Frances and

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For every person brought into the Colony or Province the party inducing them to come was entitled to a grant of 50 acres of land, this was called "Headrights."



Israel Johnson, James Therell, Richard Ashworth, Roger Monteigue, Susannah Monteigue.

Joseph Leathworth for himself, wife Sarah, Tabitha Leathworth, Susanna Edwards, Charles a negro. Test, Chas. Smith, Clerk.

Aug. 19, 1701. Pasquotank Court, Peter Gregory and wife Letitia, Rich'd Belington assigned to Thos. Abington and by him to Thos. Boyd.

Cornelius Jones for Edward Blackburne, Mary Howden, Dyana a negro, Sarah and Sambo Indians, John Parker, Adam, Sythee and Wapping negroes.

Oct. 20, 1701. Sam'l Pike for himself twice, Jane his wife.

John Nash for himself.

James Forbes for himself, Alice his wife, John, James, Jr., Elizabeth, Thomas, Bayley and Edward Forbes, Lewis, Hester and Maria Knight, assigned to Isaac Guilford.

John Tooke for himself twice, Francis Britton, John Swann, William and James Tooke, Margaret Tooke assigned to Thomas Abington. Thos. Abington, Clk.

Augt. 19, 1701. Mrs. Ann Pope widow, Perisho a negro.

Samuel Pope, himself twice and Jane his wife.

Henry Creath, himself, Richard Creath, Richard Stanley, Wm. Clarke.

Joseph Peiry, himself, wife Ann, Elizabeth his second wife, Joseph, Susanna, Alice and Sarah Peiry, Obodiah Fair.

Henry Maudeville for Richard Burtonshall and wife Priscilla, Richard, Jr., Priscilla, Jr., Elizabeth and Dorcas Burtonshall, David, Mary, David, Jr., Mary, Jr., and Margaret Jones.

Aug. 1702. Richard Prince, for himself twice, Daniel Sullivant and wife Alice, Eliz Lucas and Jeremy Sullivant, Jno. Bernard, Henry Spring, Wm. Write, assigned to Thos. Agington.

George Clark, of London, for himself and the rest of the owners of the ship Loyall, greatest Creditor of Timothy Biggs. Was granted letters of administration on sd Estate Feb'y 4, 1689.

Att a Court held for ye precinct of Cartaret July ye 15, 1680, the following persons proved their rights, viz:

Richard Jones for freedom rights; Richard Jones, wife Mary and Wm. Jones, Edward German himself a freedom right, Jno. Sawyer two freedom and one transportation right, Mary his wife, Mary Sawyer transported Servt.

Jno. Dann, (freedom rights) John Dann, Mary his wife, Edward Golfe.

Luodovick Williams, (3 freedom and 2 transportation rights) Luodovick Williams, Hannah and Ellinor Williams, Trans' Wm. Wilson and John Jones.

Thomas Harrison (3 freedom) Thomas, wife Elizabeth and Elizabeth Harrison, Jr.

Michael Macdonnell. (4 freedom) Michael, Jane his wife and Mary Frances Macdonnell.

William Mowbray (2 freedom) William Mowbray and wife Hannah.

As Attest Paul Latham Clk Cort. Prect.

An amendment to an Act of the Assembly relating to Marriages, "That what person or persons shall be Joyned together in the Holy State of Matrimony in this Government shall pay unto the Honble Dep. Governor or Governmt or Commander in Chief for the time being the sum of 20 shillings." By order,

Tho. Snoden, Clk of ye Assembly.

"Att a Court holden att Jno. Harris' house May 5, 1689. Present Thom. Jarvies, Govr., Wm. Wilkinson, Thom. Hanedy, Fran. Tomes, Ed. Smithwick, Jno. Barrow, Fran. Hartley, Benj. Laker, Esqs., Lord Dept."

A note of John Johnston payable to Richard Farr dated June 7, 1746 for 23£.

Att a General Court holden ye 26th day of November, 1695. Whereas Coll. Wm. Wilkinson and Capt. Henderson Walker hath offered Sundry affronts to ye members of this Court. Ordered yt neither Coll. Wm. Wilkison nor Capt. Henderson Walker be from henceforth allowed to plead as an attorney in this Court in any psons cause except in ye cause of such psons as have not their residence in this Govermt.

Ver Cop. W. Glover, Clk.

"N. Carolina, New Hanover Co. By virtue of the power given us by a late Act of Assembly, wee doe Direct you to acct with and pay unto Sam'l Woodward, Esq., all such sums of money that or hereafter may be in ye hands arising by the Tonnage of Vessels by virtue of a Law of this Province intituled an Act for erecting a Magazine.

R. Moore, Sam'l Woodward, Edwd. Hyrne, James Jones.

To the Powder Receiver of Brunswick.

Reed. of Sam'l Johnston, Esq., two hundred and thirty one pounds five shillings North Carolina Currency pursuant to the within order on acct of Powder Money to the 28th day of Sept., 1739.

£231 5s.

Sam'l Woodward."

"Othniel Davis, Mariner, late Commander of the Sloop Neville, a private Man of Warr, bound upon a cruising voyage against the Spaniards, Enemies to the Crown of Great Britain, captured a certain ship called St. Anthony, lawfully taken by said Pltff, and by a decree of the Court of Admiralty of North Carolina the 12th day of

Sept. 1719, at Bath Town, adjudged a prize and ordered to be shared by the Captors as the Law directs."

Wm. Whitfield, of Bertie Co., Aug. 5, 1732 appoints Thomas Jones his attorney in suit with Wm. Badham, of Edenton, N. C.

Reed May 15th, of Eleazer Allen 8£ for going on express to the Governor to Brampton. Comfort Davis.

James Blount (son of Thomas) ind. 1st Katharine Tyler (daughter of Nicholas Tyler), 2nd Mary Tyler his first wife's sister, and was indicted for his 2nd marriage, as it was contrary to the Canons of the Church of England. This was in 1712. The language used by the Court is as follows: "And the Court having taken ye premises into serious consideration Do from their hearts Detest and Abhorre ye action as abominable in ye sight of God & prohibited by ye Laws of the Church, but are of opinion yt it is not within ye Jurisdiction of this Court to give final Determination in that matter."

A General Court was held in Perquimans Sept., 1700, before ye Honble Maj. Sam'l Swann, Sect'y of State, Mrs. Deborah Whedbee administered on ye estate of her husband Jno. Whedbee. Mrs. Winifred West, administered on the estate of her deceased husband John West. John Brunsby also on the Estate of John Mason, dec'd.

April 2nd, 1708. "Gabriel Newby, Esq., did in behalf of ye Honble Jno. Archdale, Esq., one of ye true & absolute Lds proprietors of Carolina, desire as his deputy to be admittid of member of Councill and freely offer to subscribe after the manner of his profession (being a Quaker) to all qualifications yt can be lawfully required.

A suit appears in 1769. Henry Delaney Pltff vs. Nath'l Edwards for damages to a horse named Nettle, defendant had borrowed of Pltff to run a race with Willie Jones. (The race was run either in Northampton or Halifax Co., the reader may be sure of that).

The Commission of Thomas Pollock (son of Gov. Thomas) Chief Justice, Cullen Pollock, Wm. Downing, Isaac Hill, John Alston and Robert Lloyd, Assistant Justices, bears date Oct. 24, 1724. So shows the original signed by Geo. Burrington, Gov. Edw'd Moseley, Fras. Foster, Thos. Harvey, John Blount, A. Goffe, Wm. Maule, Members of the Council, Recorded in the Genl. Court office.

Wm. Badham, Clk.

John Blacknell (Clark) appears in 1726.

Arthur Mabson was a Merchant at Beaufort Town, Carteret Co., in 1735.

Thomas Hunter and wife Rebecca, Exx. of Thomas Swann, 1739.

Nathaniel Hathaway, Master Brig Abigail from Rhode Island, entered at the Custom House, Port of Roanoke, Jan'y 30, 1775.

George Monk and Thos. Boucher, were merchants in Bostown, Mass., 1733.

Oliver Blackburn formerly of N. C., but now of Boston, New England, 1733.

Ann Blackburn, of Beaufort, Admx. of Oliver Blackburn, late of Bath Town, 1737.

Mary Gordon widow and Exx. of Robt. Gordon, 1736.

Wm. Ford Admr. of Benj. Atkinson late of Boston, N. E., suit vs. John Bell, of New Hanover Co., 1737.

John Clayton was Dep. Surveyor in 1736. (Bladen County)

Thomas Armstrong's will of Boston, County of Suffolk, Massachusetts Bay, June 27, 1735. Probated Dec. 10, 1735. All of his property both real and personal to be sold except his pew in Dr. Cutler's Church, and divided equally among his five children. Thomas, Mary, John, Elizabeth and eldest child Sarah. My pew to be occupied jointly by my children until the youngest becomes of age then to son Thomas. Test, Andr. Eliot, Thos. Salter, Robt. Jenkins, George Monk and Thomas Boucher, Exrs.

Thomas Hogg, of Craven Precinct, vs. John Murphey suit in 1737.

Mary Harwood Admx. Est. Edward Harwood, of Pasquotank. She was the daughter of Dederith Gible; her mother Mary Gible md. Arthur Mabson for her 2nd husband. She being Arthur Mabson's 2nd wife, he md. 1st a daughter of Levi Creecy, of Pasquotank precinct.

Brig Hopewell, Joseph Bartee, Master, voyage from Poole to Edenton, N. C., May 3rd, 1775.

Rev. John Holmes suit vs. John Pope, and John Brown former Church-Wardens and Samuel Williams and George Downing then Church Wardens of the North West Parish, of Bertie Co., N. C. (said Holmes was to preach at the houses of Joseph Sims, E. Jones, Henry Walker, Capt. Joseph Lane, Bertie Court House, Mr. Maney's Chapel, (houses of Wm. Arrington and Phillip Thomas) for a salary of 200£ contracted to be paid by the Vestry held July 7, 1739. (March Genl. Court 1740).

Rev. John Garzia, Rector of St. Thomas in Beaufort Co. in 1739. Roger Jones, Rowland Porter Finch and Meyriat Ormond were Church Wardens 1739 & 1740.

"Edenton, Oct. 13, 1735.

Sir, I have paid the bearer ten pounds please to pay him the remainder and place it to the account of Gab. Johnston.

To Eleazer Allen att Cape Fear.

John Stark prosecuted a suit vs. Wm. Leake for expelling him from a tract of land he had leased for seven years from Belcher

Noyes, a minor, eldest son of Oliver Noyes, of Boston. Said suit was brought in Currituck Precinct, in 1729. The land was the one half of Roanoke Island containiang by estimation 6,000 acres, viz: 2 acres garden, 4 acres orchard, 3,000 acres land, 2990 acres Marsh. The lease was dated April 1, 1728. Richard Sanderson seems to have been the tenant in possession and Wm. Leake his manager.

Mary Fiske Admx. of Rev. Samuel Fiske, dec'd, entered suit Apl. 25, 1772, against Joseph Jones & Devotion Davis Church Wardens of St. John, and Messrs. Thomas Humphries, Joshua Campbell, Coy Mercer, Jos. Reding, Wm. Taylor, Henry Forbes, Jonathan Hearing, Isaac Jennings, Edw'd Evergin and Richard Poole, vestrymen of the said Parish of St. John in the county of Pasquotank for 751£ 13s 4d proc. money, it being for salary due the said Samuel Fiske during his lifetime and remaining unpaid.

Henry Gustin, James Milliken and James Castellaw were partners doing business at Casia & Roanoke in 1727. Each one put in 300£ general partnership

John Blount, of Free Town, Mass. Bay, in New England Atty. for Joseph Tillinghast, Newport Colony, of Rhode Island and Providence Plantation, 1727.

Clement Crooke was a merchant of St. Kitts, 1761, his son Stevens Edwd. Crooke under age in 1789.

Mary Blount widow of Frederick Blount md. 2nd — Templeman in Pasquotank, 1784.

Vestry of St. Barnabas Parish in Hertford Co., was composed in 1771 of John Harrell, John Van Pelt, Cader Powell, Jonathan Roberts, Charles Skinner, Isaac Pipkin, Joel Goodman, John Le Abram Jones. Rev. John Alexander had been the Rector for two years prior to Apl. 10, 1771.

John Baptist Beasley was Judge of the Admiralty Court in 1782.

Michael Crawford was one of the Vestry of St. James Parish, Wilmington, N. C., in 1740, entered suit vs. James Murray for 50£.

Maurice Moore & Richard Faris Church Wardens St. James Parish, New Hanover Co., N. C., in 1742. Rev. Richard Marsden Clark, 1741.

Richard Nixon and William Bryan, Church Wardens of Christ Church Parish, Craven Co., in 1744.

Augustine Cabarrus petitioned for liberation of negro woman Rose.

An account written in French appears against "Monsier Le Gouverneur" and is endorsed on the back as follows, Aug. 29, 1734. I promise to pay the ballance of this account on Demand after our Arrival in North Carolina. Signed, G. Johnston." It is therefore probable that Gov. Gabriel Johnston arrived in the province in Sept., 1734.

In 1732 a bill for board and liquors made by a clergyman amounting to 90£ 16s 3d in suit, Roger Kennon being the Pltff, the bill is credited with Cash 24£ and by 1 sermon 6£ 16s 3d.

Thomas Hart and Needham Bryan were Church Wardens of Society Parish (Bertie Precinct from Apl. 7th, 1729 to Apl. 7, 1730, John Wynns and Thomas Sutton were Church Wardens of the said Parish 1735-6.

Blake Baker resigned as Clerk of the Superior Court Nov. 15, 1787 and Wm. Blair was appointed by Gov. Ashe to succeed him Nov. 17, 1787. Qualified before Judge John Williams Nov. 18, 1787.

Oct. 29. Henry Hill proved his rights for importation of Henry, Mary and Abraham Hill, John, William and Elizabeth Hinton, John Maulby and John Webb—(prior to 1710.)

Chas. Elliott was commissioned Attorney General for North Carolina April 6th, 1756, by Governor Arthur Dobbs. Richard Spaight, Secretary.

Mrs. Martha Trotter (widow of James) was the sister of William Hoskins. She left two daughters by her 1st husband James Potter.

Deed from William Hill Andrews, of Halifax Co., N. C., Dec. 26, 1759 to his brothers Abraham and Reuben Andrews, speaks of Henry Andrews land dividing on one side, (235 acres) said land was granted by Wm. Andrews to Wm. Hill Andrews Aug. 17, 1756. Deed is witnessed by Micajah and Henry Andrews.

Walter Long md. Mary Hudson Exx. of Thos. Holliday. (About 1750.)

Elizabeth Oakman (Admx of Sam'l Oakman, dec'd) of Marshfield, county of Plymouth, Mass., suit vs. Robert Peyton, Jr., now living in Boston.

Wm. Skinner md. (about 1752) Sarah Corprew widow of Thomas Corprew. She was Sarah Vail before her marriage to Corprew.

Robert Hicks had only two children living in 1748. Mary Halsey and Thomas Hicks.

Enoch Hall, Chief Justice of N. C., in 1749. Suit of James Barlow and Roger Barlow, Exrs., of Thomas Forster vs. Thomas Barker, Exr. of Robert Forster. Thomas was of St. Bennett's Grace Church, Cutler. Daniel Grandin, Clk. Genl. Court.

## QUERIES AND ANSWERS.

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"A few days ago a duel was fought between Dr. Frederick Rameke and Capt. Butler, both of Edenton, in which the latter was wounded in the thigh, when both parties were apparently satisfied; but afterwards Dr. R. went into his shop, and by firing two pistols through his head, put a period to his life." *Raleigh Register* of Sept. 9, 1800.

We received the above item from Mr. Marshall De Lancey Haywood, of Raleigh, N. C., too late to place under the item relating to this duel in this number of the *Register*, page —; we are under obligation to Mr. Haywood for his kindness.

Col. Matthew Moore, of Albemarle Co., Va., settled in Stokes Co., N. C., at the foot of Sauratown Mountain, where he owned 1,000 acres of land, including "Morris Knob." He md. 1757 (aged 19) his schoolmate Letitia (aged 15) daughter of Samuel and Nancy (Redd) Dalton, her father Samuel Dalton died in 1805, aged 106, at the home of his grand-son Matthew Redd Moore, Jr., and his daughter Letitia, who died in 1838. All are buried at the foot of Sauratown Mountain. Can any one tell me if there are any tombstones at their graves and if so, give the copy of their epitaphs?

Did Col. Matthew Moore serve in the Revolution? or was he only of the Militia? His father Wm. Moore, of Albemarle Co., Va., had two other sons—John and Edward Moore, a daughter who md. a Martin, one a Bullock, one a Crockett, one Andrew McAlley whose son John Moore McAlly was in Congress at the same time his cousin Gabriel Moore was in the Senate, from Alabama 1829–1835. He was son of Matthew and Letitia (Dalton) Moore, Frances Moore (another daughter of Wm. Moore) md. Capt. John Henderson, and his great grand-son Hon. John Wesley Gaines, of Nashville, Tenn., is now a M. C.

Was this Capt John Henderson a son of Bennett and Elizabeth (Lewis) Henderson? Capt. John and Frances (Moore) Henderson had sons Wm. Bennett, Matthew, etc., Henderson. Any information of these families will be gratefully received. Also any information relative to the ancestors of Wm. Ward, who went from Virginia to Kentucky and settled near Frankfort. From one authority we have it, that Col. Seth Ward, of Va., was the ancestor of the Kentucky Wards. Geo. Ward, son of William, once met a cousin of his from North Carolina at Covington, and seeing so many Ward wills, and noting the relationship of the family of William to a N. C. Ward. We hope to gather some information to enable me to

connect Wm. Ward (who had sons Junius, Matthew, George W. and Robert J., father of the celebrated Sallie Ward, of Louisville, Ky.) with his proper ancestors either in Va. or N. C.

Mrs. S. L. C.

James Hathaway born 1713--4 at or near Dartmouth, Mass., md. Agnes ———. Who? Their son Woolsey Hathaway born 1741 married 1766, Mary Walker, daughter of Jacob and Leah ———. Who? Can any of our Massachusetts readers give the editor of the Register, the above information, and the Rev. War record of Jacob Walker, father or brother of Mary who md. in 1766 Woolsey Hathaway, they came to N. C. about 1770. Also information of another James Hathaway md. Sarah ———. Who? Also the ancestors of James, they likewise came to N. C. about 1770 from Mass. James was md. as early as 1774, and was probably born between 1745 and 1752, he was related to Woolsey, and also to Capt. Nath'l Hathaway who entered his vessel at the Custom House in Edenton in 1774, from Plymouth, Mass. James Hathaway brought to N. C., with him either his mother or sister Ann Hathaway. Any information developing these lines will be greatly appreciated.

John Bloodworth md. Miss Acecy or Axson. Issue, Thos. Bloodworth md. Tanzy Proctor (daughter of ——— Proctor and Miss Edwards.) Issue, Thos. S. M. Bloodworth b. 1811, md. Frances C. Maxey b. 1818, daughter of Pouncey Maxey and Mrs. E. McLendon Mapp (daughter of ——— McLendon and ——— Fincher). Issue, Thomas H. P. Bloodworth born 1845, married Susan A. McDowell, b. 1848 daughter of John Macon McDowell born 1822 and Elizabeth Ann Persons born 1826. J. M. McDowell was the son of Daniel McDowell born 1789 married Susan Ann Crawford born 1794, Daniel McDowell's father was ——— McDowell married ———. Susan Ann Crawford the daughter of Joel Crawford born 1766 md. Ann Barnett born 1766. Elizabeth Ann Persons born 1826 was the daughter of Pinkney Persons born 1797. Nancy Freeman b. 1804, (daughter of Bailey Freeman and Polly Maxey); issue Frances Marion Bloodworth. A lady in Atlanta would be pleased to have any information relating to the above families. John M. McDowell was in the House of Representatives 1792--4 from Cabarrus Co., N. C.

Thomas Clark md. Amelia Gray (9th child of John Gray and wife Anne Bryan born 1697); issue Colin Clark md. Janet McKenzie (daughter of Rev. John McKenzie and Janet Gray (eldest daughter of Jno. Gray and wife Anne Bryan). Issue, (1) John Clark md. Hetty Buncombe; issue (a) Anne md. John Cox, (b) Hester md. ——— Lee, (c) Thomas, (d) Eliza, (e) Amelia never married.

Col. Wm. William's eldest child Samuel was born 1753; his father



Samuel died and in his will made a special bequeath to his grand-son Sam'l at that time his only grand-child. This grand-son Sam'l md. the daughter of Col. John Dawson to-wit, Charity Alston Dawson. Col. John Dawson died in Northampton county, N. C., in 1761; he was Justice of the Peace in 1739 for Bertie county. He left large estates to his son Henry and bequests to his daughter Mary who md. Wm. Kinchen. These children were the offspring of a former marriage his 1st wife was probably named Mary. Henry Dawson was member of the Assembly from Northampton in Nov., 1766 and died in 1770. His oldest son was John, then Henry, Stephen, Mary and Martha, and wife Patience survived him. Doubtless he had other children who died before he executed his will. Among them may have been Patience (named for his wife) and others. John Dawson, of Edgecombe, will executed 1749, wife Mary, this John md. 2nd Charity Alston and mentions in his will her offspring as his young children. This John Dawson could not have been of Gov. Dobb's Council, and did not marry Penelope Johnson. His wife also bore him a son John who md. ——— Atherton, and represented Northampton in Legislature 1780, 1 and 2, and Halifax 1787-90. William Johnston Dawson represented Bertie in 1791, where doubtless his father John lived and died in 1770 and had been member of Gov. Dobb's Council. John Dawson's wife Charity died in Northampton, 1764. She makes special bequests to her brother Solomon Alston, and sister Elizabeth Williams. Mentions nephews and nieces and her true and trusty friends Thos. Kearney and Wm. Williams, Exrs. Among the witnesses to the will was James, Josey and Mary Granberry, (the latter evidently the 2nd wife of Col. Nath'l Allen, and grand-mother of the Hon. Allen Granberry Thurman, deceased, of Ohio.) There was an Elisha Williams who md. Sarah Josey and had children (among others) William and Elisha. Mr. W. Wm. Kinchen was one of the Church Wardens of Isle of Wight Co., Va., July 13, 1724. (So writes Dr. Jos. A. Groves). He also writes that John Dawson was the brother-in-law of Barnaby Thomas died 1735 and wife named Mary. Jephtha Atherton's will executed in Northampton Co., 1787, states that he had bought land from Barnaba Thomas where the Court House now stands.

## VALLENTINE'S AND KING'S.

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Thomas Vallentine, of Boston, Mass., md. Rebecca Ingraham, daughter of Joseph Ingraham, and wife Mary McFarlane. The Ingraham Coat of Arms—"He Beareth Ermine on Less Gules, three Escallops—Shells or by name Ingraham and is the Coat of Arms of Sir Arthur Ingraham of the City of London, England, Knight, and now borne by the Right Honorable the Lord Viscount Jarwin (1799). A true copy for Heraldry." so writes Mrs. Rebecca Thompson the grand-daughter of Thomas and Rebecca Vallentine. Rebecca Ingraham the daughter of Josiah Ingraham and Mary McFarlane born 1689 and died in Boston, Mass., aged 90 years. Joseph Ingraham was the son of Timothy Ingraham and wife Sarah Cowell. Timothy was the son of William Ingraham and wife Mary Barston. Sarah Cowell was wife of Timothy and was the daughter of Edward Cowell and wife Sarah Wilson daughter of Joseph Wilson and wife Sarah. Joseph Wilson was Lord Wilson.

The children of Thomas Vallentine and wife Rebecca Ingraham, were

- A. Thomas Vallentine (no record).
- B. Joseph Vallentine moved South and md. Abigail King (daughter of Solomon King and wife Abigail Lee, daughter of John Lee, of Chowan Co., now Gates Co., N. C.)
- C. Rebecca Vallentine md. Mathias Crocker.
- D. Nathaniel Vallentine md Ann Brown.

Issue of Joseph Vallentine and wife Abigail King. (1) Thomas Vallentine md. ——— Sumner, (2) Solomon King Vallentine md. Mary Lee (daughter of Henry Lee and wife Elizabeth Pipkin), (3) Jonas md. ———, (4) Rebecca md. Dr. Hosea. Solomon King Vallentine (moved to Sumner Co., Tenn., 1819, and died in Weakley Co., Tenn.) and wife Mary Lee had issue, (1) Henry King Vallentine (dead), (2) Caroline Eliza md. ——— Hale (she is dead), (3) Hiram Vallentine born Meh. 4, 1818, died Meh. 19, 1864 md. Eliza Singleton Jones, (4) Margaret Vallentine md. ——— Ford, (5) Abigail, (6) Charles, (7) Charity Ann md. ——— Whiteselle, (7) Mary md. Ezell, (8) Martha Vaughan md. Wm. M. McConnell, (9) Isaac Pipkin, (10) William.

Children of Hiram Vallentine (born in Gates Co., N. C., Sept. 4th, 1818, died in Memphis, Tenn., Meh. 19th, 1864), and Eliza Singleton Jones (born in Craven Co., N. C., and moved to Haywood Co., Tenn., daughter of Gideon Jones and Elizabeth Rouncefull Fulcher) (1) Inez Viola born in Memphis, Tenn., md. Joseph M.

Tighe, Jr., (2) Ada West born in Memphis, Tenn., (3) Eva Lenora born in Memphis, (4) Ella Cora dead, (5) Walter Hiram (dead), (6) Leila Verona (dead).

A lady in St. Louis seeks information of her ancestors, the records begin with Mary F. Joy *nee* Hill, her father was Dr. Duncan Hill, born in North Carolina in 1799. He removed to Tennessee thence to Mississippi and died in 1844. He was nearly related to the Bennetts, Battles, Boddies and Arringtons. Her father's grand-father was Sion Hill married Drusilla Lane; his son Richard Hill had a 1st cousin Henry Hill. He was agent, financier and Cotton King in his day. The ancestors of Sion Hill and Drusilla Lane are desired by this lady. Will some one who has the information kindly send it to us, so that the lady may be informed of her ancestors. We are inclined to think that Hon. Sion H. Rogers, of Wake county, N. C., was of this family, and that they are possibly descendants from Abraham Hill, Jr., son of Abraham son of Henry who first settled in Chowan (now Gates Co.) about 1700.

A lady in Indiana writes for information of the Dowdy family and also the Ticer family, both of North Carolina. Augustine Ticer md. Lucy Dowdy between 1775 and 1790 probably.

A gentleman in Louisiana desires the name of the father and mother of Rachel Martin who md. Herbord High, of Wake county, N. C. Any information relating to this family will be highly appreciated.

In the Littlejohn family in No. 2, there are some typographical errors, which we desire to correct. Elizabeth M. Littlejohn md. Genl. Wm. Watt Jones, (in the record it is Walls, an error). Wm. Watts (not Walls) Carnes md. 1st Kate W. Payne (not Kate M.). Samuel T. Carnes md. Kate B. Kerr (not Carr). The eldest son of W. W. Carnes is named Chas. Quintard (not Quinton) for the Bishop of Tennessee of that name.

Jacob Moons was an Officer in the revolution and was killed at the battle of Guilford C. H., N. C. Can any one give us information of his family. We wish it for a lady in Montgomery, Alabama.

The Hoskins family appear in the Colony of Carolina as early as 1670. Thomas Hoskins was the founder of the family. He left certainly two sons Thomas and William (died unmarried about 1692). The former died about 1735, leaving sons William, Thomas and other children, Martha Hoskins a sister of William md. 1st James Trotter by whom she had two daughters. She md. 2nd James Potter. William Hoskins md. Sarah Whedbee (daughter of Richard Whedbee and Hannah Reed). He mentions in his will sons John, Richard and George daughters Elizabeth Pratt, Deborah Wilkins, Sarah Hoskins, Ann Foster, sons Benjamin and Joseph, wife Hannah, brothers-in-law Christian and Joseph Reed, Exrs. Test, Samuel Snowden,

Elizabeth Reed, Catharine Davis. Will executed June 16th, 1749. Probated August, 1749). Mrs. Whedbee md. 2nd Joseph Blount, his 3rd wife. Issue of Wm. Hoskins and Sarah Whedbee, mentioned in his will executed Oct. 7th, 1766. Daughters Sarah Sutton and Mary Hoskins, daughter Ann Hoskins, sons Thomas, Richard and William, son John, four youngest children under age, sons Thomas, Richard and William Exrs. Test, Josh Benbury, Thomas Blount. Thomas Hoskins son of William md. Augt. 22, 1769, Mary Roberts and removed to Tyrrell Co. We have been unable as yet to secure a correct list of his children, but James Hoskins was certainly one of the number; he md. Mary Norcom (daughter of Fred'k Norcom) Oct. 22nd, 1795, and his grand-son writes us that he has always understood that he had 13 children, the following were certainly among the number.

(1) Charles Hoskins md. Mch. 24th, 1818 Angelica Nash; issue, Thomas (d. u.), Charles N., (d. u.), William (d. u.), Nash (d. u.), Richard Blount (d. u.), Hardy d. u., John H. (d. u.), Margaret A. md. — Mercer, of Edgecombe Co., N. C., Lizzie B md. Thomas Gregory and Annie A. md. 1st R. H. L. Bond, of Gates Co., 2nd — Swain, of Perquimans county, N. C.

2. James Hoskins md. a Miss Beal, issue Thomas, John, Sarah, Harriet and Nancy. Harriet md. a Mr. Loop of Memphis.

3. Dr. Fred'k Hoskins md. Elizabeth Horniblow May 11, 1820.

4. Polly Hoskins died unmarried.

5. Patsey Hoskins md. R. Whitaker Benbury his 1st wife, issue a daughter, son James Benbury, formerly of Baltimore, and son Richard Benbury, of New Orleans, La.

6. Lt. Charles Hoskins, U. S. A., md. in St. Louis March, 1845, Jennie Deane, adopted daughter of Major John Deane, of New Rochelle, N. Y. He was killed in the gallant charge made at the battle of Monterey, during the Mexican War. Issue, one son J. D. C. Hoskins Major of Artillery U. S. A. now stationed at Governor's Island, New York. Our object in publishing this much of the genealogy of the family is to secure all information possible of the family, the descendants of the family are respectfully requested and urged to send in a copy of what records they have, that we may complete the family history for a future number of the Register. We also append the following marriage bonds in the Court House at Edenton.

John Coffield and Elizabeth Hoskins, Mch. 8th, 1757, (daughter of Thomas, the brother of William).

Edmund Blount and Mary Hoskins Feb'y 26, 1765, (daughter of William).

William Jackson and Sarah Hoskins, Dec. 21, 1767, (daughter of Thomas).

Samuel Wiggins and Ann Hoskins, Jan. 2, 1770.

Joseph Blount and Mrs. Sarah Hoskins, May 15, 1771, (widow of William).

Job Leary and Rachel Hoskins, Jan'y 1, 1776, (daughter of Thos.)

John Gassner and Mary Hoskins, Oct. 29, 1785.

Peter O'Neal and Kesiah Hoskins, Nov. 20, 1786.

James Bond and Mary Hoskins, Oct. 8, 1789.

Wilson Cheshire and Sarah Hoskins, July 11, 1789.

Thomas Parker and Mary Hoskins, Dec. 2, 1790.

Charles Roberts and Nancy Hoskins, Apl. 26, 17— (Sam'l Hoskins Surety.)

Reuben Simons and Mary Hoskins, April 9, 1792.

William Hall and Elizabeth Hoskins, June 18, 1793.

King Luten and Ann Hoskins, July 13, 1795.

James Hoskins and Mary Norcom, Oct. 22, 1795, (daughter of Frederick).

Wm. Rombough and Martha Hoskins, June 4, 1801, (Chas. Roberts Surety.)

Edmund Hoskins and Elizabeth Blount, Dec. 29, 1802.

Thomas Vail and Elizabeth Hoskins, Sept. 16, 1808.

William Hoskins and Margaret Norfleet, Mch. 6, 1810.

John Hogan and Elizabeth Hoskins, Apl. 24, 1810.

Wilson Reed and Fanny Hoskins, May 31, 1814.

Lemuel Hoskins and Elizabeth Howcott, Sept. 2nd, 1815.

James Robinson and Nancy Hoskins, Aug. 9, 1816.

Charles Hoskins and Angelica Nash, March 24, 1818.

Frederick N. Hoskins and Eliza Horniblow, May 11, 1820.

Jos. N. Hoskins and Elizabeth Beasley, Sept. 18, 1822.

Lemuel Hoskins and Elizabeth Norcom, Jan'y 17, 1826.

Richard T. Brownrigg and Mary W. Hoskins, July 9, 1827.

Alexander Cheshire and Sarah Hoskins, May 4, 1833.

James Norcom and Penelope Hoskins, May 27, 1835.

John L. Freeman and Martha E. Freeman, Feb'y 26, 1836.

Richard B. Whedbee and Eliz Hoskins, May 16, 1837.

William S. Mallory and Mary D. Hoskins, Mch. 19, 1839.

Thomas Gregory and Elizabeth Hoskins, Mch. 16, 1853, (daughter of Charles).

Abraham Norcom and Margaret Hoskins, Oct. 12, 1853.

R. H. L. Bond and Annie A. Hoskins, Sept. 27, 1857.

Gilliam Julian and Elizabeth Hoskins, Dec. 12, 1860.

James Blount (son of Thomas) sold in 1706 his interest in the mills (known later as Lee's Mills, Washington Co., N. C.) to his mother Mary Blount, whose husband Thomas left 3 acres of land in his will to be set apart for the use of the mill. Wm. Downing

purchased the land in 1727, who in 1737 left a saw mill to be cared for by Stephen Lee. Thomas Lee left instructions for Wm. Downing to continue the construction of a Pink or ship begun by Lee before his death; he left him G'd'n of his son Stephens. Wm. Downing was associated with Thomas Blount in his work. Blount was a Carpenter, a Ship-Builder and worker in Metals as well. He undertook to make the letter C, with which to stamp the first set of weights and measures ever brought into the State. (Proceedings 1st Vestry). He left Perquimans Precinct for the South Shore in the winter of 1698-9. Court was held at his house in Perquimans up to the time of his removal. He was next appointed by the Governor one of the Commissioners to investigate an alleged Indian massacre, they reported the Vessel was probably driven down by the storm, that Blount and his family came near losing the boat they were in, and the Governor writing later says Blount was the heaviest loser and he did not blame the Indians. His abode in 1701 was on the east side of the mouth of Kendrick's Creek. The land about Lee's Mills remained in the hands of the Blounts for nearly 150 years. In 1801 Thos. Blount gave Washington County one acre for a Court House site. They accepted his land but a stronger cousin Col. Edmond Blount was on the Board of Public Buildings and he had the County seat located at Plymouth. His descendants at one time owned nearly all the land from Lee's Mills to Plymouth, a distance of nine miles, besides large tracts at other points. From one to three of his descendants were members of the Legislature near all the time. (Thos. W. Blount, of Roper, N. C., furnishes us with the above.)

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Marmaduke, Elisha and James Norfleet were in Nausemond Co., in 1695. James one of the brothers removed to Chowan Co., N. C., where he died in 1632. Had sons Thomas and John Norfleet. Thos. moved to Edgecombe county, and left sons Thomas and Marmaduke. John died in 1753 leaving sons Abraham, James, John and Jacob, issue of the two latter Kinchen Norfleet (father of Seth R. Norfleet), James Jacob. Abraham had issue, Abraham. Isaac moved to Edgecombe Co., 1803. Elizabeth md. John Bonner. Elisha, father of James (whose sons were Rev. William J. and James Elisha Norfleet.) Daughter Sarah married James Wills. Daughter Eliza married Richard Wyatt. Isaac Norfleet was the father of Robert Norfleet who died in 1872 leaving sons Leon, Edgar and Robert Norfleet.

Col. Benjamin Wynns, of Hertford Co., N. C., md. Margaret Pugh about 1751, daughter of Francis Pugh and wife Ferebee Savage, of Bertie Co. One of his descendants writes us that he left four sons, Benjamin, William, George and Thomas Wynns, and one daughter Mary Wynns who md. Jas. Gregory. Can any one furnish us with a copy of his will, or give us any information relating to the family?

## ABSTRACT OF BERTIE COUNTY MARRIAGE BONDS.

(Original in Court House at Windsor, N. C.)

Moore, Charles and Sarah Hunter, Feb. 1, 1755. Jno. Skinner.  
1762.

Bird, Edward and Elizabeth Hayes, May 15. Jasper Hardison.  
Kent, Joseph and Rachel Watson, Dec. 11. David Ryan.  
Shaw, William and Ann Byrd, Jan. 15. David Worley.  
1763.

Fleetwood, William and Elizabeth Ashley, Oct. 5. John Ashley.  
Hardy, Thomas and Delilah Davis, Feb. 22. Chas. Hardy.  
Ryan, George and Elizabeth Lockhart, Dec. 11. L. & J. Lockhart.  
Starke, William and Mary Howell, Dec. 16. Titus Edwards.  
Virgin, William and Ann King, Aug. 15. Henry Gibbons.  
1764.

Allen, John and ———, ———, ———. John Watson.  
Bunch, Henry and Eleanor Boypton, Feb. 29. Thos. Bass.  
Green, Thomas and Mary Hurst, Oct. 5. John Crickett.  
Griffin, Edward and Elizabeth Lawrence, Oct. 10. Ed Razor.  
Hardy, Humphrey and Mourning Smith, Mch. 10. Alex. How.  
Miers, Nathan and Elizabeth Bird, Sept. 15. Titus Edwards.  
Outlaw William and Susannah Bird, Aug. 25. Josiah Stallings.  
Pender, Hezekiah and Martha Leggett, Oct. 25. Eben. Tomlinson.  
Slatter, Solomon and Mary Whitnell, Jan. 2. Joseph Bryan.  
Taylor, Reuben and Mary Yarre, Oct. 13. Benj. Barrett.  
Toole, Edward and Mary Holland, Sept. 26. Jaraldus Toole.  
Watson, John and Sarah Collins, June 25. Jas. Bentley.  
1765.

Black, Samuel and Elizabeth Hardy, Oct. 10. Robt. West.  
Hardy, Edward and Winnefred Weston, Jan'y —. Wm. Hardy.  
Thompson, Hezekiah and Mary Pugh, Dec. 24. Jacob Jernagan.  
Wimberly, Abraham and Ann Spiers, March 27. Moses Spivey.  
1766.

Bryan, Joseph and Pheriby Smith, Mch. 26. Wm. Alston.  
Clark, Thomas and Amelia Gray, Dec. 24. Daniel Worley.  
Holder, James and Elizabeth Gilman, May 15. Robt. Butterson.  
Maer, Abraham and Prudence Jordan, Sept. 15. Jos. Jordan, Jr.  
Shehan, Thomas and Rachel Ashburn, Aug. 28. Thos. Webb.  
Stallings, Josiah and Mary Standley (daughter of Jonathan), Oct.  
31. Jona' Baker.  
Wiggins, John and Mrs. Elizabeth Bevins, Sept. 30.

1767.

Hyman, Hugh and Elizabeth Sparkman, Feb'y 19. John Reed.  
 Leach, Thomas and Elizabeth Wynants, Nov. 17. Benj. Cook.  
 Loyd, William and Martha Cockran, Jan'y 30. Thos. West.  
 McGaskey, John and Mary Razor, Jan. 29. Ed. Razor.  
 Redditt, Josiah and Sarah Williams, May 14. Arthur Williams.  
 Smith, Josiah and Sarah West, Oct. 22. John Smith.  
 West, Thomas and Mary Nichols, Dec. 2. W. Nichols.  
 Yeats, James and Avarella Watson, Feb. 6. Josiah Redditt.

1768.

Bell, Benjamin and Absella Norfleet, July 2. Arthur Brown.  
 Cratch, James and Mary Morgan, June 6. Wm. Armistead.  
 Holland, William and Ann Moore, May 19. James Knott.  
 Grover, James Swinhow and Susanna Spooner, Oct. 22.  
 Gainer, William and ———, ———. Joseph Knott.  
 House, William and ———, ———. Chas. Averet.  
 Knott, William and Sarah Oliver, Nov. 22. Phillip Walston.  
 Whitmell, Thomas, Jr., and Penelope Pugh, Oct. 20.

1769.

Cole, William and Sarah Perry, July 5. John Perry, Jr.  
 Holland, Joseph and ———, ———. Jas. Gardner.  
 Hunter, Henry and ——— Starke, Aug. 9. Thos. Whitmell.  
 King, Kedar and Mrs. Martha House, July 10. Sam'l Grymes.  
 Outlaw, Ralph and Mrs. Mary Knott, Apl. 22. David Outlaw.  
 Oliver, Andrew and Margaret West, Jan'y 30. Wm. West.  
 Williams, Isaac and Nancy Bunch, Dec. 7. Henry Bunch, Jr.

1770.

Bond, Thomas and ———, Feb'y 6. John Johnston.  
 Bond, Thomas and ———, June 27. Henry Hunter.  
 Fry, William and ———, ———. Robt. Hendry.  
 Hinton, William and Ann Turner, Mch. 7. Jona' Carr.  
 Hunter, Job and Martha Hardy, Apl. 18. Edward Hardy.  
 Pollock, Jacob and Sarah Thompson, Feb. 1. Wm. Turner.  
 Smith, John and Sarah Watson, Dec. 14. Wm. West.  
 West, William and ———, Feb'y 3. Andrew Oliver.

1771.

Rountree, Obadiah and Ferebee Harrell, Feb. 11. Jethro Kittrell.

1772.

Billups, John and Sarah Bonner, Dec. 19. John White.  
 Rhodes, Henry and Patience Bridges, July 10. Wm. Bryan.  
 Warburton, James and Winnefred Smithwick, Jan'y 22.  
 Wells, Henry and Mary Bate, Nov. 17. Henry Bate.

1773.

Clifton, William and Eliz Wheeler Hail, July 29. Thos. Hunter.  
 Clifton, John and Penelope Ward, ———. Thos. Ward.



Clark, Christopher and Hannah Turner, Jan'y 17. Thos. Turner.  
 Davis, John and Martha Smithwick, Feb'y 6. Luke Smithwick.  
 Outlaw, David and Martha Standley, July 27. George Outlaw.  
 Rhodes, Joshua and Ruth Perry, Jan'y 18. J. and H. Rhodes.  
 Smithwick, Luke and Elizabeth Watson, Feb'y 6. John Smith.

1774.

Ashburn, William and Frances Rasor, May 11. Ed. Rasor.  
 Barber, Charles and Prudence Castellaw, July 1. Hugh Hyman.  
 Cook, Benjamin and Winnefred Hopkins, Apl. 25. Jno. Hopkins.  
 Fort, John and Martha Turner, Dec. 30. John Turner.  
 Fleetwood, Jeremiah and Sarah Fleetwood, Oct. 3. John Hardy.  
 Frazier, William and Drusilla Outlaw, Jan'y 10. N. Miers, Jr.  
 Hopkins, John and Janet Stuart, Apl. 25. Benj. Cook.  
 Harrell, Benjamin and Winnefred Pitman, June 2. A. Harrell.  
 Harrell, Amos and Charity Rutland, Nov. 8. Benj. Harrell.  
 Long, Samuel and Sarah Warburton, Aug. 21. John Irwin.  
 Moore, James and Deborah Clayton, Sept. 15. Wm. Jordan, Jr.  
 Rutland, John and Amelia Nazery, Nov. 30. Watson Rutland.  
 Smithwick, Edmonson and Mille Bate, Sept. 7. James Bate.  
 Thompson, David and Mary Turner, Nov. 12. James Bate.  
 Williams, Charles and Olive Whitacre, Apl. 26. Whitmill Hill.

1775.

Chambers, Benjamin and Elizabeth Clifton, Feb'y 13.  
 Hill, Hardy and Janette Bryan, Jan'y 20. Thos. Collins.  
 Harrell, Benjamin and Jemima Powell, Mch. 23. George Powell.  
 Hyman, John and Sarah Smithwick, Feb'y 20. John Moore.  
 Land, John and Sarah Young, Nov. 3. Thos. Young.  
 Moore, Benjamin and Elizabeth Forcitt, Apl. 30. Thos. Harrison.  
 Outlaw, George and Agnes Knott, Mch. 19. David Outlaw.  
 Rutland, Shadrach and Patience Carter, Nov. 5. Jesse Cotten.  
 Sasser, John and Polly Driver, May 7. Wm. Bryan.  
 Williams, Elisha and Sarah Josey, Mch. 24. John Johnston.

1776.

Ruffin, Frederick and Elizabeth Cotten, Augt. 15. Drew Young.  
 Young, Dawson Drew and Absola Bell, Aug. 15. Fred'k Ruffin.

1777.

Avaret, Henry and Elizabeth Abington, Oct. 7. H. Abington.  
 Cotten, Jesse and Martha Whitehead, June 6. Wm. Rutland.  
 Chapman, George and Chloe Blount, Sept. 5. Thos. Watson.  
 Fleetwood, James and Penelope Tayloe, Oct. 21. John Hardy.  
 Harding, Thomas and Sarah Lawrence, Apl. 16. John Smith.  
 Hedgpeth, Marmaduke and Hannah Hays, Sept. 29. J. Hays.  
 Harrell, David and Celia Moore, May 10. Noah Thompson.  
 Holoway, Reuben and Martha Vinson, May 18. Wm. Seay.

Jordan, William and Margaret Clayton, Augt. 12. W. Williams.  
 Kittrell, Dempsey and Martha Spivey, June 19. John Johnston.  
 King, William and Amelia Slade, Nov. 28. John Johnston.  
 Lord Alex and Margaret Burgess, Apl. 3. Benj. Foreman.  
 Pender, Thomas and Mary Gilman, May 25. John Johnston.  
 Rascoe, Thomas and Mildred Sutton, Nov. 12. Thos. Sutton.  
 Slatter, Thomas and Oliver Oxley, Nov. 13. John Oxley.  
 Smith, John and Elizabeth Vann, Oct. 22. Wm. Vann.  
 Stucky, Shimeon and Tabitha Doles, June 16. John Doles.  
 Whitfield, Benjamin and Elizabeth Ava ———, Feb. 13.  
 Watson, William and Mary Benbury, Nov. 14. J. and T. Watson.  
 1778.

None found so far.

1779.

Andrews, John and Winny Smith, Oct. 29. Chas. Rhodes.  
 Bentley, John and Priscilla Manning, Nov. 23. Wm. Hyman.  
 Boon, Joseph and Mary Boon, Dec. 17. John Lowe.  
 Cherry, Solomon and Mary Eason, Sept. 24. David Outlaw.  
 Chamberlain, Malachi and Ann Harrell, Mch. 23. G. Williams.  
 Carter, Samuel and Elizabeth Holly, May 14. Wm. Gray.  
 Cobb, Nathan and Winney Mitchell, Aug. 9. Jesse Pritchard.  
 Ganes, John and Elizabeth Loyd, Sept. 4. John Leggett.  
 Holloway Cader and Judeth Harrell, May 2. Whitson Young.  
 Harrel, Joel and Celia Goff, Apl. 20. Edward Acree.  
 Johnston, Levy and Mildred Seals, Mch. 23. John Johnston.  
 James, Benjamin and Lucy Murray, Mch. 8. Chris. Lee.  
 Knott, Absalom and Elizabeth Davidson, Sept. 16. Luke Collins.  
 Leggett, James and Tabitha Cume Belote, Oct. 10. John Leggett.  
 Mitchell, Joseph and Sarah Williams, Dec. 30. Ezekiel Mitchell.  
 Williams, Charles and Olive Whitacre, Apl. 26. Whitmell Hill.  
 Stanton, Robert and Elizabeth Birch, Feb'y 27. Wm. Skiles.  
 Spivey, Jonathan and Phebe Tart, Feb'y 15. Nathan Tart.  
 Wilder, Absalom and Ann Britt, July 8. George Kittrell.  
 Watford, William and Priscilla Frazier, May 18. Hardy Watford.  
 Wilks, James and Elizabeth Harrell, Mch. 6. Joel Harrell.  
 Wilkes, James and Mary Thorogood, Apl. 20. Henry Rhodes.  
 1780.

Barber, Charles and Elizabeth Bentley, Apl. 12. Epaphros Moore.  
 Bryan, Fred'k and Amie Wright, Feb'y 14. Jesse Averit.  
 Bond, Thomas and Edey House, Oct. 14. Wm. Gray.  
 Cooper, William and Elizabeth Epperson, Aug. 4. Henry Smith.  
 Churchwell, Henry and Rachel Spivey, Feb. 4. Wm. Harrell.  
 Clark, John and Thamer Welch, Mch. 13. Cornelius Gale.  
 Curry, David and Sarah Wells, Sept. 23. James Curry.  
 Glison, Arthur and Elizabeth Spence, Apl. 13. Micajah Hinton.

Gardner, Thomas and Sarah Cullens, Feb'y 29. Aug. Parrott.  
 Gardner, John and Elizabeth James, Feb'y 19. Wm. Bryan.  
 Harrison, Thomas and Frances Lister, Apl. 20. Sam'l Milburn.  
 Hill, Thos. and Mary Boon, July 12. G. Wair.  
 Hall, James and Elizabeth Tyner, Sept. 23. Sol. Baker.  
 Kelly, William and Mary Butler, Nov. 8. Alex Urquhart.  
 Lawrence, Robert and ——— Cobb, Jan'y 24. Thomas Sutton.  
 Leggett, Lewis and Ann Hawkins, May 3. Ephraim Shoulder.  
 McGlahon, William and Ann Gaskins, Jan'y 11. John Oxley.  
 Pace, Samuel and Agatha Owens, June 16. Elisha Roberts.  
 Parker, Richard and Elizabeth King, Oct. 7. Michael King.  
 Rhodes, John and Sarah Carlross, Mch. 10. Wm. Rascoe.  
 Skiles, William and Sarah Billups, Jan'y 15. Abisha Turner.  
 Tadlock, Absalom and Sarah Turner, Aug. 19. Wm. Turner.  
 Turner, William and Mary Millen, Oct. 11. Absalom Tadlock.  
 Wilkison, Frederick and Milly Drury, Mch. 15. Wm. Griffin.  
 Weston, Amos and Winnefred Mitchell, Sept. 23. James Curry.  
 White, Ephraim and Sarah Hardy, Oct. 30. Ezekiel White.  
 White, Ezekiel and Mary Harrison, Oct. 30. Ephraim White.

1781.

Demsey, William and Ann Miller, July 25. James McDonald.  
 Wilford, Lewis and Chloe Holly, Nov. 10. Wm. Bryan.

1782.

Armistead, Robert and Sarah Jordan, May 11. Wm. Armistead.  
 Belote, Henry and Elizabeth Bentley, ——— 19. Nottingham Monk.  
 Berry, Wright and Sarah Berry, June 21, Samuel Haste.  
 Bass, Council and Patty Griffin, May 4. Cader Bass.  
 Gaskins, Thomas and Olive Perry, Dec. 7. Alex Hooks.  
 Higgs, William and Delilah Moore, Jan. 17. Willis Powell.  
 Jones, Sarven and Temperance Taylor, Jan'y 14. Cader Bass.  
 Powell Willis and Sealey Everett, Jan'y 17. Wm. Higgs.  
 Roberson, Hardy and Sarah Gains, Jan'y 12. Thos. Hoskins.

1783.

Allenworth, Nehemiah and Chloe Morris, Apl. 29. Wm. Cobb.  
 Dunning, Charles and Eliz Boyce, Dec. 8. Jeremiah Boyce.  
 Edwards, Nathan and Jemima Cotten, Sept. 5. F. Pugh, Jr.  
 Hallum, Josiah and Ann Robinson, Oct. 28. Ann Todd.  
 Harrell, Josiah and Mary Evans, Jan'y 20. Luke White.  
 James, William and Polly Biddle, Sept. 4. Andrew James.  
 Mizell, Cader and Mary Hare, Oct. 8. Sol. Miller.  
 Spar, William and Margaret Briggers, Oct. 18. John Douglas.  
 Wimberly, William and Elizabeth Harrell, Jan. 9. F. Wimberly.

1784.

Asbell, Solomon and Sarah Jernagan, Aug. 25. Jas. Sowell.  
 Bond, John and Mrs. Anna Smith, Feb'y 5. Wm. Gray.  
 Cook, Reuben and Belissa Floyd, Mch. 26. Reuben Stallions.

Castellaw, Wm. and Sarah Mitchell, Mch. 31. Curkey Butler.  
 Farmer, James and Anne Harman, Feb'y 17. Cader Mitchell.  
 Freeman, John and Penelope Hayse, May 23. Jacob Bird.  
 Gray Meredith and Ann Hooks, June 29. George Davis.  
 Griffin, Thomas and Esther Bazemore. No date, in 1784 package.  
 Hooten, Henry and Elizabeth Butler, July 24. Wm. Hardy.  
 Holland, John and Sarah Higgs, Feb'y 10. Willis Callum.  
 Hughes, Charles and Sarah Mott, Jan'y 20. Zel'k Stone.  
 House, Balus and Penelope Bond, Apl. 5. Thos. Bond.  
 Howard, Benjamin and Elizabeth Jenkins, Jan'y 2. L. Jenkins.  
 James, Andrew and Jane Drury, Feb. 24. Benj. James.  
 Johnston, Thomas and Esther Cullipher, Feb. 8. Nath'l Cullifer.  
 King, Kedar and Mary Skiles, July 24. John Skiles.  
 Lawrence, Thomas and Sarah Nichols, Feb'y 3. Wm. Gray.  
 Loyd, James and Fanny Cooper, Feb'y 7. Jos. Lloyd.  
 Mizell, Jonas and Pattie Wided, Jan. 24. Jos. Morris.  
 Stallings, James and Dicea Jenkins, Oct. 9. Benj. Howard.  
 1785.

Brogdon, John and Susanna Hoggard, Oct. 12. John Skiles.  
 Bunch, William and Mary Bunch, Dec. 23. Fred'k Bunch.  
 Byrd, Richard and Eliabeth Sparkman, July 30. Geo. Sparkman.  
 Baker Elias and Elizabeth Baker, Aug. 2. Peter Evans.  
 Castellaw, John and Penelope Mitchell, Nov. 30. Joseph Mitchell.  
 Deans, Samuel and Ann Church, Jan'y 22. Jesse Bryan.  
 Fleetwood, Edmund and Winnefred Sparkman, Dec. 5.  
 Garrett, Samuel and Chloe Manning, May 28. John Bratley.  
 Harrell, John and Mary Barfield, Dec. 22. Jos. Horne.  
 Jenkins, Joseph and Mary Meazle, Sept. 5. Jas. Mizell.  
 Jordan, William and Mary Jordan, Dec. 9. Robt. Armistead.  
 Mizell, Thomas and Catharine Knott, Feb'y 16. Jas. Langston.  
 Pearce, William and Elizabeth Pearce, Aug. 25. John Pearcy.  
 Poythress, William and Anna Lewis, Sept. 27. Henry Averett.  
 Stone, Edward and Deborah Newborn, Oct. 11. Thos. Newborn.  
 1786.

Averett, James and Sarah Powell, Dec. 25. Jas. Powell.  
 Bridger, Robt. and Marg't Montgomery, Nov. 2.  
 Belote, Peleg and Elizabeth Edwards, June 9. Jas. Ward.  
 Barnes, Cader and Elizabeth Wimberly, Jan'y 3. Thos. Gifford.  
 Brogdon, David and Susanna McHenry, Dec. 13. John Brogdon.  
 Davis, Joshua and Sarah Gardner, June 12.  
 Gardner, John and Mourning Lassiter, Oct. 27. Martin Gardner.  
 Harrell, William and Elizabeth Grimes, Dec. 26. Wm. Rhodes.  
 Hays, Henry and Susanna Wood, Nov. 4. Wm. Wood.  
 Hicks, John and Sarah Roberson, Sept. 16. John Leeming.  
 Higgs, John and Milly Moore, May 16. Benj. Moore.

Jennison, Matthew and Millie Hedgpeth, June 10. Peter Hays.  
 James, Moses and Kesiah Reed, Augt. 3. Jeremiah James.  
 Lee, Joshua and Fanny King, Oct. 10. Charles King.  
 Lowther, Tristram and Penelope Dawson, —. John Johnston.  
 Lackey, Thomas and Sarah Stone, Nov. 4. John Corbett.  
 Page, Solomon and Sarah Hayse, May 16. John Dodril.  
 Rhodes, Wm. and Elizabeth Averet, Oct. 2. Aaron Spivey.  
 Sparkman, George and Ruth Holley, Oct. 1. Edward Turner.  
 Simmons, James and Elizabeth Dowers, Nov. 28. John Harris.  
 Williford, Archibald and Lydia Broadwell, Nov. 1.

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Boyce, William and Judeth Lamb, May 3. Henry Belote.  
 Brown, James and Happy Wood, Jan'y 27. Wm. Wood.  
 Billups, William and Elizabeth Fleetwood, May 23. Robt. West.  
 Brown, Hardy and Penelope Cobb, Jan'y 3. Benj. Bowen.  
 Blanchard, Miles and Sarah Hyman, Apl. 19. Wm. Rawls.  
 Baker, Richard and Betsey Baker, June 22. John Moore.  
 Bryan, John and Ruth Sholar, Feb'y 20. John Howell.  
 Cockran, John and Ann Smith, May 22. John Davidson.  
 Collins, Joseph and Fanny Bazemore, Oct. 17. Jos. Wilford.  
 Edward, Benjamin and Sarah Thomas, Feb. 5. John Edwards.  
 Harrell, William and Edey White, Jan'y 20.  
 Howell, Josiah and Sarah Lassiter, Jan'y 2. Thos. Carney.  
 Higgs, John and Betty Higgs, Dec. 29. Henry Vann.  
 Harrell, Jonathan and Elizabeth Gardner, Aug. 18. Wm. Rascoe.  
 Hardy, Joseph and Nancy Hoggard, Sept. 19. Silas Belote.  
 Hughes, George and Henrietta Morris, Jan. 15. James Hughes.  
 Howard, Elisha and Lane Baker, Sept. 8. Rich'd Baker.  
 King, Charles and Milly Benton, Dec. 12. Wm. Gray.  
 Kinsey, James and Martha Turner, Apl. 7. Wm. Turner.  
 Johnson, Thomas and Mrs. Sarah Knott, Sept. 10.  
 Manning, Luke and Sarah Lawrence, Aug. 6. John Smithwick.  
 Page, Joshua and Eliz Montgomery, Oct. 9. Jesse Bryan.  
 Pruden, David and Sarah Sowell, Meh. 27. Richard Tayloe.  
 Rawls, Jonas and Winny Cook, Aug. 20. Densey Cook.  
 Stallings, John and Betsey Jenkins, June 30. Cader Jenkins.  
 Sutton, Thomas and Mary Dickinson, May 22. John Burn.  
 Swain, Richard and Mary Ward, Nov. 9. Jas. Ward.  
 Thompson, James and Annie Bazemore, Dec. 20. Josiah Thomas.  
 Voss, John and Frances Godfrey, Dec. 15. Nottingham Mouk.  
 Ward, Timothy and Martha Watson, Oct. 11. Stephen Outerbridge.  
 Wilson, William and Elizabeth Cooper, July 7. Wm. Skiles.  
 Ware, Gerrard and Charlotte Keen, Aug. 27. Samuel Harrell.  
 Yates, William and Charlotte Whittedge, July 7. Wm. Griffin.

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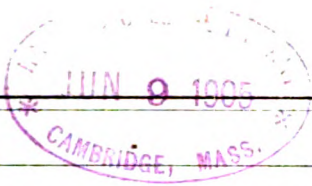
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Now green in youth, now withering on the ground :  
Another race the following Spring supplies;  
They rise successive, and successive fall:  
So generations in their course decay;  
So flourish these when those are passed away.  
— *Pope's Translation Homer's Iliad.*

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Azwell, Thomas, June 27, 1765. Mother Ann, father-in-law Henry Gibbons, also appoint them my Exrs. Test, James Jones, Sam'l Spruell, John Spruell.

Askew, Aaron, May 5, 1770; March Court 1771. Sons Jesse and Moses, daughters Sarah, Ann and Ferribee, wife, David and Alexander Valentine Exrs. Test, Elisha Freeman, Aaron Askew, God-free Askew.

Avaritt, Henry, July 3, 1772; Sept. Court 1772. Grand-son Jesse (son of my son Henry Avaret) grand-daughter Elizabeth (daughter of son Henry), son Charles, grand-son James Abington (son of daughter Sarah Abington) grand-son Hardymon Abington, daughter Mary Bryan, my seven grand-children Mary, Martha, Elizabeth, William, Thomas, Henry and Littlebury Abington (children of daughter Sarah), son Charles and Noah Hinton Exrs. Test, Wm. House, Elizabeth House, Henry Avaret.

Avaritt, Henry, Oct. 28, 1771. Wife Millia, son Jesse, daughters Julia, Martha and Betty Avaritt, brother Charles Avaritt and Thomas Pugh Exrs. Test, Thos. Pugh, Elizabeth Harrell.

Averet, Simon, June 12th, 1781; Aug. Term 1781. Brothers John, Henry, Thomas, William and James Averet, Averet Blackwell, Hardymon Abington, Henry and Thomas Averet Exrs. Test, Geo House, Jr., Jesse Cotten, Thomas House.

Averitt, Jesse, April 14, 1790; May Court 1790. Wife Mary, grand-father Henry Averitt, son Jesse, daughter Elizabeth Averitt, Aaron Spivey Exr. Test, Wm. Bryan, Sarah Spivey, Noah Thompson.

Ashburn, Thomas, March 7, 1775; August Term 1781. Wife Elizabeth, grand-children Mary and Thomas Sutton, son Elisha, daughter Elizabeth Sutton, sons Benjamin, William and Peter, Miles

Mason Shehan, daughters Elizabeth Britt, Mary Shehan and Sarah Ashburn, grand-daughter Elizabeth Shehan, sons William and Elisha Exrs. Test, Edw'd Razor, W. Nicholls, John Campbell, Sr.

Andrews, Abner, Feb'y 2, 1762. Sons John and Stephen, daughter Margaret Andrews, wife, Jesse Andrews and Arthur Brown Exrs. Test, Henry Abbott, Dorrell Davenport, Mary Harrell.

Ashley, Thomas, Oct. 9, 1784; August Term 1790. Daughters Elizabeth Boulton, Mary Hodgson, grand-son Amos Harrell and wife Exrs. Test, W. Nicholls, Henry Nicholls, Lucretia Crickett.

Armistead, William, July 7, 1793; August Term 1796. Mother Sarah Armistead, my brothers and sisters, sisters Sally Guyther and Polly Armistead, brothers John, Robert, Jordan and Starkey Armistead, sisters Elizabeth Turner and Priscilla Armistead, my brothers Exrs. Test, Christian Reed.

Allen, John, Sept. 28, 1788; August Term 1797. Wife Ann, sons John Bate and James Bate Allen, daughters Mildred Hunter, Sarah Allen, Mary Bate Allen, Martha Allen and Elizabeth Allen, Joshua Freeman and John Bate Allen, Exrs. Test, Wm. P. Boyce, John Leggett.

Avis, Sawyer, Feb'y 13, 1790; May Term 1790. Sons Abraham and Joseph, daughters Sawyer Burlingham and Winnie Smithwick, daughter Elizabeth Whitfield, son Joseph, William Burlingham and John Smithwick. Test, Christian Reed, Winnefred Carter.

Armistead, William, Sr., July 19, 1791; February Term 1791. Wife Sarah, sons John, William, Robert, Jordan and Starkey, daughters Elizabeth Turner, Sarah, Mary and Priscilla Armistead, (wife sons John, Robert and William Exrs.). Test, Thos. Stewart, John Bromley, Elizabeth Maer.

Burn, John, August 4, 1773; May Court 1774. Daughter Janet Stewart, son Andrew, daughter Margaret, brother Andrew's daughter Nancy Burn, brother Andrew Burn Exr. Test, Ed Razor, Louisa Worley, Ann Read.

Burn, Andrew, Feb'y 10, 1781; August Term 1781. Sons John, James and Levy Burn, daughters Mary and Ann Burn, Capt. Christopher Clark to take son Levi's Estate in charge, sons John and James Exrs. Test, Charles Hodgson, Andrew Burn, Jr., Richard Gill.

Burn, Andrew, August 6, 1786; August Term 1786. Nephews Joseph and Miles Hopkins, cousins Levy, Ann Burn, John James and Jane Burn, John Burn and Luke Collins Exrs. Test, Nancy Hopkins, Thos. Ashburn.

Blake, James, Jan'y 21, 1783; Feb'y Term 1783. Brother Walter Blake's two youngest children, Wm. McKenzie Exr.

Barnes, John, Dec. 9, 1783. February Term 1784. Wife Elizabeth, sons John, Solomon and Kedar, daughter Edee Carter (wife of

William), daughters Milly Barnes, Sarah Jones, Elizabeth Sholar, (wife of Benjamin) and Mary Dunnin (wife of Shadrach), grand-son Right Barnes, son Solomon and Benj. Sholar Exrs. Test, Henry Barnes, John Sholar, James Sholar.

Barnes, John, Sr., August 13, 1773; May Court 1773. Wife Katharine, eldest son John, son Henry, grand-daughter Lucy Haze, grand-son Isaac Jenkins, children Sarah, Lucy, Solomon, Zilpha and Hannah, sons John and Henry Exrs. Test, Jas. Cobb, Herbert Pritchard.

Brown, Jenny, Feb'y 17, 1762. Son Arthur Brown, daughters Mary, Elizabeth, Sarah and Priscilla, Son Arthur and Arthur Bell Exrs. Test, Henry Abbott, Martha Williams.

Brown, Arthur, Sept. 16, 1783; February Term 1785. Wife Mary, sons Jesse and Arthur, daughters Mary Young and Betsey Brown, sons Peterson, Henry and Stephen Brown, Thos. Young, sons Jesse and Arthur Exrs. Test, Nicholas Bryant, Stephen Andrews.

Bryan Edward\*, February 27, 1762. Wife Martha, daughters Mary, Martha, Elizabeth, Ann and Sarah, sons Thomas and Edward, daughter Janet, child in esse, (wife, Wm. Gray, Edw'd Razor and Thomas Whitmell, Jr., Exrs.) Test, John Nichols, Thos. Shehan, Miles Shehan.

Bryan, Martha (widow of Edward), May 22, 1777; August Court 1777. Sons Thomas and Edward, daughters Mary Lockhart, Martha Bryan, Elizabeth Bryan, Winnefred Bryan, Ann Ryan, Sarah Baker and Janette Hill, Wm. Gray, son Thomas and Jonathan Jacocks Exrs. Test, Jonathan Jacocks, Elizabeth Jacocks.

Bryan, Thomas, Dec. 4, 1788; February Term 1789. Sisters Ann

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\*Edward Bryan was the son of Lewis Bryan and wife Elizabeth Hunter, of Surry Co., Va. They came from Surry Co., Va., to Bertie Co., N. C., in 1713. Edward Bryan married Martha West, daughter of Thomas West and wife Martha Blount (daughter of John Blount and wife Elizabeth Davis). John Blount was the son of James Blount and wife Ann, who removed from Isle-of-Wight Co., Va., to Chowan Co., N. C., in 1669. Elizabeth Davis was the daughter of John and Mary Davis, and grand-daughter of John Burton, died in 1687. They were of Henrico Co., Va. Thos. West was the son of Robert West and wife Martha Cullen, daughter of Thomas Cullen (member of the Governor's Council in 1670). After the death of Robert West, his widow married Gov. Thos. Pollock, in 1690. She had four sons by Robert West, viz: Col. Robert, Thomas, Richard and John West. By her second marriage to Governor Thos. Pollock, there was issue, Cullen, Thomas and George Pollock, and daughter Martha Pollock married Thomas Bray, of New Kent Co., Va. Mrs. Martha Pollock was born in Dover, England, in 1663, and died in 1700. She and her second husband, Thomas Pollock, are interred in St. Paul's Cemetery, Edenton, N. C. (Their remains were removed from Bal-Gra. in Bertie Co., N. C., about twelve years ago.) Edward Bryan lived and died at or near Black Walnut Point, in Bertie Co., at the mouth of Chowan River. His daughter Mary married George Lockhart. Elizabeth died unmarried. Sarah married Thomas Baker, Ann married James Ryan, Janet married first Nathaniel Hill, second Thos. Whitmell Pugh, child in esse—Winifred became the first wife of George Durant Reed. Sons Thomas and Edward never married. Daughter Martha died unmarried.

Ryan, Sarah Baker, Janette Pugh and Winnefred Reed, sisters Martha and Elizabeth Bryan, brother Edward Bryan, Thos. Whitmell Pugh and Daniel Worley Exrs. Test, Wm. Jordan, Wm. Smith, Thos. Ryan.

Bryan, Edward, May 2, 1799; May Term 1799. Sisters Martha Bryan and Janette Pugh, nephews Edward Bryan Reed and West Reed, nephew Edward Ryan, nephew Edward Bryan Baker, nephew Durant Reed, Sister Sarah Baker (wife of Thomas), and her children Martha, Susanna, Elizabeth, Sarah and Mary Baker, Thos. Whitmell Pugh, George Durant Reed, Thomas Bryan and Jonathan Jacks Exrs. Test, Wm. Benson, Benj. Cooke.

Bryan, Needham, Sept. 23rd, 1767. Wife Sarah, grand-son William Bryan (son of William), grand-sons Ezekiel, Williams, Lewis Gardner and Joseph Garnighan, and my daughter's son William her first born, Susannah Harrell, young Jacob Jernagan, sons William and Needham, daughter Rachel, son-in-law William Whitfield. Test, Wm. Turner, James Turner, Joseph Turner.

Bryan, Jesse, Augt. 24, 1775. Son William, daughter Catharine, wife Elizabeth, daughter Mourning, wife Exx. Test, Jas. Montgomery, Jas. Churchwell, Wm. Cole.

Bryan, Michael, April 25, 1794; May Term 1794. Wife Olive, son Needham, daughter Martha, sons Jesse and Elisha, daughter Sarah Harrell, Balus House and Henry Ruffin Exrs. Test, Edward Baker, Elizabeth Pearce, Sarah Smith.

\*Bryan, David, Jan'y 23, 1774; May Court 1777. Daughters Elizabeth and Mary Bryan, sons David and Joseph, daughters Peggy and Rebecca Bryan, Wm. Gray and Geo. Ryan Exrs. Test, Richard Dillon, Thomas Bryan.

Butterton, Joseph, Feb. 27, 1762. Son Robert, wife, daughter Elizabeth, sons Joseph, John and James, (wife, Wm. Rice and son Robert Exrs.). Test, Wm. Rice, James Hollam.

Butterton, Robert, Jan'y 11, 1785; Feb'y Term 1785. Wife Sarah, Abraham Perry and Herbert Pritchard Exrs. Test, Herbert Pritchard, David Curry, James McLain.

Bass, Thomas, March 20, 1764. Eldest son John, son Jacob, eldest daughter Mary Bass, youngest daughter Isbell Bass, Jeremiah and Embry Bunch Exrs. Test, Thomas Bass, Jeremiah Bunch, Thomason Bass, Embry Bass.

Bass, Cader, 1790; Feb'y Term 1791. Daughter Bersheba Bass, wife and George West Exrs. Test, Mourning Brown, Angelical Brown.

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\*David Bryan was the son of Simon Bryan (son of Lewis and wife Elizabeth Hunter), and his second wife Mrs. Elizabeth B. Armour, widow of John Armour and daughter of David Bailey and wife ———, of Pasquotank Co., N. C.

Bales, Eden, (about 1762). Joseph Andrews (young man living with me) wife Rebecca, son John, wife and Robert West Exrs. Test, George Lockhart, And. Burn, Robt. West.

Bond, Thomas, Aug. 10, 1767. Son John, grand-son Thomas Bond, grand-daughter Elizabeth and Penelope Bond, daughters Martha House and Mary Moore, sons Lewis and James, sons John and Thomas Exrs. Test, Jacob Jernigan, Wm. Turner, James Turner.

Bond, John, May 1st, 1793; Nov. Term 1793. Wife Anne, furniture John Smith, Sr., gave my wife, daughter Elizabeth Eason, son Thomas, daughter Penelope House, son-in-law Abner Eason and Aaron Spivey Exrs. Test, Thos. Bond, Jacob Howard, Timothy Brogdon, James King.

Bond, Thomas, Feb'y 7, 1795; May Term 1795. Sons Lewis and John, daughter Sarah, Mary and Elizabeth Bond, Lewis Bond and Noah Thompson Exrs. Test, Arthur Jernagan, Charles Ward, Silvanus Uriah Roberts.

Blackwell, Micajah, April 6, 1765; March Court 1771. Daughters Elizabeth, Judeth and Patience, son John, (wife Patience, Thomas Pugh and Edward Cushion Exrs.). Test, Wm. Dement, Able Harrell. Elizabeth Sperry.

Belote, William, May 7, 1770; Dec. Court 1771. Sons Peleg, William and John, daughters Bridget and Anne, wife, son John and son-in-law Thos. Hook Exrs. Test, Jas. Swinhow Grover, Kenneth McKenzie.

Belote, Silas, Oct. 8, 1792; February Term 1794. Wife Amelient, wife's son William Ward, wife and Joseph Jordan Exrs. Test, Jas. Price, Sarah Russell.

Belote, John, July 15, 1794; Nov. Term 1796. Son Noah, daughters Elizabeth and Sally Leggett, son Thomas, daughter Catharine Carter, daughters Ann, Amelia and Louisa, son William, daughters Clarissa and Tabitha Smith, grand-son John Bentley, grand-daughter Frances Belote, wife and son-in-law Thomas West Exrs. Test, Wm. Gray, Elinor Gray.

Belote, Ancia, Nov. 4, 1797; Nov. Term 1797. Sisters Lucy and Clarissa, brother William Belote, niece Clarissa Belote, Noah and Thomas Belote Exrs. Test, Ann Davis, Lewis Belote.

Belote, Catharine, Jan'y 21, 1798; Feb'y Term 1798. Daughters Clarissa and Louisa, sons Thomas and William, daughter Frances Belote, John Kittrell, Exr. Test, James Stuart, Wm. Brogdon.

Barfield, Samuel, Nov. 8, 1775; Feb'y Court 1776. Wife Ruth, daughter Elizabeth, son William, son Solomon and Ezekiel Wimberly Exrs. Test, John Vinson, Benj. Wimberly, Jesse Vann.

Bunch, Henry, April 21, 1775; August Court 1775. Son Jeremiah, daughters Thomazin Bass, Susanna Summerlin, (wife of Laza-



rus), Rachel Collins (wife of Joseph) and Mary Bass (wife of Isaac), Ann Crumie now living with me, son Embry, grand-son Zadock Bunch (son of Embrey), grand-son Cader Bass (son of Isaac), Peter Clifton Exr. Test, Joseph Collins, Josiah Collins, David Collins.

Bunch, Embry, July 20, 1780; May Term 1789. Eldest son Micajah, youngest son Zadock, daughters Mary, Nanney and Milley Bunch, (wife Elizabeth, Micajah Bunch and Cader Bass, Exrs.). Test, Herbert Pritchard, Jesse Hail, Mary Hail, Mary Standley.

Bunch, Jeremiah, Sr., March 8, 1796; Feb'y Term 1798. Sons Henry, Jeremiah, Nehemiah, Frederick and William, daughter Manney Collins, Solomon Cherry Exr. Test, Jonathan Standley, Whitmell Whitaker.

Brogdon, Mary July 23, 1777. Son Frederick Brogdon, Thos. Bond and Noah Hinton Exrs. Test, Noah Hinton, Wm. Boon.

Brogdon, John, Nov. 25, 1794; Feb'y Term 1795. Daughters Tamer Brogdon, Charity Skyles, son David, grand-son William Brogdon, wife and son William Exrs. Test, David Turner, Timothy Brogdon, Moses Brogdon.

Baker, Jonathan, Feb'y 3, 1785; May Term 1785. Wife Susanna, sons John and Laury, daughters Winne, Betsey, Lua and Peggy Baker, Wm. Cherry and son John Exrs. Test, Robt. Jenkins, John Oliver, Seth Riddick.

Baker, Thomas, Dec. 5, 1795; Nov. Term 1798. Daughters Mary Oxley and Sarah Sowel, son Levi, grand-children, Levi, George, William, Jonathan, Sarah and John Baker (children of John), grand-children John Freeman Baker and Selah Baker (children of Blake Baker), son Blake and Wm. Morris Exrs. Test, Jas. Barradail, Elizabeth Lucas.

Bagley, Thomas, Apl. 5, 1785. Wife Sarah, brother-in-law David Yeats Exrs. Test, Constantine Riddick, Cader Cooper.

Boyd, Martha, Aug. 20, 1779; Feb'y Term 1790. Cousin Lewis Jernigan, (son of William) Thomas Bond and John Hinton Exrs. Test, Benj. Jernigan, Thos. Hill, Chas. Morgan.

Bazemore, John, Sr., July 10, 1789; May Term 1790. Sons John, Thomas, James and William, daughters Tamer Sowell, (wife of Francis), Sarah Thomas (wife of Josiah) grand-children Michael, Jordan, Josiah, Elizabeth and Sarah Thomas, daughter Elizabeth White, (wife of William), Jesse and William Bazemore and Francis Pugh Exrs. Test, Francis Pugh, Josiah Collins, John Daughtry.

Butler, Tobias, Augt. 17, 1791; Nov. Term 1791. Wife Kesiah, eldest son John, brother William, son Jethro, nephew Samuel Butler of South Carolina, daughters Elizabeth and Polly Butler, sons William and Simon, niece Tempty Harrell daughter of Jesse), sister

Hester Raby, John Acree, Jr., and Joseph Horn Exrs. Test, Edw'd Acree, Benj. Wimberly, Wm. Rasco.

Bentley, Martha, February Term 1795. Nephew John Bentley, James and William Bentley, Jerry Belote, Henry Belote Exr. Test, Zedekiah Stone, Sion Friar.

Boyce, William, February 1, 1795; Fall Term 1795. Wife Jude, children Jesse, William, Penny, Hardy, Levi, Hezekiah and Elizabeth Boyce, two of the children of my last wife, wife and Henry Belote Exrs. Test, Zedekiah Stone, James Bentley.

Barry, Thomas, of Windsor, Bertie Co., N. C., July 22, 1795; Nov. Term 1795. John Wolfenden and David Stone, brother John Barry of County Cork, Kingdom of Ireland; John Wolfenden Exr. Test, Henry Flury, Thos. Morris.

Boghart, Daniel, Aug. 7, 1796; Nov. Term 1796. William Pugh, (son of William), Henry Pugh Exr. Test, Henry Pugh, Augustine Pugh.

Biram, John, Feb'y 18, 1799; May Term 1799. Sons James and William, daughters Nancy Cannady and Judy White, daughters Mary and Esber Biram, all my children, son James and Moses Gilliam Exrs. Test, Wm. Sowell, Thamer Sowell.

Barrudial, Joseph, March 12, 1762. Wife Mary, sons Abraham and John, Mary Wood, grand-child James Wood (son of Dempsey), Abraham Barrudial and Mary Wood Exr. and Exx. Test, John Bazemore, Wm. Mitchell, James Mitchell.

Brogdon, David, May 11, 1762. Wife Mary, sons John and Frederick, daughter Susanna Brogdon, wife and Jacob Jennings Exrs. Test Luke Lott, Mary Keel, Geo. Diccard.

Brogdon, John, Feb'y 18, 1772; Nov. Term 1774. Wife Baliza, sons John and Patterson. Test, John Brogdon, Robert Knocks.

Bonner, William, Sept. 15, 1775; Nov. Court 1775. Sons William and John, wife Ann, son George, daughters Penelope White and Sarah Billups, son William one half my lots in Edenton, N. C., also half of land giving to my brother Thomas Bonner, daughters Martha and Ann Bonner, sons Miles and Thomas, if child in esse, grand-son William Dausey, wife, James Moore and son William Exrs. Test, Wm. Matthews, Peter Yeates, John Yeates.

Boghart, Daniel, Augt. 1, 1796; Nov. Term 1796. Wife Sarah and her brothers and sisters, Molly Willey, William Kittrell, George Kittrell, Charity Kittrell and Elizabeth Kittrell, Thomas Collins and James Rhodes. Test, James Rhodes, Josiah West.

Barfield, Thomas, March 23, 1768. Wife Colony, son Thanes, daughter Mary, daughter Elizabeth Watson, Wm. Rutland, Willis Callum, Titus Edwards, John Derment Exrs. Test, John Acree, Edw'd Collinas, Wm. Freeman.

Campbell, John, April 19, 1777; Feb'y Court 1781. Wife Martha whom I married July 6, 1777, grand-son John Campbell (son of James) grand-son Thomas Brownrigg, grand-daughters Mary, Jane and Sarah Brownrigg, daughter Sarah Meredith, grand-son John Brownrigg, son James, brother James Campbell, sisters Mary and Elizabeth, son-in-law Capt. David Meredith, (son James, Capt. James Leslie, of Halifax, N. C., Benjamin McCulloch and Capt. Robert Hardy, of Edenton Exrs.), Trustees and Guardians in the first year of this State's Independence, which may God long prosper and preserve, Amen. Test, John Nicholls, W. Nicholls, Aaron Boulton.

Campbell, Cornelius, Sept. 14, 1762. Wife Elizabeth, all my children John, James and Cornelius Campbell, David Ryan and wife Exrs. Test, Mary Clarke, Jas. Ryan, Geo. Ryan.

Campbell, James, Dec. 9, 1795; Feb'y Term 1798. Sons George and James, Mount Gould, daughters Sarah, Elizabeth, Mary and Martha Campbell, sons George and John, and John Brownrigg Exrs. Test, Jos. A. Brown, Jno. Campbell, H. Hardy.

Charlton, Jasper, Sept. 3, 1780; August Court 1782. Wife Abigail whom I appoint my Exx. Test, John Johnston.

Charlton, Jasper, Feb'y 2, 1797; May Term 1797. Wife Elizabeth, Elizabeth Urquhart, Jr., son Francis David Charlton, daughter Elizabeth Charlton, Geo. West and David Stone Exrs. Test, John McGlauchon, John Raper, John Hagan.

Cobb, Henry, Sept. 29, 1763. Wife Mary, sons John and James, all my children, wife Exx. Test, Wm. Hardy (son of Lamb), Mary Vandaford, Abraham Morris.

Cobb, Caesar, April 12, 1783; Augt. Term 1791. Wife Phillis, daughter Polly, grand-son Seceaser Chavis, George West and Stevens Gray Exrs. Test, Wm. Gray, Thos. Lee.

Cobb, James, Oct. 9, 1792; Nov. Term 1792. Sons Henry, Jesse, William and James, wife Elizabeth, my daughters (brother-in-law Wm. McGlauchon, and cousin Wm. Parrott Hardy and wife Exrs.). Test, John Capehart, John Cobb, Sarah Speight.

Craft, John, June 10, 1760. Sons Thomas, Samuel and James, daughters Martha Wimberly, Sarah and Lucy Craft, Sarah Wimberly (daughter of Benjamin), daughter Sarah and son Thomas Exrs. Test, Mary Highsmith, Luke Lott.

Cusion, Edward, April 14, 1769. Wife Catharine. Test, Thos. Bond, Jacob Jernigan.

Cake, John, Dec. 8, 1770; March, 1771. Wife Mary, daughter Elizabeth Hughes and Maybee Cowand, son John, daughter Ann Filgo, grand-sons William Cake, William Cowand and James Hughes, son Robert and Wm. Hardy Exrs. Test, Thos. Morris, Patience Morris, William Todd.

Cake, John, June 19, 1795; May Term 1796. Wife, daughters Charlotte Hughes and Ann Hughes (wife of George Hughes), my wife's first born. Robert Henry and Wm. Filgo Exrs.

Cuniffe, John, April 13, 1771; June Court 1771. John Campbell of Lazy Hill to get my watch in hands of Dr. Charles Mortimer, to Richard Brownrigg my sword, to James Campbell, my case of pistols, brother Malachi Cuniffe, Island of Jamaica, sister Ellen Kelley, John Campbell, Sr., Patrick Blake, of Jamaica, sister Margaret Davis of the same Island. Test, John Ramsey.

Cherry, Solomon, Nov. 14, 1773; August Court 1777. Daughters Mary Jenkins, Martha and Elizabeth Cherry, wife Sarah, sons James and Solomon, sons William and Cader Exrs. Test, Benj. Perry, Thos. Perry, Embrey Bunch.

Carter, Robert, August 30, 1783; Nov. Term 1784. Sons Isaac, George and Robert, daughters Rachel and Olive, son Michael, son George and James Purvis Exrs. Test, James Purvis, Matthew Hodges, Alan Hodges.

Capehart, Michael, March 12, 1778. Eldest sons George, Michael, William, James and John, brother John (wife Frances, son Michael, brother George and brother-in-law Wm. Hardy Exrs.) Test, Sarah Hardy, Martha Razor, Sophia Razor.

Cook, William, April 6, 1785; August Term 1785. Wife Mary, sons John and Joel, daughter Elizabeth Morris, sons Demsey, Reuben and William, sons John and Joel Exrs. Test, Sam'l Dunning, Wm. Morris, John Morris.

Critchett, John, Jan'y 23, 1778; May Term 1788. Sons Thomas and Richard, also Exrs. Test, Edward Griffin, Elizabeth Griffin, Cader Cooper.

Cureton, John, Dec. 15, 1788; Feb'y Term 1789. Wife Rachel, children William and Betsey, Perry Tyler, Moses Moore and James Moore, Sr. Test, Demsey Harrell, James Seay, Perry Tyler.

Churchwell, James, Sept. 9, 1789; Nov. Term 1789. Son Henry, daughter Nancy Deanes, and Elizabeth Bryan, wife Ann, children Mary, Edward, Jeremiah, Thomas, Allen, Patience, Sarah, William and Martha Churchwell, Absalom Carney and Noah Hinton Exrs. Test, Wm. Harrell, Reuben Harrell, Samuel Deanes.

Callum, Hezekiah, April 8, 1793; May Term 1793. Brothers-in-law Joel Holland and Solomon Barnes. Test, John Allen, Ann Allen.

Callum, Mary, Augt. 15, 1791; Augt. Term 1797. Elizabeth, John, James and Charles Thompson, John Thompson (son of William), Wm. Thompson Exr. Test, David Stone, E. Charlton.

Clements, George, Jan'y 18, 1794; May Term 1794. Wife Elizabeth, sons Isaac, William, George, Charlton and Hardy, John Pierce

and son William Exrs. Test, Joseph Jordan, Jane Ward, Joseph Hardy.

Cockran, Thomas, May 12, 1798; August Term 1798. Wife Elizabeth, sons Edward and Thomas, daughters Mary, Sarah, Jane, and Ann Cockran, Jas. Wilson and Charlton Witherington Exrs. Test, Charlton Hobbs, Margaret Robertson, Walter McFarlane.

Dempsey, Patience, February 12, 1764. Sons Thorogood, James Joshua and Isaac Dempsey, daughters Amy, Call and Mary, grand-son Isaac, grand-child Billy Dempsey, grand-daughter Patience Dempsey, grand-daughter Sarah Brantley, daughter Mary in trust for her father, John Pearson and John Nicholls Exrs. Test, Geo. Ryan, Wm. Ashley, John Andrews.

Draughan, Walter, Dec. 5, 1758. Daughters Thomazin and Bridgett, grand-son Thomas and Robert Draughan, sons John and Robert, son James, son John and Robert Exrs. Test, John Cake, John Outlaw, Edward Outlaw.

Davison, John, Oct. 10, 1768; March 24, 1772. Wife Edy, sons William, John and Amos, daughter Elizabeth Davison, wife Exx. Test, Humphrey Hardy, David Freeman.

Davison, John, Apl. 30, 1779; May Court 1779. Wife Elizabeth, daughter Sarah, son Smithwick, Luke Smithwick, Senear Smithwick and Leah Smithwick, (wife John Hyman and John Averit, of Martin County, Exrs. Test, David Davidson, Wm. Pender.

Dillard, George, June 9, 1780; Nov. Term 1780. Sister Siller Dillard, Ezekiel Blanchard, Siller Dillard and Wm. Andrews Exrs. Test, Wm. Andrews, Benj. Parker.

Dwyer, Morgan, Dec. 5, 1786; Feb'y Term 1787. Wife Elizabeth brothers Dennis and John Dwyer, brother Patrick and wife Elizabeth Exrs. Test, Chas. King, Thomas King.

Dwyer, Dennis, Oct. 20, 1770; Nov. Term 1790. Son William, daughters Eleanor, Sarah and Ann, (wife Winnefred, John Wolfenden and James Burn Exrs. Test, Thos. Barry, James Warren, John F. Brown.

Dwyer, Elizabeth, Augt. 1, 1793; Nov. Term 1795. Son William King, daughter Ann Speight, sons Charles and Henry King, grand-son Henry King Benton, daughters Martha Britt and Catharine Arnold, son Henry King and son-in-law Richard Arnold Exrs. Test, Joseph Parker, Thomas Parker.

Dargan, Jeremiah, Nov. 6, 1786; Feb'y Term 1787. Wife Ann, her mother, all her brothers and sisters, except her sister Sarah Himan, her part to go to her two daughters Sarah and Ann Himan; William Dargan, Dorcas Miller and Timothy Dargan (Joshua Freeman, Sam'l Moore, Ephraim Weston, Jr., and wife Ann Exrs.). Test, Ephraim Weston, Thos. Sheehan, Wm. Watson.

Dawson, Richard, March 25, 1796; May Term 1796. Susanna Evans daughter of Michael and Margaret Evans, six silver table and six silver tea spoons marked R. P. D. nephew George Dawson, sisters Ann Sebree and Elizabeth Dawson, brother George Dawson's children, viz.: Jane, Hannah, James and George Dawson, brothers John Castellaw and William Dawson, George Outlaw and David Tayloe Exrs. Test, Miles Bonner, James Yeats, H. Hardy.

Davis, George, March 14, 1797; Augt. Term 1797. Wife Elizabeth, youngest son Miles Davis, all my children, Thos. Sutton Exrs. Test, Elizabeth Davis, Henry Cobb.

Edwards, Titus, Augt. 28, 1785; Nov. Term 1785. Eldest son David, daughters Winnefred and Elizabeth Edwards, sons Isom and William, wife Rachel, daughters Sarah, Mary and Catharine Edwards; wife and son Isom Exrs. Test, Fred'k Lassiter, Jas. Bate, Jas. Bentley.

Edwards, William, Sr., Augt. 7, 1785; Nov. Term 1785. Sons Thomas, Benjamin, John, William, Absalom and Nathan, wife Tabitha, daughters Mary and Dorcas Edwards, brother Titus Edwards and son Nathan Exrs. Test, Wm. Thomson, Elisha Summerlin.

Early, James, Mch. 30, 1786; May Term 1786. Wife Grace, eldest son Shadrach, son John, daughters Sarah and Christian Early, daughters Elizabeth Jenkins, Lavinia Mitchell and Mary Baker, sons John and Shadrach Exrs. Test, Levi Baker, Benj. Early, William Morris.

Early, Shadrach, Jan'y 29, 1798; May Term 1798. Wife Sally, sons James and Thomas, daughters Lavinia and Nancy, brother John Early Exr. Test, Wm. Morris, Sr., John Williford.

Eason, Abner, Nov. 7, 1792; May Term 1792. Wife Rachel, children Abner, Joseph, George Eason, Absillah Rhodes and Sarah Perry, grand-sons Jethro and Robert Lassiter, grand-daughters Rachel Garrett and Sarah Eason (daughters of Jacob Eason, dec'd), sons Abner and Joseph Exrs. Test, Wm. Cherry, Thos. Bond, Ezekiel Thomas.

Evans, Michael, Dec. 17, 1795; May Term 1796. Brother Benjamin Evans, daughter Susanna Cotench Evans, my brothers and sisters, (Geo. West, Jno. Wolfenden and Richard Evans Exrs.). Test, Thos. Ryan Butler, George Outlaw, Sr.

Freeman, William, Sept. 30, 1781; Feb'y Term 1782. Wife Tabitha, daughter Mary Burk, grand-daughters (daughters of my daughter Frances Mackeral), sons John and Robert, land in Norfolk and Norfolk Co., Va., (wife, son Robert and Noah Hinton Exrs.) Test, Noah Hinton.

Freeman, John, Dec. 7, 1782; May Term 1785. Wife Sarah, her former husbands Henry Winborne and Isme Rascoe, daughter Elizabeth Baker (wife of James), sons Solomon, Elisha, John Moses

and Aaron, Starkey Sharpe, James Wilson and son Solomon Exrs. Test, David Vallentine, Penelope Fleetwood, James Campbell.

Freeman, King, Feb'y 2, 1793; May Term 1793. Son-in-law Blake Baker, daughter Christian Baker, grand-daughters Elizabeth and Sarah Baker, grand-son John Freeman Baker, John Rice (son of James, Wm. Rice son of my wife, wife Sarah and her son James Rice Exrs. Test, David Pruden, Wright Wiliford, Wm. Baker.

Freeman, John, 1793; Nov. Term 1793. Sons Charles, Hardy and Jeremiah, daughters Rachel Outlaw, Leach Lurry, Millicent Perry, Christian Norfleet, Delilah Ward and Elizabeth Freeman, son John, wife Sarah, brother Joshua Freeman, (sons Charles and Hardy, and Timothy Walton Exrs. Test, James Outlaw, Lewis Outlaw.

Freeman, Joshua, Augt. 24, 1794; Nov. Term 1794. Wife Mary, sons James, William, Joshua and Jacob, daughters Christian Wood, Mary Copeland (wife of Samuel Harrell), Sarah Sutton, Celia Campbell, (Thos. Sutton, sons William and Jacob Exrs.). Test, James Jones, Hardy Freeman, Tim'y Walton.

Freeman, Solomon, Apl. 23, 1788; May Term 1788. Wife Martha, sons Joseph and Francis, daughter Anna Freeman, sons John and David, daughter Sarah, son James, my father John Freeman dec'd, if child in esse, James Cherry and James Wilson Exrs. Test, Wm. Cherry, Wm. Barrudial.

Fry, Cethring, Dec. 18, 1781; Feb'y Term 1782. Son Thomas Cockran, daughter Sarah Cockran, son John Cockran, Nancy and Mary Lord, Mary Sorel, James Wilson and Robert Hendry Exrs. Test, Robert Hardy, James Wilson.

Fields, John, Sept. 8, 1782; Nov. Term 1783. Joseph Hopkins to keep until I come home from the war, or die, then to give my estate to my brother Humphrey Lawrence, Joseph and Daniel Hopkins Exrs. Test, Happy Hopkins, Angelina Hopkins.

Fleetwood, William, June 12, 1769. Sons Henry and William, daughters Mary Cake, Susannah Sanderlin, Ann Cook and Winnefred Weston, sons John and James, daughter Elizabeth, son Edmond, daughters Sarah and Judith, son Thomas Wygans, daughter Charlotte, son Hardy, daughter Penny, (wife Elizabeth, son James and William Hardy Exrs. Test, Edwd. Hardy, John Hardy, James Bate.

Fleetwood, Henry, Augt. 15, 1773; May Court 1774. Son William Hooten Fleetwood, daughters Sarah and Elizabeth, wife Sarah, brothers-in-law, William and John Hooten and cousin William Hardy and wife Exrs. Test, Wm. Hooten, Elisha Ashburn, John Fleetwood.

Filgo, Anthony, Oct. 24, 1776; May Court 1777. Wife Ann, daughters Mary Laughton and Ann Todd, son-in-law James Laugh-

ton and Thomas Slatter Exrs. Test, Thomas Slatter, Olive Oxley, Elizabeth Hughes.

Friar, Sion, Jan'y 25, 1795; Feb'y Term 1795. Henry Belote to sell and divide all my property among my friends except my Surtoot Coat which I give to brother Willis Cooper. Test, Lemuel Todd, William Sullivent.

Farmer, Joseph, July 21, 1789; Nov. Term 1796. Sons Luke, Joseph, James, William, John, Josiah and Jesse, wife Sarah, son King, daughters Elizabeth, Sarah, Winne, Judah and Rachel Farmer, Ephraim Mitchell and John Early Exrs. Test, William Cherry, William Mitchell, Silva Scott.

Fleetwood, William, Sr., July 3, 1792; Feb'y Term 1799. Son William, daughter Ann Stanton, sons John, Henry and Ashley, daughters Susanna, Mary, Elizabeth and Penelope, wife Elizabeth, sons William and John and wife Eliabeth Exrs. Test, William P. Hardy, Edmond Fleetwood.

Gliston, James, Dec. 17, 1774; Nov. Term 1781. Jacob Gliston son of my brother Daniel, Elizabeth Keel (daughter of Elizabeth Keel dec'd), brother John Gliston, sister Sarah Gliston, brothers John and David Gliston Exrs. Test, Noah Hinton, Thomas Hill, Arthur Gliston.

Gliston, Sarah, Sept. 17, 1783; Aug. Term 1784. Cousin Elizabeth Keel. Test, Anna Hinton, Wm. Hinton.

Gliston, Daniel, Oct. 24, 1787; Augt. Term 1790. Daughters Anna and Sarah Gliston, also appoint them my Exxs. Test, Arthur Jernagan.

Gardner, Martin, March 26, 178—; August Term 1784. Sons John and Martin Gardner, sons Bryan and James Gardner, daughters Sarah and Ann Gardner, wife Sarah, son John and Noah Hinton Exrs. Test, Noah Hinton, Sally Gardner, Wm. Bryan.

Gardner, James, Sept. 12, 1790; Nov. Term 1790. Wife Mary, sons Averet and William, daughter Phereby Holmes (wife of Shadrach), heirs of my deceased brothers William, Martin and John Gardner, son Alexander, daughters Mary Harrell, Elizabeth Harrell, Winney Gardner, Patience James and Celia Gardner. Test, Wm. Rasco, Joseph Holland, Wm. Ruffin.

Gliston, Ann, May 4, 1795; August Term 1795. Children Leah and Right Gliston, Arthur Jernagan and Noah Thompson Exrs. Test, Sela Glisson, Wm. Thompson.

Gough, John, Jan. 5, 1762. Son Charles, cousin Wm. Gough, youngest son Lewis, Hardy Hayes and William Gough Exrs. Test, James Pervis, Hardy Hays, Wm. Gough. I. Witnesses.

Green, Thomas, Oct. 5, 1760. Sons John, Joseph and Thomas, daughter-in-law Hannah Green, son-in-law Benjamin Hooker, wife



Elizabeth, daughters Ann, Elizabeth and Sarah. Test, Wm. Hosea, Jos. Williams, Jr., John Williams.

Granberry, Samuel, Nov. 9, 1774. My wife and little son. Test, Thomas Rhodes.

Griffin, Edward, June 22, 1790; Augt. Term 1790. Wife Penelope, son William, daughters Sarah and Elizabeth Griffin, wife and son William Exrs. Test, Thos. Yeats, William Yeats.

Gray, Stevens, Oct. 24, 1794; Feb'y Term 1796. Father Wm. Gray, Joseph Blount, of Edenton, sister Elinor Gray, brother Wm. Lee, father, brother Wm. Gray and Joseph Blount Exrs. Test, Anth. Darlett.

Garrett, Jesse, Oct. 13, 1796; May Term 1797. Wife Rachel, sons Jesse, David and Jacob, daughter Celia Eley, sons Timothy and John, daughter Millie, son Thomas, daughters Penny, Mary and Elizabeth Garrett, son-in-law James Cherry Exr. Test, Timothy Walton, Wm. Laine.

Grimes, Samuel, July 12, 1783; August Term 1783. Wife Ferebee\*, all my children, wife and William Pugh Exrs. Test, William Bryan, Noah Hinton, Jesse Bryan.

Harrell, Lemuel, June 13, 1780; Feb'y Term 1781. Wife Mary, son Lemuel, my four children, Jonh Nancy, Elijah and Reuben Harrell, Amos Harrell, Thomas Rhodes and William Andrews to divide my estate after the death or marriage of my wife, Amos. Harrell and Thomas Rhodes Exrs. Test, William Andrews, George Williams.

Harrell, Kader, 1775; August Term 1781. Wife Agnes, sons Samuel, Kader and Drewry Harrell (wife, James Moore and Noah Hinton Exrs.). Test, Elizabeth Harrell, Samuel Grimes.

Harrell, John, June 3, 1781; August Term 1781. Thomas House (son of my sister Ruth House), half-brother George Williams, mother Ann Williams, sister Winnefred Harrell, George Williams and George House Exrs. Test, Noah Hinton, Thos. House, Malachi Chamberlain.

Harrell, Israel Hardy, Augt. 3, 1780; May Term 1783. Mother Alice Owens, sister Grace Pierce, sisters Patience, Esther, Edith, Keziah, and Delilah Owens, Noah Hinton, Josiah Harrell, Jr., and Jesse Harrell Exrs. Test, William Rasco, Josiah Harrell, Noah Hinton.

Harrell, Josiah, Aug. 20, 1783; Nov. Term 1783. Daughters Fanny and Anna Harrell, Bailus House and Noah Thompson Exrs. Test, Geo. House, Noah Harrell, Noah Hinton.

Harrell, Selah, May 13, 1783; Nov. Term 1783. Sister Pennv

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\*Wife Ferebee was the daughter of James Luten and wife Mary, nee Pugh. (daughter of Francis Pugh and wife Ferebee Savage.) This is I know to be correct.—Editor.

Harrell, brother William Harrell, George Williams, Lewis Bryant, sister Penny Harrell and James House Exrs. Test, James House, Sarah House.

Harrell, Francis, March, 1759. Wife Mary, sons Jacob, John and Francis, daughter Mary Averit, daughters Sarah Saulsbury and Elizabeth Harrell, sons William and Shadrach, daughter Martha Harrell, wife and Elias Hodges Exrs. Test, Wm. Turner, Wm. Williams, Jas. Churchwell.

Harrell, Ezekiel, April 11, 1764. Son Israel Hardy Harrell, wife Alee, daughter Grace Harrell, (Noah Hinton, Jesse and Josiah Harrell, Exrs.). Test, David Harrell, Sommerwell Barfield, Moses Wimberly.

Harrell, David, Jan'y 5, 1767. Wife Charity, sons David and Noah, daughters Charity, Sarah, Mildred and Chloe Harrell, (Joseph Harrell, David Harrell and Noah Hinton Exrs.). Test, Benj. Wimberly, Wm. Vann.

Harrell, John, July 21, 1767. Sons Moses, Baley, Lemuel and Solomon Harrell, daughters Judah Higgs and Lucy Davenport, sons Amos and Gideon, sons Baley and Lemuel Exrs. Test, Nicholas Skinner, Jacob Harrell, John Higgs.

Harrell, Christopher, Mch. 24, 1772. My wife. Test, William Gup-ton, Mary Abington.

Harrell, Samuel, Jan'y 19, 1770; Sept. Court 1772. Wife Elizabeth, children Cader Harrell, Dorothy Billups, Kesiah Bond and Ann Harrell, son Cader and James Moore Exrs. Test, Noah Hinton, Jacob Jernagan, Josiah Blanchard.

Harrell, Benjamin, July 11, 1775; Augt. Court 1775. Son John, Charles Yeates Harrell, brother Elisha Harrell, wife Winnev, Lemuel Harrell and Wm. Andrews Exrs. Test, Demsey Harrell, Benj. Williams, Mary Skinner.

Harrell, Henry, Feb'y 27, 1773; Feb'y Court 1777. Sons Reuben, Benjamin, Henry, Whitmell and John Wimberly Harrell, sons David, Joseph and Edward, daughter Pharaby Pulle, daughters Rachel, Barbara and Elizabeth Harrell (wife Rachel, sons Reuben and Benjamin Exrs. Test, Jas. Purvis, John Higgs, Jacob Harrell.

Harrell, John, Jan'y 10, 1777; Feb'y Court 1777. Wife Ann, sons Zachariah, John, Lott and James, daughters Mary and Elizabeth Harrell, brother Lott Harrell and John James Exrs. Test, Noah Hinton, Elizabeth James, Fred'k Hollar.

Harrell, David, May 24, 1778; May Court 1779. Wife Celia, also appoint her my Exx. Test, Arthur Thompson, Edea Moore, Charity Vann.

Harrell, James, April 2, 1781; Nov. Term 1785. Sons Arthur, Willis, James and Joel, daughters Sarah, Elizabeth, Grace and Mary

Harrell, grand-sons Ephraim, Titus and Allen Page (sons of daughter Priscilla) daughter Grace Purvis, wife Grace, sons James and Joel Exrs. Test, Wm. Higgs, Elizabeth Harrell, Mary Harrell.

Harrell, Jesse, Sept. 19, 1786; Feb'y Term 1788. Wife Fereby, daughter Priscilla Vinson, Rachel Kittrell (daughter of my daughter Priscilla Vinson), son Josiah, Judith Rountree (daughter of my daughter Ferebee Rountree, grand-son Joab Rountree (son of Ferebee), grand-children Turner and Tempe Harrell (children of Jesse), son Joshua, grand-son Jesse Harrell (son of Jesse), daughter Rachel Rascoe and her daughter Ferebee Rascoe, sons Josiah, Joshua and Jonathan Harrell Exrs. Test, Noah Hinton, Noah Harrell, Robert Adams.

Harrell, Joshua, Jan'y 23, 1780; Nov. Term 1789. Wife Ann, children Christopher, Catharine, Ann, Hodges, Elizabeth, Wynnah, Josiah, Hezekiah and Jeremiah Harrell. Test, John Holland, Jewel Holland, Allen Harrell.

Harrell, Thomas, Sept. 15, 1786; August Term 1791. Wife Angelica, eldest son John, youngest son Joseph, daughters Elenor Jordan and Mary Lassiter, son Joseph and wife Exrs. Test, Herbert Pritchard, Isaac Harrell, Patience Harrell.

Harrell, Elijah, Oct. 16, 1795; Nov. Term 1795. Mother Mary Harrell, brothers Lemuel and John, James Swinhow Grover, Sr., and brother Lemuel Exrs. Test, James Swinhow Grover, Sr., John Spencer, James S. Grover, Jr.

Higgs, Abraham, Oct. 13, 1782; Nov. Term 1782. Wife Sarah, sons John and Abraham, daughter Elizabeth, wife Noah Hinton and Geo. Williams, Exrs. Test, Fred'k Holland, Wm. Averet, Malachi Chamberlain.

Higgs, Judath, Oct. 5, 1795; Augt. Term 1796. Son Elisha, daughter Judah, children William, John, Jacob, Reuben, Milly Pulle, Priscilla Rutland, Mary Young, Elizabeth Higgs and Sarah Holland, James Harrell, Joseph Horn and son Elisha Exrs. Test, Jacob Higgs, Phillip Rawls, Henry Harrell.

Hinton, John, Aug. 22, 1782; Feb'y Term 1783. My half-brother Arthur Jernagan, half sister — Jernagan, sister Elizabeth Bond, brother-in-law Thomas Bond Exr. Test, Jesse Averet, Shadrach Hinton, David Byram.

Hinton, Martha, Nov. 28, 1773; May Court 1774. Daughter Elizabeth, sons Micajah and Shadrach, daughters Millia and Pattie, sons William, John, James, Micajah Hinton and Thos. Pugh Exrs. Test, Thos. Pugh, Chas. Everet, Mill Avert.

Hinton, John, Nov. 2, 1789; Nov. Term 1791. William Hinton, (grand-son of brother Micajah Hinton) brother Noah Hinton Exr. Test, Noah Thompson, Arthur Smith.

Hardy, William, Dec. 6, 1783; Feb'y Term 1784. Youngest son Benjamin, daughter Elizabeth, my mother, wife, all my children, brothers Edward and Jesse Hardy and son Lamb Hardy Exrs. Test, Thos. Johnson, Abraham Lee, Stephen Lee.

Hardy Lamb, Feb'y 8, 1797; Feb'y Term 1797. Wife Winnefred, sons Thomas and William Parrott Hardy, daughter Elizabeth, brothers William P. Hardy and Benjamin Hardy and wife Exrs. Test, Moses Williams, Elizabeth Speight, Sr., Elizabeth Williams.

Holley, Nathaniel, Dec. 2, 1782; Feb'y Term 1784. Sons John and Moore, daughters Ann Britton (wife of Amos), Chloe Wilford, Rodath, Ruth, Penelope, Sarah and Elizabeth Holley, (wife Sarah, John Freeman and Tim'y Walton Exrs.). Test, Lewis Outlaw, Josiah Perry, Timothy Walton.

Holley, James, Jan'y 27, 1795; May Term 1795. Sons Josiah, Nathaniel, James, Thomas, Benjamin and John, daughters Martha, Elizabeth, Mary and Ann Holley, wife Winnefred, (son Josiah, James Wilson and Timothy Walton Exrs.). Test, L. Outlaw, T. Rayner, Joshua Freeman.

Hays, Hardy, March 7, 1784; August Term 1784. Wife Sarah, son Joshua, daughters Penelope, Elizabeth, Sarah, Tempe, Judah and Susannah Hayes, Absalom Carney and John Doddrell Exrs. Test, Benj. Mires, Wm. Andrews, Wm. Edwards, Solomon Page, Jameson Rabev.

Hays, Richard, Nov. 8, 1778; Nov. Term 1786. Wife Eddy, daughters Pene and Lavinia Hays, wife and Benj. Mires Exrs. Test, John Edwards, Eundice Mires.

House, George, April 13, 1763. Wife Mary, daughter Edah House son Baylus House, brother Thomas House and James Moore Exrs. Test, Thos. Pugh, Chas. Averet, James Seay.

House, John, Nov. 11, 1765. Wife Martha, daughters Mary and Elizabeth, sons James and John, brother Thomas House Exr. Test, Edward Cushion, Catharine Cushion.

House, Thomas, Oct. 12, 1794; Feb'y Term 1795. Sons William, George and Thomas, daughters Patience Young and Sarah Moore, and grand-daughter Janet Jacobs, grand-son John House, grand-daughters Sarah, Ruth and Elizabeth Young, son-in-law Thos. Young, sons William and George Exrs. Test, Noah Thompson, James House, Joseph Davenport.

Hollowell, William, Oct. 7, 1766. Wife Elizabeth, all my children, wife and Jesse Hollowell Exrs. Test, Micajah Lassiter, Nicholas Skinner, Adam Raby.

Hill, Moses, July 19, 1762. Son-in-law Daniel Freeman, grand-son Reuben Freeman, daughter Sarah Hill, youngest daughter Judeth Hill, Judeth Freeman, John Pierce and daughter Judith Exrs. Test, John Pierce, Thos. Quin, Ruth Pearce.

Hill, John, Dec. 12, 1762. Wife Martha, sons Whitmell and Henry Hill, daughters Elizabeth, Mary, Winnefred and Sarah Hill, child in esse, (wife, Thos. Whitmell, Wm. Gray and Wm. Williams Exrs. Test, Will Cathcart, David Standley, Elizabeth Whitmell.

Hill, Hardy, April 8, 1777; Nov. Court 1777. Wife Janet, daughter Elizabeth Hill, John, Sally, Sidney and Elizabeth How, wife, Thomas and Luke Collins Exrs. Test, Edward Griffin, Thos. Lawrence, Asa Lawrence.

Hughs, George, about 1764. Wife Sarah, sons William and George, daughters Sarah Meazell, Ann Drawhon, Elizabeth Lee, and Elishea Holten, grand-son George Drawhon, son Thomas, son-in-law John Meazell and son Thomas Exrs. Test, John Freeman, Aaron Askew.

House, George, Nov. 10, 1795; February Term 1796. Wife Ann, son John Turner House, his mother Ann, daughter Elizabeth Granberry House, child in esse, Samuel Granberry, Titus Moore, Pharaby Veazy, Sam'l Granberry and Titus Moore Exrs. Test, Noah Thompson, Frances Pugh, Jr., James House.

Hobson, Francis, Feb'y 26, 1766. Sister Grace Cannaday, Francis, James, David, John and Ephraim Cannaday, Mary Griffin, Sarah Gainer, Francis Hobson, Mary King, John and Robert Anderson, William Anderson, Rachel Jones, (wife Elizabeth, Thomas Turner and David Standley Exrs. Test, Wm. Starke, John Capehart, Thos. Haskett.

Hendricks, Daniel, Feb'y 12, 1768. Son Abrain, daughters Sarah Daniel, Elizabeth Hendricks and Rachel Strawhon, wife Elizabeth and Elisha Whitfield Exrs. Test, Elisha Whitfield, John Savage, Wm. Hood, Edw'd Collins.

Hurst, John, Feb'y 11, 1769. Wife Judith, daughter Mary Green, son William Hurst and John Olliver Exrs. Test, John Cleland, Edwd Collins, Mary Barber.

Holder, Thomas, Jan'y 19, 1773; May Court 1774. Youngest son Elisha, daughter Elizabeth, wife Susannah, sons John and Thos. Exrs. Test, James Williams, Elizabeth Williams, Herbert Pritchard.

Hooker, Benjamin, June 5, 1773; May Court 1774. Wife Ann, children Hardy, John, James, Elisha, Benjamin, Freeman, David, Sarah and Cora Hooker, daughter Huldry Powers, wife Exx. Test, Wm. Evans, Joshua Burruss, Walter McFarlane.

Hopkins, John, March 1, 1774; Feb'y Court 1775. Wife Angelina, Daniel and Joseph Hopkins, if child in esse, daughter Winnefred, sons John and Alexander Exrs. Test, Josiah Redditt, Fred'k Lawrence, Constantine Reddett.

Hawkins, Edward, July 4, 1767; Feb'y Court 1777. Wife Ellinor. Test, Peter Hays, Esbell Hays, Robt. Titus.

Hawkins, Thomas, Sr., April 28, 1791; Feb'y Term 1793. Sons John, Frederick, Thomas and Richard, daughters Elizabeth Hardy, Ann Wood, Joice Curry and Mary Hawkins, Thomas and John Hawkins Exrs. Test, James Turner, William Cowper, David Harrell.

Harle, Sarah, Oct. 12, 1779; Nov. Court 1779. Daughter Mary (wife of James Lane), daughter Elizabeth wife of ——— Lane), daughter Elizabeth (wife of Amos Davison), Amos Davison and his wife Exrs. Test, John Campbell, Martha Campbell.

How, Alexander, Oct. 20, 1779; Feb'y Court 1780. Wife Mary, children John, Sidney, Sarah, Elizabeth and Thomas How (wife Col. John Hardy, of Pitt Co., N. C., Luke Collins and Humphrey Hardy Exrs. Test, John King, Humphrey Hardy.

Hallom, Jeremiah, Oct. 3, 1784; Nov. Term 1784. Eldest son John, wife Judith, youngest son Edmond, eldest daughter Mary, daughters Elizabeth, Winnefred, Sarah, Mourning, Martha and Nicey, Abraham Perry, John Capehart and Herbert Pritchard Exrs. Test, Abraham Perry, Jno. Capehart, Wm. White, Herbert Pritchard.

Hare, Thomas, Dec. 25, 1785; February Term 1786. Daughter Penelope Spikes (wife of Francis), daughter Elizabeth (wife of Phillip Lewis), wife Penelope, daughter Jemima (wife of James Wood) son Thomas Edward Hare, three younger children, Anthony Armistead and Wm. McKenzie Exrs. Test, Robert Hall, John Belote, John Belote, Jr.

Hare, Penelope, Mch. 29, 1789. Daughters Elizabeth Lewis, Penelope Speight, Jemima Wood and Jennett Hare, son Thomas Edward Hare Exr. Test, Thos. Collins, John Miller, Jennett Moore.

Hunter, Cader, April 7, 1790; Aug. Term, 1790. Children Humphrey and Hardy, child in esse, wife Elizabeth, William Hunter and Timothy Hunter, Jr., Exrs. Test, Joshua Evans, George Harmage, Timothy Hunter.

Hunter, Hardy, July 15, 1792; Aug. Term, 1794. Sons Humphrey, Cader, William, Timothy and Joshua, daughters Sarah Perry, Christian, Senath and Mary Hunter, wife Rachel, William and Timothy Hunter Exrs. Test, Wm. Lurry, Sparkman Stone, Tim'y Hunter.

Holland, Joseph, Nov. 17, 1790; Feb'y Term 1791. Son Joel, wife Mary, daughter Sarah Thomas, grand-daughter Rachel Holland. Test, Allen Purvis, Abner Eason, Joel Cook.

Hyman, John, Ap'l 29, 1793, Nov. Term, 1794. Wife Sarah, son Samuel, grandson Joel Hyman (his mother Elizabeth Hyman), sons Thomas and John, daughter Elizabeth.

Hyman, Sarah, Oct. 20, 1795, Aug. Term, 1795. Sister Elizabeth Ross, cousin Margaret West, cousins Mary and Elizabeth West,

brother-in-law James Ross Exr. Test, Sarah Miles, Josiah West.

Hodgson, Charles, June 12, 1795, Feb'y Term, 1798. Wife Mary, daughters Elizabeth Sparkman and Mary Hodgson, daughter-in-law Nancy Harris, sister Polly Hodgson, John Tidman and Charles Sanderlin, wife Exx. Test, Reuben Lawrence, Richard Gill.

Jenkins, Ephraim, June 13, 1780, Feb'y Term, 1780. Brothers Irvin and Zaddock Jenkins. Test, James Howard, Mary Cherry.

Jenkins, John, Feb'y 8, 1779, May Court, 1779. Wife Mary, sons Zaddock, Charles, Riddick, Irvin, Ephraim and Isaac, daughters Winnie, Sarah and Kesiah Jenkins, son Abram, William Cherry and James Jenkins Exrs. Test, John Jenkins, Isaac Jenkins, Milly Howard, Debby Jones.

Jordan, Joseph, Apl. 30, 1776, May Court, 1776. Sons Isaac, William and Joseph, daughters Sarah Armistead, Prudence Maer and Margaret Reed, wife Ruth, sons Isaac, William and Joseph Exrs. Test, Wm. Jordan, Stephen Buck.

Jordan, Ruth, Dec. 14, 1776, Feb'y Term, 1777, son-in-law Christian Reed, daughters Sarah Armistead, Prudence Maer, and Margaret Reed, grand-son John Durant Reed, son Joseph, sons Isaac and William Exrs. Test, Bird Hubbard, Mary Cory, Mary Hinson.

Jordan, Joseph, Dec. 11, 1785, Feb'y Term, 1786. Wife Mary, brother Isaac Jordan, sister Prudence Williams' children, sister Margaret Reed's children, sister Sarah Armistead's children, brothers Isaac and William Jordan and nephew John Armistead Exrs. Test, William Jordan, John Sutton.

Jordan, William, Oct. 28, 1786, Nov. Term, 1786. Son James, daughters Mary, Martha, Margaret and Elizabeth Jordan, son William, daughter Mildred Armistead and Ann Whedbee, daughters by my last wife, friend Isaac Jordan, son-in-law Anthony Armistead, Wm. Jordan and son James Exrs. Test, Ed. Hinson, Wm. Warburton, Anth'y Armistead.

Jordan, Isaac, Feb'y 3, 1790; May Term, 1790. Sons Joseph and Edward, daughters Mary, Sarah, Prudence and Hannah Jordan, wife Hannah, son Joseph and nephew James Jordan Exrs. Test, Lewis Harrell, Job Swain.

Jordan, William, Nov. 17, 1790. Probated in Chowan County, N. C., Dec. Term, 1790; Bertie Co. Feb'y Court, 1791. Wife Mary, son William, daughters Mary Smithwick, Margaret Harra-mond (wife of Henry), Elizabeth, Harriet and Sarah Jordan, Thomas Collins, Christian Reed and Bird Hubbard Exrs. Test, Dr. Fred'k Rameke, James B. Jordan, Josiah Collins.

Jacocks, Charles Worth, Feb'y 5, 1776; August Court 1777. My cousins in New England, Mary and Rebecca Jacocks, daughters

of my uncle Thomas Jacocks, dec'd, my old friend John Scolley of Boston, nephew Charles Jacocks, son of my brother Jonathan Jacocks, Beumiah Turner, and brother Jonathan Jacocks Exrs. Test, Jona Jacocks, Elizabeth Jacocks.

Jacocks, Jonathan, June, 1782; Aug. Term, 1787. Sons Charles, Jonathan and Jno. Jacocks, daughter Ann Jacocks, child in esse, wife Elizabeth, Whitmell Hill and Hy Hill Exrs. Test, Robert West, Mary Burn.

Jernegan, George, Sr., Mch. 6, 1778; May Court, 1778. Wife Ferebee, wife and George Jernegan, Exrs. Test, Cary West, Geo. Jernigan.

Jernegan, Jesse, Oct. 16, 1785; Nov. Term 1785. Wife Jerusha, sons James and Jesse, daughters Feribee, Sarah and Alee Jernegan, daughter Elizabeth Carter, Thomas Bond, Benjamin Jernegan and Nathaniel Vezey Exrs. Test, Jacob Jordan, Lewis Jernegan, Rachel Watts.

Jernegan, Jacob, Mch. 3, 1795; May Term, 1795. Sons Benjamin and Arthur, daughter Rachel Watts, grandson Josiah Jernegan (son of Joseph), grand-daughter Zilpha Jernegan, sons Benjamin and Arthur Exrs. Test, Noah Thompson, Jesse Averit, Thos. Penn.

Jones, William, June 3, 1790; Aug. Term, 1790. Sons James and William, daughters Mary, Sarah and Rhoda, wife. Test, John Watts, Samuel Virgin.

Johnston, John, Dec. 7, 1790; Feb'y Term, 1790. Son Samuel Williams Johnston the land I bought of Samuel Grimes, son John Scrymson Johnston, daughter Elizabeth Whitmell Johnston, son William Williams Johnston, son Henry Johnston, dear little daughter Annie Scrymour Johnston, sister Jean Blair's legatees, son Alexander Scrym. Johnston, daughter Betsey, her great-grandmother Mrs. Burt, my only brother Sam'l Johnston, and brothers-in-law Samuel and William Williams Exrs; also sons Samuel and John. Test, Henry Speller, Thos. Leggett, Jeremiah Leggett.

Johnstone, Caroline, Apl. 29, 1786; Aug. Term 1793. John Johnstone, Samuel Johnstone Exr. Test, Charlotte Keen, Penelope Keen, William White.

Johnston, Burwell, Jan'y 3, 1795; Nov. Term, 1796. Wife Rebecca, sons Snowden and James, daughters Selah Dawson and Elizabeth Johnston, son Abner, wife and son Jonathan Exrs. Test, Wm. Rhodes, Benjamin Folk.

Jones, James, Nov. 14, 1796; Feb'y Term, 1797. My son. Test, Nottingham Monk, John Lester.

Knott, Joseph, Oct. 10, 1780; Feb'y Term, 1781. Sons Joseph and Thomas, wife Sarah, all my children, Henry Speller and George Outlaw Exrs. Test, Peter Clifton, John Wolfenden.



Knott, William, July 18, 1781; Nov. Term, 1781. Wife Mary, sons James and William, son Atter Elvington Knott, son Thomas, daughters Elizabeth, Sarah and Marvil Knott, son Absalom, daughter Mary's son James, and William Exrs. Test, Humphrey Hardy, Josiah Redditt.

Knott, Absalom, April 10, 1784; Aug. Term, 1784. Wife Elizabeth, daughter Clarissa, Luke and Lanier Smithwick, James Knott, wife and John Smithwick Exrs. Test, James Knott, Wm. Brassell.

Knott, Joseph, Feb'y Term, 1776. Grand-sons Joseph and Thomas Knott, sons James and Joseph, grand-daughter Agnes Knott, sons Joseph and James, Exrs. Test, Thos. Whitmell, Marvil Knott, Wm. White, Peter Clifton.

Knott, William, July 14, 1786; Nov. Term, 1786. Sons John and Charles, child in esse, Josiah Redditt, Humphrey Hardy and wife Exrs. Test, John Lawrence, Thos. Knott.

King, William, May 28, 1778; Nov. Court, 1778. Wife Elizabeth, sons Henry, William and Charles, son Michael, daughters Anne, Catharine and Matthew King, wife and son William Exrs. Test, Michael King, Zedekiah Stone.

King, William, Ap'l 9, 1789; May Term, 1790. Wife Ann and my two daughters, Humphrey Hardy, Exr. Test, Wm. Mizell, John Morgan, Luke H.

Kent, Joseph, Oct. 26, 1787; Aug. Term, 1789. Wife Rachel, Frederick Lawrence, Geo. Ryan, Frederick Lawrence and wife, Executors. Test, Alex Slaughter, Thos. Johnston.

Kittrell, John, Nov. 22, 1792, Feb'y Term, 1793. Sons Demsey, John, Willis and Standley, daughters Sarah, Louisa and Jemima, sons Willis and John Exrs. Test, Andrew Oliver, Wm. Skiles, Belson Kittrell.

Kittrell, Demsey, Jan'y 27, 1797; February Term 1797. Wife Martha and all my children, Aaron and Jonathan Spivey Exrs. Test, Jeremiah Leggett, Martha Bate.

Kittrell, Sarah, Feb'y Term, 1797. Brother-in-law John Kittrell, Willis and John Kittrell Exrs. of John Kittrell dec'd, John Kittrell, sister Jemima Kittrell, brother Demsey Kittrell, brother John Kittrell and his son Frederick, brother Standley Kittrell, John Kittrell and Aaron Spivey Exrs. Test, James Rose, Sela Walton.

Lawrence, Thomas, May 16, 1761. Sons Thomas, Ara, ———, and George Lawrence, daughter Elizabeth Lawrence, brother John Lawrence, wife Elizabeth and Samuel Spruell Exrs. Test, Wm. Hopkins, Edw'd Bird, Elinor Lewis.

Lawrence Humphrey, Ap'l 26; June Court, 1772. Sons Frederick, Reuben and David, Sister Elizabeth Spruell, daughter Ann Lawrence, son Nathaniel, wife Elizabeth and Humphrey Nicholls

Exrs. Test, Wm. Kington, Charles Hodgson, Elizabeth Boulton.

Lawrence Thomas, Dec. 19, 1789; Feb. Term, 1790. Sons Williamson and Thomas, wife Sarah Exx. Test, Wm. Griffin, Abner Lawrence.

Lawrence, John, May Term 1788. Sons Abner, Robert, Obadiah and John, Samuel Moore and wife Jean Exrs. Test, Elizabeth Griffin, Wm. Flood, Joshua Lawrence.

Leggett, James, Meh. 13, 1764. That part of Richard Tomlinson's estate to which my wife is entitled, I give to her except four negroes to go to two youngest children of said Tomlinson, viz: Richard and Susannah Tomlinson, grand-daughter Mary Bentley (wife of James), heirs of my son Jeremiah, grand-son James Leggett (son of James), grand-son Henry Bate, heirs of daughter Martha Canaday, daughter Ann Grice, grand-son Thomas Leggett, heirs of my daughter Mary Watson, grand-son Jeremiah Leggett, daughter Sarah Bate, daughter-in-law Elizabeth Leggett (widow of son James), wife Martha and James Bentley Exrs. Test, Elisha Whitfield, Benj. Whitfield, Annet Leggett.

Leggett, Titus, Feb'y 18, 1762. Sons John, Samuel and Hezekiah, daughters Mary and Ann, son John and wife Mary Exrs. Test, Thos. Collins, Thos. Howard.

Leggett, Elizabeth, Nov. 8, 1794; Feb. Term, 1795. Son John Leggett's heirs, son James Leggett, grand-daughter Sarah Leggett and son James' other children, sons Thomas, Jeremiah and Alexander Leggett. Test, James Etheridge, John D. Reed.

Leggett, James, Dec. 10, 1796; Feb. Term, 1797. Sons John, James and Kenneth Leggett, daughters Sarah, Elizabeth, Catherine, and Frances Leggett, brothers Jeremiah and Alex Leggett Exrs. Test, Thos. Collins, Clinton Rew, Abraham Avis.

Leggett, Thomas, Ap'l 30, 1799; May Term, 1799. Wife Margaret, sons Jonathan and Thomas, Aaron Spivey Exr. Test, David Tayloe, James Rhodes, Elizabeth Leggett.

Lacey, Daniel (schoolmaster), April 14, 1766; March Court, 1771. Brother Richard Lacey, also appoint him my Exr. Test, Josiah Harrell, Elizabeth Spivey.

Lakey, William, Sept. 10, 1767. Sons Richard, Thomas and Jacob, son James, daughter Elizabeth, child in esse, (wife Mary, brother Richard Lakey and Thos. Perry Exrs.) Test, Edward Byrd, David Gaskins, Jeremiah McGlaughon.

Lassiter, Frederick, Aug. 30, 1779; Feb'y Term 1787. Wife Sarah, eldest son Jethro, sons Frederick and William, daughters Polly and Nancy, brother Timothy Lassiter and brother-in-law Timothy Walton Exrs. Test, Rich'd Tayloe, David Tayloe, Tim'y Walton.

Leary Derby, Mch. 15, 1787; Nov. Term, 1789. Daughters Patience Morris, Rachel Todd, Sophia White, Susanna and Frances Leary, wife Mary, Lamb Hardy and John Cobb Exrs. Test, James Cobb, Elizabeth Cobb.

Layton, Samuel, Nov. 7, 1790; Feb'y Term, 1791. Mother Mary Layton, James Layton (elder son of William), brother James Layton, sisters, Ann Filgo, Esther and Martha Layton, James Turner and John Douers Exrs. Test, Thomas Sowell, Pashon Morris.

Lockhart, George, Nov. 11, 1789; Feb'y Term, 1791. Son James, daughters Susanna and Elizabeth Lockhart, son George, George Ryan, sons James and George Exrs.). Test, Daniel Worley, Rich'd Gill, Edw'd Bryan.

Lockhart, Elizabeth, Jan'y 10, 1791; Feb'y Term, 1796. Grand-daughters Elizabeth and Margaret Bryan, grand-son Lillington Lockhart, daughter Sarah Nichols, grand-daughter Sarah Nicholls, daughter Elizabeth Ryan, daughter Mary Lockhart Exx. Test, Edw'd Bryan, James Turner, Alex. Hopkins.

Lancaster, Mary, Dec. 31, 1793; May Term, 1794. Daughter Elizabeth Bryan, grand-daughters Mary, Priscilla and Margaret Bryan, grand-daughter Elizabeth Seay, children John and Stephen Andrews and Elizabeth Bryan, sons John and Stephen Andrews Exrs. Test, Henry Ellis, Wm. Adams.

Lee, Samuel, Jan'y 31, 1799; May Term 1799. Wife Mary, daughter Penelope Lee, children of brother Joshua Lee, children of sister Elizabeth Harrell, Jos. Horne Exr. Test, Hardymon Dunning, Wm. Dollinson, Elijah Howard.

Maer, Abraham, Jan'y 6, 1780; May Term, 1783. Wife Prudence, sons Samuel and William, daughters Margaret, Elizabeth, Mary and Fanny Maer, wife, Isaac Jordan and Wm. Jordan Exrs. Test, Neley Hinson, Wm. Seals, Christian Reed.

Mewborn, Moses, Oct. 30, 1766. Sons Moses and Thomas, daughters Mary and Elenor, wife Ann and brother Thomas Mewborn Exrs. Test, Elizabeth Speight, Sarah Hardy, Martha Hardy.

Mewborn, Nicholas, Sept. 27, 1772; May Court 1774. Wife Elizabeth, son Thomas, all my children, brother Thomas and Wm. Hardy Exrs. Test, Mordecay White, Elenor Hardy, John Mewborn.

Martin, Thomas, Feb'y Court, 1780. Wife Elizabeth, son James, grand-son Nicholas Baggett, Sally Baggett, Nicholas Martin, Mary Hays, Elizabeth, Catharine and James Martin, my grand-daughter Ann Martin (daughter of Ann), Elizabeth Martin, Absalom Carney and Henry Lee Exrs. Test, Cader Powell, Thomas Howell, John Douglas.

Meredith, William, Mch. 12, 1780; May Court, 1780. Sons Wil-

liam, Davis, Thomas and James, daughters Sarah and Peggy, son Benjamin, Joseph Kent to take charge of my plantation and children. Also to be my Exr. Test, Ann Humphries, Maryan Meredith, Chas. Hodgson.

Meredith, David, formerly of Edenton, N. C., May 22, 1791; Aug. Term 1791. Wife Sarah, brother Lewis Meredith, nephew Jack Hunter, half-brother Edward Roe Jiggetts, Lewis Meredith, Elisha Norfleet and wife Exrs.). Test, J. Hamilton, S. Dickinson.

Meredith, Davis, Jan. 29, 1795; Aug. Term, 1796. Wife Rachel, brother James Meredith (wife Richard Billups and Wm. West Exrs.) Test, Fred'k Lawrence, Elizabeth Lawrence, Mary Lawrence.

Mullen, Abraham, May 12, 1780; August Court, 1780. Sons Joseph, Greenbury and Thomas, (brother Thomas Mullen, wife Mary and James Turner Exrs.) Test, John Clarke, Edw'd Turner, Agnes Turner.

Moore, Benjamin, June 23, 1780; Nov. Term, 1780. Wife Elizabeth, daughters Priscilla and Sarah, Jeremiah Dargan Exr. Test, Ann Dargan, Prudence Moore, Humphrey Hardy.

Moore, Epaphroas, Mch. 20, 1789; May Term, 1789. Sons Aaron and Thomas, wife Winnie, Andrew Oliver and John Smithwick Exrs. Test, John Miller, Thomas Berse, John Smithwick.

Moore, James, June 12, 1790; Nov. Term, 1790. Son-in-law Luke Collins, grand-son James Moore Collins (son of daughter Celia), children Titus Moore, Elizabeth Joyner and Sarah Abington, three grand-children, Titus, Eady and James Young, Charity Bryant or Spivey (daughter of Mourning Bryant or Spivey), Titus Moore and Littlebury Abington Exrs. Test, Noah Thompson, Jesse Averet, George House.

Moore, Malachi, Feb'y 4, 1796; Nov. Term 1796. Wife Selia, sons Eli and Exum (Abner Perry, Sam'l Dunning, Jr., and John Askew Exrs). Test, Abram Perry, Sam'l Dunning, Jonas Rawls, Hosea Rawls, Thos. Conner.

Moore, James, Jan'y 7, 1798; Feb'y Term, 1798. My seven children not married. Langley Granbery Exr. Test, Wm. Granbery, Allen Bell.

Moody, Kirvy, July 1, 1784; Nov. Term, 1784. Son James, daughter Rebecca, son Phillip, son James and John Jones Exrs. Test, Jesse Jones, Rebecca Moody.

Manning, Benjamin, Nov. 30, 1784. Son Hilery, daughters Priscilla Bentley and Mary Ares, sons Benjamin, Luke and John, children Chloe, Elizabeth, Elijah, and Nancy Manning (wife Ferabee, John Bentley and son Benjamin, Exrs.) Test, John Hyman, Wm. Duggan, Benj. Hardison.

Mizels, William, Mch. 21, 1793; Aug. Term 1793. Children Sarah, Aaron, William, Nancy, Jeremiah, Clary, Susannah and Mary Mizel, wife Mary and brother John Exrs. Test, Aaron Mizel, Mary Hendry, Sarah Hallom.

Mizell, Timothy, Feb'y 17, 1792; Feb'y Term 1792. Son Jonas, daughter Judeth Hughes, grand-daughter Judeth Mizell, son John, daughter Mary Brown, daughters Absela, Elizabeth and Alse Mizell, wife Judeth, son Jonas and John Exrs. Test, Reuben Harrison, Ezekiel White.

Mitchell, John, Sr., Nov. 3, 1795; Feb'y Term 1796. William Barrudail Wood, daughters Judah Thomas, Sarah Hopkins, Elizabeth Tart, Susanna Hollomon, Penelope Hoggard, Annie Harrison and Mary Mizell, grand-son Alsey Cowand, George Cowand and his wife Winnieford (my daughter), Phoebe Cowand, daughter Phebe Barrudail Ward, son Matthew Mitchell, wife Sarah and Wm. B. Wood Exrs. Test, Jas. Tart, Wm. Wood.

Mitchell, William, Jan'y 2, 1796; Feb'y Term 1796. Wife Elizabeth, son Cader, Silva Scott, grand-sons Wright, William and James Mitchell, grand-son Uriah Dunning, children Ede Cook, Judah Hardy, Winnie Jenkins, Mary Hale, Mille and Happy Oliver, Thein and Henry Dunner their mother's part, son Cader and James Jenkins, Jr., Exr. Test, Wm. Cherry, John Oliver.

Milburn, Samuel, Feb'y 4, 1796; Augt. Term 1796. Wife Anna, son Henry Clay Milburn, sons Alexander and Arnold C. Milburn, daughter Elizabeth Blount, Henry C. Milburn and Henry Flury Exrs. Test, Wm. Benson, James Clifton.

Milburn, Henry Clay, March 8, 1797; May Term 1797. Mother Ann, brothers Arnold Clay Milburn and Alexander Milburn, sister Elizabeth Blount, wife Martha, (John Huston, William Burlingham and John Smithwick Exrs.) Test, Joseph Fletcher, Elijah Parker.

Nicholls, John, April 1, 1762. Wife Sarah, daughters Sarah and Margaret Nicholls, wife and brother-in-law Lillington Lockhart, James Lockhart and David Ryan Exrs. Test, John Hill, Robert Webb.

Nicholls, Humphrey, Nov. 27, 1790; Feb'y Term, 1791. Sons John, Henry, George Osborn and Benaja, daughter Fanny (wife Sarah, sons John and Henry Exrs. Test, John Cook, Elizabeth Williams.

Nicholls, John, Dec. 6, 1790; Feb'y Term 1791. Sons Jehu, George and Thomas, my single daughters Isabella, Grizzell, Ann and Peggy, son Jehu and Wm. Parrott Hardy Exrs. Test, Reuben Knight, John Cook, Winnefred White.

Nichols, Sarah, Oct. 29, 1792; Feb'y Term 1793. Mother Sarah Nichols, brother Lockhart Williams, sister Elizabeth Williams,

brother Benajah and sister Fanny Nicholls, mother Exx. Test, John Nicholls, Fred'k Lawrence, Rachel Shehan.

Nicholls, Sarah, Aug. 29, 1796; May Term 1797. Sons Lockhart and Benajah Williams, daughters Fanny and Elizabeth Nicholls, sons Lockhart and Wm. P. Hardy Exrs. Test, George Nicholls, Cloanah Johnson.

North, Joseph, Dec. 12, 1797; Feb'y Term 1798. Son Richard, daughter Ann, Elizabeth Rascoc, John Bentley, Sr., and son Richard Exrs. Test, Jeremiah Leggett.

Outlaw, Thomas, Oct. 10, 1782; Nov. Term 1782. Sons Thomas and Amos, grand-daughter Penny Goodwin, Esq. Wynne and Abram Tayloe Exrs., all my children. Test, Willis Goodwin, Christopher Holloman, John Ezell.

Outlaw, John, Oct. 1, 1779; May Term 1780. Seven eldest children, Josiah, John, Mary Hughs, Susanna King, Sarah Smith and Zilpha Draughan, Ann Jernagan and my son Thomas Outlaw, sons Jacob and James, daughter Winford Outlaw, brother Edw'd Outlaw and Thomas Ward Exrs. Test, Aaron Outlaw, Mary Outlaw, Edward Outlaw, Jacob Outlaw.

Outlaw, Ralph, Jan'y 23, 1787; Nov. Term 1790. Eldest son David, sons Edward and George, my wife's former husband (not named) daughter Elizabeth Mires, Mary Ray, Priscilla Watford, grand-son Wright Frazier, grand-daughter Mary Watford, daughter Charity Alexander, grand-daughters Elizabeth and Mary Alexander, grand-son Ralph Outlaw (son of David), grand-son Jno. Ray, grand-daughter Charity Frazier, grand-daughter Anna Outlaw (daughter of Edward), grand-son Ralph Miers (wife Mary, sons David and George and brother George Outlaw, Exrs). Test, David Standley, Hardy Lewis, Andrew South.

Outlaw, Agens, May Term 1795. Sons George and Morgan, Margaret Liscomb. Test, John Wolfenden.

Oliver, Thomas, Jan'y 15, 1765. Brothers David and John Oliver, sister Elizabeth Haureh, John Oliver and John Kittrell Exrs. Test, John Cleland, Thos. Virnell.

Oliver, John, Dec. 30, 1772; May Court 1774. Daughter Elizabeth Handbeck, son Andrew, daughter Sarah Hurst and her son John Hurst, son Andrew Exr. Test, Joseph Jordan, Thos. Roads, Thos. Edwards.

Oliver, Andrew, April 29, 1793; May Term 1793. Wife Mary Anne, children Sarah Moore, John, Andrew, James and David Oliver, Thos. Collins Exr. Test, Wm. Rhodes, Thos. Hunter.

Oliver, John, Jan'y 3, 1794; Feb'y Term, 1797. Sons Martin, Malachi and Shadrack, daughters Winnefred and Dicey, son John

(wife Mary, William Cherry, sons John and Malachi Exrs. Test, John Baker, Sam'l Reasons.

Oxley, John, Sr., Feb'y 24, 1767. Sons George and John, wife Olive, son-in-law Isaiah Johnson and wife Mary, their sons Elijah and Isaiah Johnson, daughter Olive Oxley, son-in-law John Parrote and wife Elizabeth, son-in-law John Ray and wife Elizabeth, daughter Martha Oxley, son-in-law Wm. Fleetwood and James Baker, grand-daughter Susanna Fleetwood, (Jos. Parker, Sr., son George, Isaiah Johnson and John Crickett Exrs.) Test, Jas. Lufson, Wm. Grant, Sarah Langston.

Odeon, Robert, Feb'y 24, 1777; May Court 1778. Relative Jonathan Jacocks, Jr., son of my cousin Jonathan Jacocks, Sr., also appoint Jonathan Jacocks, Sr., Exr. Test, Thomas Bryan, Martha Bryan.

Owen, John, Dec. 6, 1778; May Court 1779. Wife Elizabeth, children Agatha, William, John and Elizabeth Owen, wife Exx. Test, David Standley, John Sullivant, Wm. Watson.

Persey, William, Jan'y 2, 1782; May Court 1782. Wife Elizabeth, children William, Kader, Zadoc, Nancy and Blake Persey, wife Exx. Test, Jas. Wilson, John Persey.

Price, Micajah, Meh. 12, 1777; August Term 1783. Cousin Elizabeth Urquhart, Alexander Urquhart and wife Sarah Exrs. Test, S. Turner, John Allen, B. Bryer.

Parker, Thomas, Dec. 27, 1761. Sons Abraham, Peter, Jacob and Isaac, daughter Elizabeth, wife Hannah, daughter Mary (John Freeman, Jacob Lassiter and John Measells Exrs. Test, Simon Van Pelt, James Freeman.

Pennington, Thomas, Ap'l 20, 1762 (of Halifax Co.) daughter Brass Cittel, children Tishe, Judeth, Thomas and David, wife Martha daughters Tempe and Tishe, David Pennington and Francis Pugh Executors. Test, John New, Adam Raby.

Perry Samuel, Nov. 26, 1773; May Court 1774. Wife Prudence, daughter Peggy, wife and Humphrey Hardy Exrs. Test, Peter Clifton, Jno. Nicholls, Jno. Johnston.

Pritchard, William, Dec. 10, 1774; Feb'y Court 1775. Wife Christian, children Jonathan, Christopher, Mary, Ruth and Kesiah, wife and brother James Pritchard Exrs. Test, Sarah Thomas, Elijah Morris.

Pritchard, James, Aug. 5, 1785; May Term 1785. Wife Dorcas, sons James and Reuben, children Rigon, Penny, David, Lamb and Stephen Pritchard, wife and brother Herbert Pritchard Exrs. Test, Wm. Standley. Herbert Pritchard, Christian Pritchard.

Pritchard, Herbert, Feb'y 20, 1797; May Term 1797. Children Absolom, Elizabeth, Zadock, Hugh and Martha, daughter Sarah Las-

siter, Wm. White, James Mardre, and daughter Elizabeth Exrs. Test, Obediah Sowell, Ezekiel Sowell, Christian Holland.

Pearce, William, Oct. 22, 1774; Feb'y Court 1775. Wife Rebecca, sons Jeremiah, Thomas and William, daughters Constant and Winnefred Butler, Rebecca Johnston and Sarah Daffin, John Watson, Sr., and John Watson, Jr., Exrs. Test, James Leggett, Wm. Watson, Sarah Leggett.

Pierce, John, April 27, 1797; May Term 1799. Sister Charity Mitchell (wife of William), sister Elizabeth Clements (widow of George), wife Mary, wife's daughter Jennett Phillis, brother-in-law John Lester and George West and wife Exrs. Test, Wm. P. Hardy, Jesse Mhoon.

Pearson, John, of Dukinfield, N. C., Attorney at Law, Sept. 17, 1769, Feb'y Court 1777. Wife Margaret Pearson, also my Exx. Test, Jasper Charlton, Abigail Charlton, Miles Shehan.

Pearson, Margaret (widow of John), Dec. 21, 1784; Feb'y Term 1785. My plantation called Dukinfield to Cullen Pollock and Samuel Johnston, in trust, and all property to be sold and pay proceeds to my son Sir Nathaniel Dukinfield, grand-son Samuel, George Dukinfield legacy left me by my son Robert Dukinfield, Mrs. Iredell (wife of James) my watch, which I have usually worn, as a token of my regard for her, Cullen Pollock and Sam'l Johnston Exrs. Test, Christopher Clark, Mary Vail.

Purvis, James, Jan'y 28, 1785; November Term 1785. Wife Jean, sons Cullen, Allen and William, brother Moses Purvis and son Allen Exrs. Test, Arthur, Joel and Isom Harrell.

Page, Thomas, Augt. 26, 1785; Feb. Term 1786. Sons Thomas and Solomon, wife Sarah, son Joshua, daughter Catharine, Samuel Page's plantation, daughters Ann and Mary Page, sons Solomon and Joshua Exrs. Test, Geo. Williams, Tobias Butler, John Dodrill.

Powers, Charles, May 3, 1789; August Term 1789. Sons Charles, Thomas and Henry, daughters Margaret, Dorothy and Sarah Powers, wife Susannah and Wm. Rhodes Exrs. Test, Wm. Rhodes, Isaac Lee, Charles Power.

Penney, James, Feb'y Term 1792. Wife Elizabeth, children Lydia Mizell, Elizabeth James and Nancy Penny, son Thomas, John Cake and John Mizell Exrs. Test, James Hughes, George Hughes.

Penney, Thomas, Apl. 10, 1795; Augt. Term 1795. Ann Mizell (daughter of John), land purchased by my father of Edward Acree, Malachi Curry, John Wolfenden and John Mizell Exrs. Test, Robert Hunter, Jas. H. Curry, Wm. Coward.

Pruden, Patience, Nov. 5, 1797; Nov. Term 1797. Son Elisha Pruden, son John Pruden, daughters Mary Pruden and Prudence Cory, sons Stephen and Solomon Pruden, son William Pruden, sons



Solomon and Elisha Exrs. Test, Miles Blanchard, Benj. Cory, Mary Nowell.

Ruffin, William, March 1, 1779; Nov. Term 1781. Sons William and Richard, daughter Faith Pender and her children, daughter Purity Deloach, son William and John Lawrence Exrs. Test, Willis Josey, Moses Horne, Thos. Horne.

Rutledge, John, May 20, 1762. Sons Blake, John, Watson and Reading, daughters Milbry and Charity, son Riddick, daughter Renney, my wife, James and William Rutland Exrs. Test, Edward Callum, Jos. Rutland, Wm. Rutland.

Rice, William, March 29, 1762. Sons William and James, daughters Mary and Sarah Rice, wife Sarah Exx. Test, John Crickett, Thos. Slatter, John Sawkill.

Raby, Adam, Oct. 5, 1765. Wife Judah, sons Adam and Luke, all my children, wife and son Adam Exrs. Test, Wm. Andrews, Hardy Hays, Wm. Hollowell.

Raby, Luke, Oct. 13, 1789; Nov. Term 1789. Wife Hester and her children Turner, Jesse and Tempe Harrell, my child in esse, wife, William Horn and George Williams Exrs. Test, Perry Tyler, Mary Holland, Elizabeth Doddrell.

Reasons, Thomas, March 12, 1769. Wife Ann, sisters Ann Renney and Sarah Folk. Thos. Hooks and Wm. Hurst Exrs. Test, John Clelland, Wm. Appuson.

Ray, Alexander, Nov. 4, 1769. Sons James, John, Samuel and Stephen, daughters Mary Hyman and Ann Dew, son William, daughter Eliabeth Ray, son Samuel and Solomon Pender Exrs. Test, Wm. Swain, James Swinhaw Grover.

Rhodes, John, Dec. 26, 1769; Sept. Court 1771. Son Thomas, daughter Judah, sons Henry, William, Charles and John Rhodes, daughter Elizabeth, son Arthur, wife Elizabeth, sons Thomas and Henry Exrs. Test, Abner Andrews, Henry Abbott, Moses Harrell.

Rhodes, Henry, Jan'y 4, 1793; Nov. Term 1793. Wife Alice, daughters Charity Lowry, Mary Wimberly, Alice Wimberly and Elizabeth King, grand-daughter Alice (daughter of Joshua) daughter-in-law Mary Rhodes, son Henry's daughter Mary and Clarv Rhodes, Sons-in-law Fred'k Wimberly and Charles King Exrs. Test, Sol. Cherry, Mary Cherry.

Rhodes, John, Sr., Sept. 28, 1791.; Nov. Term 1795. Sons James and John, daughter Alice Perry, sons James and John Exrs. Test, Wm. Cherry, John King, Henry Rhodes.

Rhodes, Thomas, Sept. 1, 1795; Feb'y Term 1796. Deceased son Elisha Rhodes children Thomas, Jonathan and Margaret Rhodes, son William and his son Elisha, daughter-in-law Elizabeth Rhodes (wife of son William), and her two children, son James, daughter

Elizabeth Tayloe and Margaret Leggett, son James and son-in-law Thomas Leggett Exrs. Test, Aaron Spivey, James Rhodes.

Rawls, William, April 14, 1772; Sept. Court 1772. Sons Levi, Josiah and Jonah, son Joab, daughter Drusilla, son Hosea, wife Rebecca and brother Phillip Rawls Exrs. Test, Sam'l Dunning, John Cook.

Rawls, Phillip, June 7, 1792; Nov. Term 1794. Henry Rawls and his son Jones Rawls, Philip and Alee Rawls, sister Charity Rawls, Henry and Philip Rawls Exrs. Test, Job Umphleet, Wm. Morris, Josiah Rawls.

Razor, Edward, August. 4, 1774; February Court 1776. Two youngest children Charlotte and Josiah, children Mary, Elizabeth, Frances, Susanna, Martha, Sophia, Charlotte and Josiah, wife Elizabeth, William Hardy (son of Lamb), Humphrey Hardy and Thomas Mason Shehan Exrs. Test, Edward Hardy, Jr., Jesse Hardy, Lamb Hardy.

Rogers, Mary, Aug. 3, 1776; Feb'y Term 1777. Son Thomas, daughters Mary Seals and Frances Aires, son Minnie Rogers, William Seals Exrs. Test, Abraham Maer, Wm. Jordan, Thos. Johnston.

Ryan, James, March 3, 1777; May Court 1777. Son Thomas, wife and all my children, brother Geo. Ryan and Edw'd Bryan Exrs. Test, James Matthews, Wm. Jordan, Wm. Hodder.

Rayner, Richard, Augt. 28, 1783; May Term 1785. Daughters Winnifred Evans, Sarah Rogers, Mary Sowell, Melian Nowell, Ann Rayner and Chloe Rayner, Sons Zadock, Shadrach, Aaron, and Malachi, son-in-law Thomas Henry, my children by my last wife Elizabeth Raynor daughters Penny and Betsey, Solomon Freeman, Walter McFarlane, and son Francis Evans Exrs. Test, John Jordan, Aaron Freeman, Jas. Campbell.

Raynor, John, Nov. 30, 1796; August Term 1796. Son William, daughter Winnefred's daughter, sons Samuel and Amos Rayner, daughter Elizabeth McFarlane, son James (in hand of Joshua Rayner) and Joshua, their mother Judah Rayner, daughter Sarah Rayner, Lewis Outlaw and son Joshua Exrs. Test, James Holley, Moore Holley.

Rascoe, Arthur, March 6, 1796; May Term 1796. Son Daniel Rascoe's daughters Sarah and Margaret, Mildred and Frances Rascoe, Thomas Rascoe and James Rascoe and wife Elizabeth Exrs. Test, John Bentley, Wm. Smithwick, Richard North.

Skinner, John, Dec. 12, 1780; Feb'y Term 1781. Wife Mary, son John Harrell Skinner, daughters Mary and Ferebee Skinner, son, Wilson, children Anapple, ———, Benjamin, Lucy, John W.

and Mary Skinner, Amos Harrell and Wm. Andrews, Jr., Exrs. Test, Wm. Andrews, Amos Harrell, Lemuel Harrell.

Simons, John, May 27, 1780; August Term 1781. Son Malachi, daughter Sally, wife and brother-in-law James Langston Exrs. Test, Wm. Gray, Tamer Sowell.

Swain, Richard, (Martin Co.), Jan'y 7, 1782; February Term 1782. Wife Annarita, son John Munk, daughters Sarah, Ann and Hannah, child in esse, if a boy to be named Richard Preson, if a girl to be named Clarissa, Job Swain, Andrew Oliver and John Smith, Exrs. Test, Thos. Brown, Jacob Tice.

Swain, Wiliam, May 25, 1778; Feb'y Court 1779. Wife Tabitha, sons John, Richard, James and Letchworth, daughters Anna and Susanna Swain, sons John and Letchworth Swain Exrs. Test, Christian Reed, Henry Speller, Charlton Clements.

Swain, John, Nov. 26, 1784; Feb'y Term 1785. Sons William and Whitmell, my mother, daughter Hannah Swain, Mrs. Mary Ward, Sr., wife Elizabeth, Richard Swain and James Ward Exrs. Test, Letchworth Swain, Richard Swain.

Swain, Letchworth, Feb'y 9, 1790; Nov. Term 1792. Winnefred Daffin, son Roden, my sons and daughter Ann, Henry Speller and Richard Swain Exrs. Test, George Clements, James Swain, James Price.

Swain, Elizabeth, Feb'y Term 1794. Son Wiliam, daughter Hannah, son Whitmell, James Ward and Silas Belote Exrs. Test, Richard Swain.

Smith, John, Sr., March 10, 1783; May Term 1783. Wife Anne, sons John and Josiah, daughter Sarah West, sons Harvey and Malachi land in Martin Co., daughter Mary Smith, sons Josiah and John Exrs. Test, Andrew Oliver, Thos. Rhodes, Geo. Clements.

Smith, Peter, Sept. 29, 1784; Feb'y Term 1791. Sons John and Arthur, daughters Ann Vann and Mary Vann, daughter Celia Smith, son George, daughter Elizabeth Herring, son Turner Smith, wife Rachel and son Arthur Exrs. Test, David Coffield, Drury Vann, Jas. Purvis.

Smithwick, John, June 13, 1761. Son William, daughter Martha Smithwick, sons Luke and Joel, grand-son John Sutton, daughters Sarah, Mary and Cloanah, wife Sarah, (son William, Edward Edmonson Smithwick, Isaac Gardner and John Ward Exrs.). Test, John Howard, Kitrain Howard, Cloanah Duggan.

Smithwick, John, June 18, 1764; Nov. Term 1797. (Same as above.)

Savage, Thomas, Feb'y 23, 1762. Wife, daughters Mary and Rachel Savage, son Thomas, wife's mother, Wm. Jordan and Dority Savage Exrs. Test, Ann Cook, James Warborton.

Stallings, Elias, March 7, 1763. Sons Jacob, Elias and Moses, grand-son John McGlauchon, sons Jesse and Josiah, Mary and Newls Rasberry, daughters Margaret Jenkins and Susannah Bude, son Josiah Exr. Test, Abraham Blichenden, James Long, Jonas Martin.

Stallings, Josiah, May 10, 1772; June Court 1772. Wife Mary, son John, daughter Betsey, Moses Sumner, James Yearly, and wife Exrs. Test, Martha Standley, Wm. Outlaw, Jr., Sam'l Cutla.

Spivey, John Francis, March 2, 1763. Brother Frederick Holmes and Sister Ann Holmes, Adam Raby and Michael Thomas Exrs. Test, Wm. Andrews, Jesse Harrell, Arthur Brown.

Spivey, Moses, July 27, 1771; Sept. Court 1771. Sons Aaron, Moses and Jonathan, daughters Sarah, Mary and Martha Spivey, wife Jemima, Thos. Hare and John Kittrell Exrs. Test, John Kittrell, Thos. Hare, Jas. Swinhow Grover.

Spivey, George, June 23, 1778; Nov. Court 1778. Wife Esther, sons Jonathan, George, David, William and James Spivey, Watkin William Wynns and wife Exrs. Test, Josiah Warren, Margaret Hubbard, Herbert Pritchard.

\*Scolley, Elizabeth, Dec. 1, 1766. My late husband Samuel Scolley, Sons Cullen and Thomas Pollock, children of Tulle Williams and Richard Sanderson, Mrs. Fanny Lenox (wife of Dr. Robert Lenox (wife of Dr. Robert Lenox), John Scolley, of Boston, Mass., Peggy and Fanny Cathcart (daughters of Dr. Wm. Cathcart), Sarah and Thos. Blount (children of Joseph Blount), Sophia Rasor (daughter of Edward), Mrs. Sarah Vaughan, my former husband Thomas Pollock, (Son Thomas Pollock, Dr. Robt. Lenox, Richard Sanderson and Joseph Blount Exrs. Test, Hardy Hardison, Fred'k Hardison.

Slatte, Owen, April 23, 1767. Son Alexander, sister Mary Slatte, wife Mary, Edward Byrd, John Burn and Humphrey Lawrence Exrs. Test, Ed. Rasor, Edward Barnacastle, Thos. Murray.

Sutton, Jasper, April 8, 1772; June Court 1772. Wm. Jordan, Jr., my sister Elizabeth, wife of said William, also appoint Wm. Jordan, Jr., my Exr. Test, Josiah Williams, Bird Hubbard, Ephraim Cowand.

Sutton, Thomas, March 3, 1778; Augt. Court 1779. Son Thos., daughter Mary, sister Mary Hardy's children, brother-in-law William Jordan and Wm. Hardy Exrs. Test, Chas. Hodgson, Samuel Moore, Mary Sutton.

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\* Elizabeth Sanderson, daughter of Richard Sanderson of Perquimans county, married first, in 1725, John Crisp (son of Nicholas Crisp of Edenton, N. C.); issue Richard Crisp, died young. She married, second, Thomas Pollock, (son of Gov. Thomas Pollock, and wife, Mrs. Martha West *nee* Cullen,) issue Thomas; George died young, and Cullen Pollock. She married, third, Samuel Scolley; no issue by the last marriage. Tulle Williams (mentioned in the will,) married Grace Sanderson, sister of Mrs. Scolley, his first wife.

Shehan, Miles Mason, March 31, 1774; May Court 1774. Sons Thomas and Miles, son Thomas Exr. Test, W. Nicholls, Winnefred Carter.

Shehan, Miles, Nov. 11, 1778; February Court 1779. Wife Mary, sons Miles and Thomas, daughter Rachel, wife, brother Thomas Shehan and Elisha Ashburn Exrs. Test, Thos. Shehan, Mary Hooten.

Shehan, Thomas, Dec. 12, 1793; May Term 1794. Son Edward M. Shehan, daughters Elizabeth M. Ferguson and Martha Watson, Luke Collins, Wm. Ashburn and Edward Collins Watson Exrs. Test, H. Hardy, Jona Jacocks.

Standley, Ann, June 17, 1775; August Court 1775. Sister Elizabeth Jernigan, Martin Gardner, John and James Gardner, my brothers and sisters, Annie Sparkman and Jane Pervis. Test, James Gardner, Samuel Gardner, Benj. Carter.

Standley, David, Jan'y 17, 1795; Feb'y Term 1795. Son Jonathan, wife Sarah, daughter Elizabeth and her children by her husband Francis Pugh, sons William, John, and Thomas, son Jonathan and nephew James Rhodes Exrs. Test, Wm. Rhodes, Penelope Standley, Amelia Ann Nowell.

Sholar, William, Feb'y 24, 1773; May Court 1776. Wife Elizabeth, sons Jacob, James, Benjamin and Isaac, daughters Sarah, Rachel and Anna, sons Thomas and Benjamin Exrs. Test, Joseph Holland, Wm. Holland, Robt. Carter.

Sholar, John, Augt. 12, 1791; May Term 1792. Daughters Myrtle Wimberly, Sarah Lee (wife of Henry), Judeth Toole and Mary Wimberly, grand-sons Bryan, David and Edward Sholar, (sons of David, dec'd), grand-son Lemuel Lee, grand-daughters Elizabeth and Rachel Sholar (daughters of David, dec'd), Henry Lee and Benjamin Sholar Exrs., John Sholar Lee, Wm. Cherry and Cader Powell assistants. Test, Joshua Lee, David Harrell, Reuben Stallens.

Sholder, Sarah, Jan'y 26, 1795; Feb'y Term 1795. Son Levi Sholder, daughter Winnefred Dunning Hardymon Dunning and Joel Cook Exrs. Test, John Sholder, H. Clay Milburn, Winnefred Dunning.

Sawkill, John, Jan'y 14, 1777; Feb'y Court 1777. Thomas Perry, Mrs. Elizabeth Ashburn (wife of Thomas), James Asbell, Thos. Perry and Zedekiah Stone Exrs. Test, John Miller, Margaret Burn.

Sparkman, William, Oct. 6, 1782; May Term 1785. Wife Mary, youngest son William, eldest son Edward, grand-son Thomas Sparkman, eldest daughter Rachel Stone, daughter Elizabeth Hyman, daughter-in-law Rebecca Sparkman (wife of Jes. Sparkman) grand-son Wm. Sparkman (son of Jesse), grand-daughter Sarah Ward, grand-daughters Winnefred and Elizabeth Sparkman (daughters of Jesse).

grand-son Wm. Hyman, grand-daughters Sarah Hyman and Elizabeth Hyman, grand-son Hugh Hyman, grand-son Thos. Sparkman, Thomas Ward, Hugh Hyman, and James Wilson Exrs. Test, Thos. Ward, Hardy Hunter, Wm. Bird, Rich'd Bird, Herbert Pritchard.

Seals, William, May 10, 1784; Nov. Term 1786. Daughters Prudence Holley, Mildred Johnston, Mary Booth and Penelope Seals, son Thomas, daughter Frances Seals, wife Mary and Lamuel Hyman Exrs. Test, Wm. Pender, Wm. Hodder, Weain Heleay.

Spruell, Elizabeth, April 7, 1787; Feb'y Term 1788. Frederick, William and Robert Lawrence (sons of Robert), brother Robert Lawrence and Sarah Harden, Sam'l Spruell, Elizabeth Lawrence (daughter of John, his father Robert Lawrence), Sarah Morris, Ann Culifer, Joanna Weston, Elizabeth Lawrence (daughter of John, Sr.), William, Thomas, George and Nancy Lawrence (their father John, Sr.), William Cobb, Martha Bonacastle, Mary Williams, Reuben and Asa Lawrence, sister Martha Parker, brothers Robert and John Lawrence, Cousin Thomas and Frederick Lawrence Exrs. Test, Asa Lawrence, Constan Redditt, Geo. Nicholls.

Sowell, Francis, Oct. 11, 1795; Feb'y Term 1796. Wife Tamer, sons John and William, sons Josiah, James and Worly, wife and Jesse Bazemore Exrs. Test, Moses Gilliam, Rachel Butler.

Speight, Thomas, May 27, 1789; Feb'y Term 1796. Wife Elizabeth, sons William Hardy Speight and James Speight, daughters Winnefred, Sarah, Elizabeth, Lydia and Frances, John Johnston and William Parrott Hardy Exrs. Test, Moses Williams, Elizabeth Crickett, Mary Crickett.

Slade, John, Jan'y 3, 1796; Feb'y Term 1797. Wife Sarah, child in essee, (wife, George Gray and John Lenox Exrs. Test, Thos. Ed. Hare, John Bryan, Thos. Calloway, Jr.

Stone, Zedekiah, Nov. 8, 1796; Feb'y Term 1797. Son David, daughter Elizabeth Charlton and her children lots lately occupied by Mr. Jasper Charlton, son David and Abner Eason Exrs. Test, Edward Byrd, Jr., John Mhoon.

Toole, Jonathan, Aug. 6, 1781; August Term 1783. Wife Mary, son Frederick, daughters Elizabeth Ann and Ferebee Toole, James Gardner and Absalom Craney Exrs. Test, Henry Averet, Arthur Smith.

Toole, Edward, Feb. 15, 1772. Wife Mary, sons Jaraldus, Jonathan and David, all my children, son Jaraldus and Josiah Harrell Exrs. Test, Jesse, John and Solomon Harrell.

Thomas, Michael, Dec. 19, 1766. Thos. Pugh, Hardy Hayse and Anne Thomas Exrs., son Joseph, daughter Judy, wife, sister Elizabeth Thomas, brothers Lewis and William Thomas. Test, Robt. Cake, Geo. Winslow, Adam Raby.

Thomas, James, Oct. 22, 1780; Nov. Term 1780. Wife Sarah,

sons Ezekiel, Luke and James, daughters Selah Dement (wife of Charles), Lundill, Sarah and Lydia, David Outlaw and son Ezekiel Exrs. Test, Abner Eason, John Eason, Mary Pritchard.

Thompson, Sarah, Aug. 1, 1761. My children Henry Averet, Sr., Exr., sons Lewis and John Thompson. Test, Jos. Bradley, Wm. Harrell.

Thompson, Hezekiah, Jan'y 5, 1771. Wife Mary, sons Hezekiah and Lewis, child in esse, sons Noah, Reuben, Arthur and William Thompson, son Noah, Josiah Blanchard and Noah Hinton Exrs. Test, Jonathan Carr, Ann Kittrell, Thos Whitmell, Jr.

Thompson, Reuben, March 20, 1780; May Court 1780. Brothers Noah, Arthur, William, Hezekiah, Lewis and Thomas Thompson, brothers Noah and Arthur Exrs. Test, F. Pugh, Micajah Hinton, Noah Hinton.

Thomsen, John, Jan. 20, 1798; May Term 1798. Daughter Elizabeth, and her daughter Polly, son William Exr. Test, Sol. Cherry, Ezekiel Thomas.

Thompson, William, July 3, 1792; May Term 1792. Brothers Noah, Arthur, Lewis and Thomas Thompson, William and Reuben Thompson (sons of Noah), brothers Noah Thompson and Lewis Thompson Exrs. Test, Noah Hinton, Jesse Averit, Titus Moore.

Thompson, Noah, Feb'y 11, 1799; May Term 1799. Wife Catharine, daughter Charity, sons Reuben and William, daughter Sarah Thompson, son William and John Taylor Exr. Test, Lewis Bird, Wm. Perkins, Sam'l Sherlock.

Todd, William, Aug. 31, 1769. Grand-child Morris Morat (son of daughter Mary Morat), daughter Christian Hollum, sons Thomas, John, Samuel, Moses and William, wife Catharine and son William Exrs. Test, Wm. Hardy (of Lamb), Jos. Murray, Charity Murray.

Turner, William, Sr., May 30, 1770. Sons Simon and William, grand-daughter Elizabeth Turner (daughter of son Etheldred) son James, daughters Jennet House, Elizabeth Brown and Sarah Smith, (Thomas House, son William and James Turner Exrs.). Test, Robert Cake, Wm. Harrell, Wm. Bryan.

Turner, Thomas, Nov. 8, 1775; May Court 1776. Sons David, Thomas, Benajah, Amos and Abisha, daughters Hannah and Mary, sons David, Thomas and Benajah Exrs. Test, Wm. Gray, Stevens Gray, Mary Billups.

Turner, Benajah, May 1, 1776; Feb'y Court 1777. Brother David Turner, sisters Hannah Clarke and Mary Thompson, brothers Thos. and Amos Turner brothers David and Thomas Exrs. Test, John Johnston, C. W. Jacobs, Thos. Pugh.

Turner, Edward, Aug. 7, 1789. Daughters Tamer Turner, Sarah Tadlock, Martha Kimsey, Winnefred Walton, Mary Turner and

Rhoda Turner. Wife Elizabeth and son James Exrs. Test, Wm. Gray, Janet Gray.

Turner, Mathew, June 1, 1794; Nov. Term 1794. Daughters Elizabeth Turner, Patience Carr, Martha Ford, Mary Gardner, Ann Hinton and Janet Thompson, sons Joseph and John, grand-son Balus House and Thos. Bond Exrs. Test, Wm. Bryan, Mary Gardner, William Ware.

Todd, William, being in the service of the United States and now going to join his Regiment in Philadelphia, doth declare this his last Will and Testament. June 28, 1778; May Term 1795. Brothers Moses and John Todd, my mother, James Campbell to have all my hogs, brother Moses Exr. Test, Richard Dawson, Jona Jacocks.

Tayloe, Richard, June 16, 1795; Nov. Term 1795. Son Abraham, daughter Olive (wife of James Pruden), sons James and David, daughter Truse (wife of Thomas Boswell), daughter Rachel (wife of James Rice), grand-son William Phillips, son David and Watkins Wm. Wynns Exrs. Test, Richard Tayloe, David Pruden, Wm. Tayloe.

Usher, Dr. William, Dec. 12, 1780. John Johnston to settle all my affairs. Nuncupative Will in the presence of Macon Whitfield. Sworn to before Wm. Benson, Zed Stone.

Van Laven, Henry, June 25, 1764. Sons John and William, wife Elizabeth. Test, Thomas Whitmell, Michael King, Thomas Cooper.

Vann, Edward, April 4, 1770. Son William, wife Mary, daughters Mary Vann, son King, daughters Elizabeth and Sarah Vann son Cader. Test, Michael King, Wm. King, Chas. King.

Vir——, Alex Louis, Dec. 3, 1792; Feb'y Term 1793. John and George Wolfenden, Ann Clifton, Dr. Darlet, Wm. Low of Clarenton, Jamaica, Mrs. Ann Clifton and Thomas Clark Exrs. Test, James Clifton, John Wolfenden, John Lennox.

Williamson, Hannah, Oct. 12, 1780; May Term 1781. Sons Absalem and William, grand-daughters Parmela Tyus, Cherry Tyus and their brothers and sisters, daughter Elizabeth Tyus, Joseph Williamson Tyus, Pink Branch Tyus, daughter Mary Jordan, grand-daughter Hannah Turner, daughter Ann Turner's children, Burwell and William Williamson Exrs. Test, John Blanton, Jeremiah Pearce, Jonathan Rhodes.

Williams, Richard, July 17, 1780; Nov. Term 1782. Nephew Drury Williams, (eldest son of brother Reuben Williams), Reuben, George and Benjamin Williams Exrs. Test, James Swinshor, M. Duke Norfleet, Josiah Moore.

Williams, Richard, Sept. 28, 1761; April Court 1762. Sons Richard, Benjamin, George, Reuben and Simon, daughter Christian



Bazell, wife Mary, daughters Martha, Elizabeth and Mary Williams, William Andrews and Arthur Brown Exrs. Test, Henry Abbot, Arthur Bell, Samuel Holland.

Williams, Arthur, May Court 1775. Elizabeth Butler now living with me, son Isaac, daughter Sarah, (wife of Josiah Redditt), son Elisha, daughter Ann (wife of Joseph Simons), daughter Cathron, sons Joab and Arthur, William Hardy (son of Lamb), Josiah Redditt, Elisha Williams and Joseph Simons Exrs.

Williams, Joab, April 18th, 1791; May Term 1791. Sons Samuel, Francis and Arthur, daughter Elizabeth, my mother, Luke Collins and Thomas Calloway Exrs. Test, Josiah Redditt, Joseph Simons.

William, Josiah, June 30, 1779; Feb'y Court 1780. Wife Sarah Exx. together with Whitmell Hill and Henry Hill Exrs. Test, Martha Blount, John Oxley, Humphrey Hardy.

Williams, John, March 19, 1795; May Term 1795. Wife Anne, son Etheldred, daughters Mary and Rachel Williams, son Etheldred, wife and Joseph Green Exrs. Test, Jas. Wilson, George Williams, Herbert Pritchard, Maria Ralls.

Williams, Ezekiel, April 28, 1797; May Term 1797. Wife Sarah, children George, Rachel and James Williams, sons George and James Exrs. Test, Charles W. Jacocks.

Watson, David, Probated Nov. Term 1782. Wife Jean, all my children, Robt. Adams and Thomas Watson Exrs. Wm. Adams, John Vinson.

Watson, John, March 7, 1776; February Court 1777. Wife Ann, daughter Mary Standley, sons John, Thomas, James and William, daughters Sarah Smith, Elizabeth Smithwick, Winnefred Watson, Ann Watson and Martha Watson, (son John David Standley and John Everet Exrs. Test, John Smith, Thomas Roads, Wm. White.

Williams, Samuel, Jan'y 23, 1764. Wife Mary, sons Samuel, Moses and Benjamin, all my children, wife and David Gaskins Exrs. Test, William Vosse, W. Hardy (son of Lamb), Michael Capehart.

Whitmell, Thomas, Feb'y Court 1779. Wife and daughter Molly. Francis Pugh (eldest son of Thomas Pugh in case his child should die.). Test, William Pugh, Francis Pugh. (Nuncupative will.)

Warburton, John, January 21, 1762. Wife Jemima, sons James and Luke, daughters Sarah and Penelope, Jethrobad Hubbard, Robert Warburton, son James Exr. Test, Joseph Jordan, George Savage, Wm. Hurst.

Warburton, James, July 1, 1780; November Term 1780. Sons John and Thomas, daughter Sarah, (wife Winnefred, Luke Warburton and Jonathan Rhodes Exrs. Test, Wm. Pender, Zadock Cowand, Jemima Warburton.

Warburton, Winnefred, March 18, 1785; May Term 1785. Sons Thomas and John Warburton, daughter Sarah Warburton, Luke Warburton Exr. Test, Stephen Garrett, Winnefred Carter, Sarah Pollard.

Worsley, Lucretia, November 10, 1762. Mother Ann Gray, sisters Louisa and Amelia Gray, Cousins Janette, John and Ann McKenzie, mother Ann Gray Exx. Test, John Hill.

West, Peter, (no date but about 1767). Sons William, Thomas, and Peter, daughters Sarah Smith, Selah West, Maryan Oliver, Winne West and Christian West, wife Christian, John Smith and son William Exr. Test, John Smith, Lewis Thomas, Jno. Oliver, Sarah Smith.

West, Robert, April 22, 1771. Sons George and Robert, daughter Ann West, Ann Billups, John, William and Elizabeth (children of Ann Billups), Cullen Pollock, Dr. Robert Lennox, Alex How and Robert West Exrs. Test, Eli Hewlett, Dority Billups, John Billups.

West, Thomas, March 1, 1794; Feb'y Term 1795. Wife Sarah, son John, child in esse, all my children, each of my daughters, James Leggett and James Ross Exrs. Test, Thomas Belote.

Wilson, Solomon, late of Norfolk, Va., Augt. 20, 1771; February Court 1775. Daughter Ann Wilson, Col. Samuel Boush, James Ivey, daughter Tabitha (wife of William Freeman) son Lemuel, daughters Mason, Elizabeth and Ann Wilson, daughter Ann, John Duke and John Lawrence Exrs. Test, Robert Pulle, David Pulle, Jeremiah Pulle.

Ward Phillip, June 17, 1776; February, 1777. Sons James, Daniel, George, Michael and William, wife Mary, daughters Elizabeth, Millicent and Sarah Ward, son Phillip, daughter Mary Anderson, son George and George Kittrell Exrs. Test, George Clements, Mary Green, Wm. Anderson.

Ward, James, April 13, 1780; Nov. Term 1780. Daughter Winne, wife Martha, daughter Susanna, child in esse, daughter Penelope Clifton, William and Solomon Cherry Exrs. Test, James Powell, Geo. Jernagan Hodum, Ephraim Jenkins.

Ward, Thomas, March 23, 1790; May Term 1790. Wife Ann, sons George, Thomas, William and James, eldest daughters Mary, Milley, Nancy, Sarah and Betsey Ward, wife and brother-in-law Robt. Hendry Exrs. Test, Joshua Evans, Penelope Evans, Herbert Pritchard.

Ward, Thomas, March 14, 1795; Nov. Term 1796. Wife Pharahy, daughter Winnefred Holley, sons Michael, James and Isaac Hill Ward, son Joshua, daughters Mary Garrett, Martha Luton, Pharahy Sparkman, Elizabeth Ward, Ann Outlaw and Elinder Ward, (Solo-

mon Cherry, son Isaac Hill, Ward, James and Joshua Ward Exrs.) Test, Wm. Watford, Jona' Spivey, Jno. Campbell.

White, Mordecai, May 13, 1776; Nov. Court 1779. Eldest son William, son Luke, daughter Abigail Butler, sons Mordecai, John and Media, daughter Rebecca Gains, grand-son Amos Weston, (son of daughter Rebecca Gains) Sarah Gains sister of Amos, grand-son King White (son of John), daughter Rebecca Gains and Jesse Hardy Exrs. Test, Wm. Hardy (son of Lamb), Sarah Hardy, Elizabeth Hardy.

White Luke, Nov. 9, 1795; May Term 1796. Wife Mary, son Noah, David Valentine and Nathan Harrell Exrs. Test, Nathan Harrell, Geo. White, Polly Hagarth.

Watford, Hardy, July 5, 1784; Nov. Term 1784. Wife Milleson, wife and Capt. William Watkins Wynns Exrs. Test, George Green, Absala Woodard.

Watford, Joseph, Nov. 7, 1794; February Term 1795. Daughter Sarah Martin and her children Penina, William, Joseph, Winnefred and Sealah Martin, son John and his sons Joseph and George Watford, daughter Winnefred Mizell and her son Mills Mizell, grand-son William Watford and his sister Elizabeth, wife, grand-daughter Fanny Watford (daughter of John) grand-daughter Winnefred Watford (daughter of Hardy) William Watford and son-in-law Henry Mizell Exrs. Test, Demsey Eure, John Hoggard.

Warren, William, Sept. 24, 1788; Nov. Term 1788. Wife Elizabeth, Peggy Mathis, wife and Shadrach Early Exrs. Test, Grace Early, Wm. Morris, Abner Willeford.

Weston, William, Nov. 21, 1795; Feb'y Term 1796. Wife Sarah, sons Malachi, Edmond and William, daughter Winnefred, Edmond Dunston and Ephraim Weston Exrs. Test, K. F. Strother, John Bosman, Ephraim Weston, Jr.

Winants, Winant, June 4, 1789; Augt. Term 1796. Wife Mary, Henry Harramond, Sr., and Frederick Lawrence Exrs. Son Henry David Winants, all my children.

Wilks, James, Feb'y 2, 1790; Nov. Term 1798. Wife Mary, sons James and Micajah, grand-son Jesse Wilks, sons James and Micajah Exrs. Test, Jos. Horn, Josiah Pulle, Noah Harrell.

Yeats, John, April 4, 1789; May Term 1787. Children Thomas, William, Edward, James, Peter, Elizabeth, Mary and Sarah Yeats sons Thomas and William Exrs. Test, Wm. Lawrence.

Yeats, William, Oct. 10, 1779; February Term 1789. Daughter Anne Yeats, son David, daughter Rhode, wife Elizabeth Exx. Test, Peter Yeats, Sarah Yeats, Anne Redditt.

Yeats, Elizabeth, Oct. 4, 1792; Nov. Term 1792. Son David,

daughter Anne Kars, Sally and Rhoda Bayley, son David Exr. Test, Peter Yeats, David Cooper.

Yeats, Peter, Apl. 3, 1795; May Term 1795. Nephew Thomas Yeats, wife Sarah and nephew Thos. Yeates Exr. Test, Cader Cooper, Penelope Griffin, Charlotte Hardy.

Yeats, David, Sept. 24, 1790; Probated in Baltimore county, Md., Dec. 17, 1794; May Term Bertie Co., Court 1795. Wm. and Sarah Bayley, Sarah Kerr, Edward Manning (all of Bertie Co., N. C.), Edward Manning of Bertie Co., N. C., Exr. Test, William Williamson, Jonas Osborn, James Lane.

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"AN ACT TO DIRECT THE METHOD TO BE OBSERVED,  
IN THE EXAMINATION AND COMMITMENT  
OF CRIMINALS."

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Be it Enacted by His Excellency, the Palatine, &c., with consent of the General Assembly, just met at Little River, &c. That from henceforward, no Person within this Province shall be committed to Prison for any Criminal Matter, until Examination thereof be first had before some Magistrate; which Magistrate shall admit the Party to Bail, if bailable, and shall record the Examination of the Party, and also the full matter given in Evidence, both against him and for him, with all concurring Circumstances; and shall take Recognizance, with good and sufficient Securities, to our Sovereign Lord the King, for the Informer to appear and prosecute, as the Laws of the Kingdom of Great Britain and this Province do direct; and likewise for all Evidences for the King to appear, and give evidence against the Criminal at the next Court, where the matter is cognizable, ensuing such Examination; Which Examination and Recognizance so taken, shall be returned to the Office of the Court wherein the matter is to be tried, under the Penalty of Five Pounds for every neglect; One Half to the Lord's Proprietors, and the other half to Him or them that shall sue for the same; To be recovered, in any Court within this Government by Action of Debt, Bill, Complaint, or information; wherein no Essoign, Protection, Injunction or Wager of Law shall be allowed or admitted of. (Session of 1715).

## ABSTRACT OF BERTIE COUNTY MARRIAGE BONDS.

(Original in Office of the Superior Court of Bertie County at Windsor, N. C.)

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1788.

Blount, Jesse and Rebecca Bartlett. Feb'y 28. Jesse Cooper.  
Barksdale, William and Christian Sumner. Apl. 7. Henry Hill.  
Brinkley, Eli and Sally Gaskins. Nov. 26. Jas. Hardy.  
Branch, Burwell and Nancy Morgan. Oct. 15. Gerrard Ware.  
Coffield, Jethro and Elizabeth Butler. Ap'l 25. Jos. Simons.  
Davidson, David and Elenor Hinson. M'ch 25. Jno. Bentley.  
Harrell, Henry and Annis Davis. March 10. Jno. Wimberly.  
Hardy, James and Bettie Gaskins, Sept. 30. Stevens Gray.  
Howell, James and Susanna Swain. Sept. 10. Letchwork Swain.  
Hornby, James and Penelope White. Sept. 22. Peleg Belote.  
James, Emanuel and Patience Gardner. Jan'y 19. Jno. Gardner.  
Jacobs, Samuel and Bethiah Cherry. Nov. 3. Jas. Warren.  
James, Benj. and Kesiah James. Nov. 1. Jno. Hicks.  
Jenkins, Samuel and Mary Penny. Dec. 15. John Perry.  
Jones, Jesse and Linah Monk. July 21. Silas Belote.  
Leggett, Alex and Mary Kittrell. Feb. 2. Thos. Leggett.  
Malone, Drury and Francis Bentley. July 19. Noah Belote.  
Newborn, Thomas and Eliz. Sparkman. Oct. 7. Jos. Mizell.  
Oliver, John and Molly Watford. Feb. 27. John Oliver, Sr.  
Overton, James and Milly Mitchell. Nov. 26. John Thomas.  
Roscoe, Peter and Ann Smithwick. June 24. Jno. Smithwick.  
Rasor, Josiah and Elizabeth Sutton. March 27. Thos. Shehan.  
Standley, David and Mrs. Sarah Lassiter. June 10. Stevens Gray.  
Seay, James and Eliz Crank. July 26. Wm. Gray.  
Trotman, Thomas and Winnefred Cullen. M'ch 3. Fred'k Cullen.  
Vann, Edward and Sally Higgs. Feb. 7. John Harrell.  
Weaver, John Bynum and Mary Hundley. M'ch 26. Geo. Cratch.  
White, King and Martha Britt. Jan'y 22. John Pierce.  
Warren, James and Mary Cherry. June 21. Wm. Gray.

1789.

Best, Henry and Mikey Morris. Jan'y 17. John Morris.  
Basonan, John and Mary Weston. Jan'y 17. John Weston.  
Bass, Jacob and Mary Lassiter. Sept. 8. Israel Outhouse.  
Carney, Josiah and Sarah Power. Aug. 19. Thos. Sutton.  
Keater, William and Kediah Wilkinson. July 8. Jas. Wilkinson.

King, Henry and Sarah Worley. Feb. 10. Stevens Gray.  
Mizell, John and Winnie Miller Nov. 9. Timothy Mizell.  
Overton, Asa and Patsey Tart. Dec. 26. Jas. Tart.  
Stallings, John and Delitha Dunning. Sept. 19. Sam'l Dunning.  
Smith, William and Rachel Savage. May 23. Luke Warburton.  
Turner, John Blount and Amelia Barnes. Dec. 29. Jas. Turner.  
Todd, Samuel and Winnefred Morris. Nov. 28. Lem'l Todd.

## 1790.

Abington, Littebury and Sarah Moore. May 4. Titus Moore.  
Askew, John and Mary Dunning. Aug. 17. Chas. Dunning.  
Boyce, Hardy and Mary Hubbard. Aug. 13. Drury Malone.  
Bynum, Abner and Milly Cooper. Aug. 13. Wilson Cooper.  
Baker, John and Martha Cherry. Sept. 17. Wm. Standley.  
Bond, Thomas and Rhodea Bond. Dec. 30. Stevens Gray.  
Boswell, Charles and Margaret Soward. Oct. 7. Ransome Billups.  
Blount, John and Elizabeth Milburn. Jan. 13. Whyriot Blount.  
Cottle, William and Eliz. Glisson. Aug. 25. Ephraim Rhodes.  
Coffield, Josiah and Lydia Speight. Aug. 28. Wm. Coffield.  
Dunning, Uriah and Ann Early. May 17. Job Umfleet.  
Davis, Smith and Happy Cobb. Jan. 5. Bryan Smith.  
Granberry, James and Penelope Moore. May 18. Wm. Granberry.  
Harrell, Guing and Eliz. Kittrell. Aug. 23. Sol. Page.  
Hardy, Lamb and Winifred Boswell. Aug. 23. Chas. Boswell.  
Hubbell, Walter and Mary Ventures. May 22. Jno. Wolfenden.  
Harrison, Reuben and Ann Mitchell. May 18. Geo. Harrison.  
Harman, Stephen and Judy Farmer. Oct. 26. Jas. Farmer.  
Jones, William and Asia Holladay. Jan. 23. W. H. Green.  
Jernagan, Arthur and Mary Bond. Feb. 25. Benj. Jernagan.  
Lassiter, John and Mary Elizabeth. April 22. Jno. Weston.  
Moore, Joseph and Priscilla Atkinson. Oct. 29. Allen Frazier.  
Morris, William and Rhode Mitchell. Nov. 22. John Mitchell.  
Minton, Benj. and Olive Reed. Feb. 15. Robt. Bridgen, Jr.  
Private, Noah and Penny Evans. Sept. 6. Jos. Evans.  
Sanderson, Richard and Sarah Ryan. Jan. 19. Thos. Ryan.  
Standley, William and Penelope Keen. May 25. Wm. Watson.  
Sholar, Thomas and Nancy Sholar. Jan. 4. Benj. Howard.  
Smith, William and William Wood. Feb. 10. Wm. Wood.  
Thomas, James and Mary Standley. Sept. 6. Whitmell Whitacre.  
Whitacre, Whitmell and Easter Sholar. April 26. Cader Sholar.

## 1791.

Acree, William and Ferebee Skinner. March 12. Micajah Wilkes.  
Bunch, Micajah and Levina Holder. April 8. Elisha Holder.  
Butler, Jethro and Winnefred ———. Aug. 16. Jos. Mitchell.  
Brogdon, Timothy and Sarah McHenry. Aug. 18. Thos. Brogden.

Byrum, James and Milly Keen. Aug. 10. Joshua Cherry.  
 Cowand, George and Winnefred Mitchell. Sept. 12. Abram Duke.  
 Castellaw, James and Elizabeth Cobb. July 19. Thos. Boswell.  
 Cullen, Fred'k and Elizabeth Wimberly. Sept. 17. Micajah Grif-  
 fin.

Drisel, John and Sarah Stainback. April 9. Jas. Rhodes.  
 Ings, Matthew and Martha Laton. March 19. John Bittle.  
 Jordan, Joseph and Martha Jordan. March 14. Ebenezer Smith-  
 wick.

Jacocks, Jonathan and Elizabeth Hill. March 14. Jas. Burn.  
 Jacocks, Charles Worth and Janette Young. Sept. 13. Stev. Gray.  
 King, William and Abigail Lee. Sept. 17. Henry Lee.  
 Mizell, Joseph and Frances Leary. March 22. John Mizell.  
 Morris, James and Loving Britt. Nov. 7. Nottingham Monk.  
 Mardre, Thomas and Ann Howell. Jan. 28. Moses Kerr.  
 Meredith Davis and Rachel Farror. Feb. 4. Rich'd Billups.  
 Oliver Martin and Happy Mitchell. Dec. 7. John Oliver.  
 Pierce, James and Mary Hodges. Nov. 23. Wm. Hodges.  
 Pierce, Thomas and Mourning Bryan. Oct. 5. John Bond.  
 Rascoe, Alex. and Rachel Howell. April 30. John Folk.  
 Sparkman, George and Martha Bryant. Feb. 22.  
 Sholar, Benj. and Laodicea Thomas. Jan. 25. Ezekiel Thomas.  
 Weston, Ephraim and Mary Jordan. Feb. 22. Thos. Weston.  
 Watford, John and Rachel Cowand. Apl. 16. Geo. Cowand.  
 Wilkes, Micajah and Onice Seay. Sept. 27. Jas. Wilkes.  
 Wood, Cullen and Sally Freeman. Aug. 12. Luke Warburton.

1792.

Averit, Henry and Sarah Montgomery. May 9. Josiah Moore.  
 Acree, Leonard and Margaret Seay. Oct. 4. Micajah Wilks.  
 Burkett, Wm. and Ferebee Jackson. Aug. 6. Wm. Watson.  
 Bentley, John and Anne Hardy. Aug. 28. Jas. Ross.  
 Bayley, William Major and Rhoda Yates. June 30. Wm. Griffin.  
 Boyce, David and Susanna Mitchell. Nov. 9. John Boyce.  
 Culifer, Thomas and Joanna Cobb. Sept. 15. John Shaw.  
 Cullifer, Nathaniel and Chloe Cullifer. Feb. 9. Winant Winants.  
 Collins, Willaby and Angelica Brown. Nov. 17. Robt. Hendry.  
 Cobb, Henry and Sarah Kingston. May 1. John Capehart.  
 Curry, James and Judeth Mizell. Jan. 15. Arch'd Wilford.  
 Early, William and Esther Layton. Nov. 26. Wm. Barradail.  
 Freeman, Jeremiah and Mary Norfleet. Oct. 9. Wm. Watford.  
 Fleetwood, William and Sarah Capehart. Dec. 17. Jno. Fleetwood.  
 Garrett, Joseph and Rachel Speight. April 24. John West.  
 Harrell, Thomas and Ann Burkett. Sept. 26. Wm. Rhodes.  
 Holder, Elisha and Winneford Bunch. June 4. John Corbert.

Hodum, Sam'l Jernagan and Rachel Farmer. Nov. 15.  
Harrell, John W. and Ripsey Hobday. Jan. 27. Jno. Brittain.  
Hendry, Wm. and Martha Oxley. Jan. 24. John Oxley.  
Hays, Joshua and Anne Hays. May 9. Henry Avent.  
Harrell, Hugh and Mary McDowell. Dec. 17. Nathan Smith.  
Hinton, Reuben and Rachel Baker. Nov. 10. Wright Williford.  
Hodum, Lewis Jernagan and Winifred Miers. July 26.  
Hoggard, Jesse and Elizabeth Miers. Dec. 29. Patrick Hoggard.  
Loyd, Josiah and Dolly Cobb. Jan. 26. Wm. Skiles.  
Jernagan James and Sarah Pierce. Aug. 17. Benj. Jernigan.  
Maer, Samuel and Margaret Jordan. April 3. Jos. Jordan.  
Madra, Joseph and Sarah Smithwick. Dec. 26. John Madra.  
Morris, William and Sarah Piland. Nov. 29. Jno. Wolfenden.  
McGlauchon, Hardy and Anne Gaskins. March 22. Robt. Hunter.  
Moore, Titus and Sarah Turner. July 3. Geo. House.  
Newsom, James and Susanna Ward. Aug. 7. Jacob Garrett.  
Pugh, Francis and Elizabeth Tunstall. Aug. 28. Zed'k Stone.  
Pritchard, Rigdon and Ann Bunch. Feb. 29. Jas. Pritchard.  
Perry, Zaddock and Elizabeth Asbell. Oct. 9. Jos. Harrell.  
Swain, Sherrod and Mary Lane. Sept. 5.  
Sholar, Joshua and Elizabeth Whitacre. Aug. 30. John Sholar.  
Smith, Charles, and Penelope Castelaw. Nov. 10. Geo. Simons.  
Sharrock, William and Winnefred Griffin. Nov. 17. Josiah Moore.  
Thompson, Chas. and Margaret Williams. March 17. D. Pruden.  
Tyler, Perry and Rachel Hollowell. Feb. 8. Dempsey Harrell.  
White, Fred'k and Judith Byram. June 15. Noah White.  
White, Noah and Tabitha Collins. June 15. Fred'k White.  
Willoughby, Isaac and Elizabeth Willaby. Aug. 22.

## 1793.

Askew, John and Mary Outlaw. Jan. 2. Wm. Spivey.  
Adams, Elijah and Judith Rountree. March 29. Henry Church-  
well.  
Butler, Curry and Elizabeth Folk. Jan. 12. Jas. Hardy.  
Barradial, James and Sarah Standley. Feb. 26. David Spivey.  
Britt, Thos. and Martha King. March 2. Michael King.  
Britt, Jesse and Sarah Cook. July 30. Thos. Harden.  
Cook, Thomas and Sarah Hopkins. Jan. 7. Thos. Harden.  
Corbert, James and Mary Hughes. Oct. 31. John Corbert.  
Campbell, John and Celia Freeman. March 23. Stevens Gray.  
Douglass, Robert and Judeth Collins. June 2. Jas. Bazemore.  
Gilliam, Moses and Winnefred Rhodes. Nov. 5. Sol Cherry.  
Hoggard, Wright and Amelia Tyner. May 23. Wm. Hoggard.  
Hardy, John and Jemima Wilson. April 9. Stephen Buck.



Hopkins, Daniel and Frances Cobb. Nov. 20. Noah Belote.  
 House, George and Lydia Gray. July 5. Nathan Page.  
 Knott, Joseph and Absala Mizell. Jan. 8. James White.  
 Knott, Thomas and Francis Cannaday. Dec. 18. Jas. White.  
 King, Michael and Eloise Worley. April 17. Henry King.  
 King, David and Sally Ruffin. May 10. Allen Williams.  
 Kittrell, John and Louisa Kittrell. April 10. Willis Kittrell.  
 Lassiter, Amos and Sarah Speight. May 11. Jacob Curry.  
 Moore, William and Penelope Canady. Augt. 19. Wm. Weston.  
 Nixon, Richard and Ann Jacocks. May 24. Jona Jacocks.  
 Nicholls, John and Elizabeth Williams. Sept. 12. Jno. Nicholls.  
 Parker, Elisha and Patience Hodge. Jan. 16. Luke Parker.  
 Purvis Allen and Anne Gardner. March 18. Eli Moore.  
 Rogers, Ezekiel and Rebecca Purnell. May 13. Chas. Barber.  
 Robins, John and Esther Raby. April 27. Edward Acree.  
 Ray, William and Nancy Todd. Sept. 16. Sam'l Todd.  
 Stone, Edward and Sarah Brown. Feb. 15. Wm. Brown.  
 Shaw, John and Celia Cobb. April 5. Henry Cobb.  
 Thomas, Zadock and Dicca Bazemore. Jan. 12. Jas. Wilford.  
 Tart, James and Phebe Stokes. Jan. 10. Jonathan Spivey.  
 Todd, Hardy and Sarah Sparkman. July 20. Geo. Sparkman.  
 Todd, Elisha and Creecy Lawrence. Oct. 25. Sam'l Todd.  
 VanPelt, James and Catharine Hughs. Jan. 10. Geo. Hughs.  
 West, Robert and Susanna Lockhart. Nov. 7. John Burn.  
 Yates, Thomas and Rachel Shehan. Feb. 25. Wm. Griffin.

## 1794.

Brogdon, Thomas and Sarah Jones. Jan. 4. Wm. Brogdon.  
 Brown, John and Tempe Harrell. Aug. 12. Wm. Higgs.  
 Church, William and Mary Watson. Jan. 25. Thos. Church.  
 Coffee, Joseph and Frances Cooper. Dec. 20. Edw'd Manning.  
 Cullifer, Jeremiah and Sarah Rogers. May 30. Thos. Seals.  
 Cherry, Thomas and Rachel Outlaw. Jan. 7. Jas. Warren.  
 Davis, Dred and Nancy Belote. Dec. 3. John Cooper.  
 Dunning, William and Sally Sholar. Nov. 10. Wright Nicholls.  
 Green William and Ann Lassiter. Jany. 4. Wilson Liscomb.  
 Harrell, Jesse and Rachel Kittrell. Nov. 11. Lewis Bryan.  
 Jones, Joel and Diccy Harrell. Jan. 11. David Jones.  
 Jernagan, Joseph and Ann Jernagan. Jan. 18. Eth'ld Jernagan.  
 Kittrell, John and Mary Lassiter. April 19. Standley Kittrell.  
 Love, William and Huldly Hobbs Turnage. Oct. 4.  
 Liscombe, William and Sarah Bayley. Sept. 27. Thos. Calloway.  
 Moore, Joseph and Mary Sowell. Dec. 1. David Tayloe.  
 Mitchell, Jonas and Margaret Standley. Aug. 19. Jona Spivey.  
 Overton, James S. and Patience Ray. Aug. 2. John Pender.

Peele, John and Renney Harrell. Aug. 23. Jacob Higgs.  
 Parker, Luke and Anne Pierce. Nov. 7. Reuben Parker.  
 Rhodes, James and Sally Smith. Dec. 16. Jacob Howard.  
 Ruffin, James and Margaret Veale. Dec. 22. Rich'd Veale.  
 Ray, Henry and Judeth White. March 1. Geo. White.  
 Steel, William and Ann Capehart. Feb. 22. Geo. P. Zellem.  
 Smithwick, Ebenezer and Sarah Jordan. Feb. 4. Wm. Sutton.  
 Spivey, William and Winney Ward. Dec. 16. Jonathan Spivey.  
 Wood, Jesse and Mrs. Ellenor Martin. March 3. Wm. Smith.  
 White, George and Lydia White. May 23. Reuben White.  
 Webb, Lawrence Smith and Kesiah Wood. Jan. 23. Thos. Harden.  
 White, Reuben and Abigail Cale. Sept. 9. Geo. White.

1795.

Baker, William Wilson and Ferebee Jobe. Aug. 24. Jno. Douglas.  
 Brown, William and Debby Stone. Feb. 21. Sol. Miller.  
 Bentley, James and Elizabeth Bird. Feb. 7. Sol. Nobles.  
 Byrum, David and Elizabeth Wilson. April 27. Jos. Jernigan.  
 Burden, William and Phebe Mitchell. Sept. 22. Jona Spivey.  
 Culifer, Henry and Martha Glauhon. March 8. John Shaw.  
 Cooper, Jesse and Rachel Chapel. April 24. Israel Outhouse.  
 Collins, Thomas and Hannah Holliday. March 31. Jno. Drizzle.  
 Carter, Lewis and Nancy Holloman. June 27. Abner Wilford.  
 Cook, Cullen and Penelope Boyce. July 23. Sam'l Powell.  
 Cook, James and Sarah Early. March 3. John Mitchell.  
 Davis, David and Sarah Cook. Oct. 14. Smith Davis.  
 Ellinsworth, Nehemiah and Henrietta Bowen. Dec. 4.  
 Granberry, Langley and Sarah Moore. Feb. 11. Wm. Higgs.  
 Gardner, Bryan and Anne Horton. July 9. Averit Gardner.  
 Hawkins, Alex. and Sarah Burruss. No date; in 1795 perhaps.  
 Hallom, John and Kiddy Capehart. March 4. Elisha Todd.  
 Holder, Thomas and Anne Tayloe. July 28. David Pruden.  
 Holland, Fred'k and Gince Cole. Jan. 9. Joshua Sholar.  
 Jernigan, Arthur and Mary Allen. Oct. 22. (Year blank).  
 Jernigan, Joseph and Nancy Jernigan. Aug. 6. Arthur Jernigan.  
 Miward, John and Sarah Baker. Jan. 27. Levi Baker.  
 Miller, Ephraim and Mary Brimage. Sept. 7. Wm. Sutton.  
 McClellan, William and Sally Hallom. May 15. Josiah Harrell.  
 Newcom, Jesse and Martha Clifton. Feb. 24. Jas. Clifton.  
 Outland, Redditt and Jemima Horton. Feb. 9. H. Clay Milburn.  
 Parker, Francis and Rachel Holland. Oct. 19. Sowell Holland.  
 Pender, John and Elizabeth Hubbard. Oct. 15. Wm. Griffin.  
 Redditt, Luodovick and Sarah Oxley. May 14. Hardv Fleetwood.  
 Ruffin, William and Martha Bryan. July 28. Wm. Bryan.  
 Sutton, William and Sarah Warburton. Jan. 21.

Thomas Jordan and Milly Lassiter. Feb. 18. Jas. Wilford.  
 Tayloe, Kinchen and Anna Outlaw. Aug. 13. Thos. Cherry.  
 Wright, David and Mary Armistead. June 24. Jordan Armistead.  
 White, Stephen and Patience Britt. Feb. 13. Jethro Butler.  
 Williams, William and Sarah Lawrence. Aug. 19.  
 Willey, Mathias and Mary Walston. Oct. 6. John Cooper.  
 Ward, James and Sarah Swain. Nov. 21. Hugh Hardy.  
 Yeates, Edward and Mary Weston. Sept. 21. Wm. Sutton.

1796.

Askew, Josiah and Mary Outlaw. Feb. 12. Wm. Watford.  
 Beatley, John and Mary Lawrence. Aug. 30. Luke Manning.  
 Billups, Thomas and Sarah Mhoon. Feb. 17. Eli. Mhoon.  
 Brogdon, Thomas and Thamer Skiles. Feb. 9. Sol. Cherry.  
 Capehart, Michael and Sarah Butterson. April 4. Curry Butler.  
 Champion, Joab and Sarah Rascoe. Dec. 24. Wm. Sutton.  
 Cowand, Solomon and Mourning Allen. Oct. 7. Wm. Cowand.  
 Corbet, Elisha and Elizabeth Cobb. Nov. 2. Hardy Cobb.  
 Cook, Silas and Lydia Early. Feb. 13. Jas. Cook.  
 Cail, William and Suckey Brogdon. Aug. 8. David Corneday.  
 Capehart, John and Martha Rasor. Aug. 5. John Hardy.  
 Freeman, Josiah and Sarah Moore. Dec. 23. Jas. B. Jordan.  
 Freeman, Hardy and Seneth Hunter. April 4. Wm. Hunter.  
 Garrett, Thomas and Patsey Holley. Aug. 19. Jona Spivey.  
 Gardner, Jason and Sarah Harrell. Feb. 15. Hy. J. W. Bate.  
 Hughes, Josiah and Elizabeth Watford. Aug. 29. Jas. Hughs.  
 Hermon, Abraham and Teresa Tayloe. Sept. 12. Jas. Tayloe.  
 Hale, Joshua, Jr. and Winnefred White. Jan. 30, 179—.  
 Hunter, William and Mary Surry. May 10. Hardy Freeman.  
 Hopkins, Alex. and Moren Brown. Feb. 10. Izme Leats.  
 Jacobs, Sam'l and Happy Shoulder. May 9. Geo. White.  
 Jenkins, Noah and Elizabeth Harrell. April 12. Cader Jenkins.  
 King, Charles and Elizabeth Benton. July 16. Elisha Holder.  
 Keeter, Samuel and Sarah Brown. Aug. 9. John Barrett.  
 Lawrence, Seth and Betsey Britt. Feb. 8. John Hicks.  
 Milburn, Henry Clay and Martha Whitfield. July 26. Henry  
 Flurry. (Leter from Wm. Burlingham attached.)  
 Mizell, John and Martha Todd. Dec. 13. Hardy Todd.  
 Mires, Elisha Bird and Polly Barrett. April 5. John Standley.  
 Morris, Moses and Elizabeth Early. Sept. 5. Wright Wiliford.  
 Mitchell, Elisha and Elizabeth Holley. Dec. 31. Nathan Cobb.  
 Powell, Miles and Elizabeth Lee. Oct. 22. Granville Floyd.  
 Rigby, Jacob and Winney Callifer. May 13. Chas. Barber.  
 Standing, William and Clary Butler. Nov. 7. Larney Baker.  
 Stone, Jesse and Nancy Brown. Nov. 1. Sparkman Stone.

Spivey, James and Charity Frazier. Oct. 17. Wm. Watford.  
Sparkman, James and Frances Hughes. Nov. 11. Hardy Todd.  
Skinner, Benj. and Charity Davis. May 20. Elisha Iliggs.  
Turner, James and Mary Miers. June 20. Elisha Mires.  
Todd, James and Elizabeth Mizell. Oct. 11. Wm. Todd.  
Tayloe, James and Sarah Rhodes. Sept. 12. Abraham Harmon.

1797.

Ashburn, John and Fanny Nichols. Feb. 13. Wm. West. Billups.  
Bond, John and Sarah West. Dec. 15. Kemp T. Strother.  
Butler, John and Kezee Pritchard. Dec. 27. Chr. Pritchard.  
Boswell, William and Susanna Holder. April 19. Elisha Holder.  
Burkett, William and Celia Johnson. Feb. 1. John Standley.  
Bunch, Micajah and Edy Holder. July 22. Jeremiah Bunch.  
Bass, John and Nancy Penney. May 26. Isom Wilford.  
Bowen, Nathan and Martha Barnecastle. Aug. 29. Jno. Barrett.  
Britt, Josiah and Priscilla Floyd. Feb. 1. John Moore.  
Barnacastle, Beverly and Tanery Knott. Dec. 9. Nathan Bowen.  
Cook, William and Ann Barron. Nov. 29. Jas. Barron.  
Capps, Moses and Ann Rigsbey. Aug. 4. Josiah Rigsby.  
Cook, Joel and Patience Brasswell. May 9. Reuben Cook.  
Cooper, John and Sally Leggett. Feb. 4. Belsom Kittrell.  
Cook, Elisha and Tabitha Cook. May 5. John Cook.  
Craft, Herod and Susanna Smith. Aug. 4. Moses Capps.  
Folk, Benj. and Jemima Kittrell. Nov. 4. Belsom Kittrell.  
Fryer, Henderson and Delilah Williams. May 6. Isom Wilford.  
Green, William H. and Margaret Outlaw. Jan. 6. Wm. Watson.  
Gardner, William and Penelope Eason. Dec. 25. Joel Cook.  
Holley, Moore and Catharine Wilson. Nov. 16. Jacob Outlaw.  
Hollowell, Arthur and Elizabeth Sharrock. Jan. 12.  
Hawkins, John and Sarah Williams. June 12. Wm. Williams.  
Kittrell, John and Polly West. May 3. Belsom Kittrell.  
Mason, Solomon and Polly Jones. Sept. 25. Micajah Wilks.  
McDowell, John and Temperance —. Dec. 8. Geo. Andrews.  
McDowell, Miles and Elizabeth Holley. May 4. Jacob Outlaw.  
Morris, Abraham and Penelope Smith. Aug. 8. Asa Early.  
Morris, Matthew and Penelope Morgan. Jan. 10. Jones Rawls, Jr.  
Norfleet, James and Elizabeth Hayes. Nov. 14. Edward Acree.  
Pritchard, Jonathan and Patsey Butler. Feb. 2. John Butler.  
Rhodes, James and Ann Outlaw. Oct. 23. Jona Standley.  
Rowan, Matthew and Peggy Driver. Feb. 6. John Rowan.  
Sowell, James and Peggy Howell. Oct. 29. Isaiah Smith.  
Speller, Thomas and Elizabeth Hyman. April 24. Wm. Sutton.  
Steele, William and Susanna Fleetwood. May 31. John Bird.  
Sowell, Ezekiel and Anne Layton. Dec. 22. Absalom Pritchard.

Sparkman, Solomon and Sarah Dundelow. Dec. 22.  
Stallins, Josiah and Winnefred Farmer. Dec. 15.  
Standley, Perry and Sarah Whitacre. Sept. 20. H. Lawrence.  
Todd, Elisha and Seneth Smith. Nov. 1. Wm. Ray.  
Ward, Joshua and Silva Ward. May 19. Wm. Parrott Hardy.  
Weston, Ephraim and Catharine Barnes. March 22. J. Weston.  
White, William and Elizabeth Urquhart. Dec. 30. John Hicks.

1798.

Belote, Thomas and Ann North. Feb. 27. James Stuart.  
Blount, Stevens and Prudence Holley. Sept. 17. J. L. Blount.  
Bittle, John and Polly Cole. March 27. Andrew Bittle.  
Byrum, William and Nancy Bazemore. Aug. 18. S. Bazemore.  
Cullifer, Nath'l and Nancy Cullifer. Aug. 6. Jona Jacocks.  
Capehart, William and Mary Bryan. June 2. Jona Hardy.  
Davis, Miles and Sarah Calloway. Sept. 26. Jno. Williams.  
Freeman, John and Nancy Henry. Aug. 10. Aaron Freeman.  
Floyd, Randolph and Judah Wair. Aug. 3. Thos. Sholar.  
Harrell, Lewis and Sarah Canaday. Dec. 17. Jas. Harrell.  
Harrell, Gabriel and Bertie Harrell. Dec. 22. Jason Gardner.  
Holder, Aaron and Drusilla Moore. April 10. Jas. Williams.  
Hoggard, Elisha and Milly White. May 21. Reuben Harrison.  
Holloman, Sam'l and Patsey Early. March 11. Abner Wilford.  
Hardy, John and Elizabeth Ward. Nov. 15. Stephen Buck.  
Jones, John and Elizabeth Dunning. Jan. 23. Wm. Williford.  
Jenkins, Rigdon and Martha King. Sept. 18. Rich'd Arnold.  
Knott, Allen and Rachel Watson. Feb. 15. Wm. Capehart.  
Laughton, William and Winnefred McDowell. Dec. 29.  
Morris, William and Mary Miller. April 20. Moses Keen.  
Moore, Lawrence and Bertha Moore. Feb. 12. Langley Granberry.  
Nichols, Noah and Sarah Early. Oct. 20. Wright Williford.  
Oliver, Malachi and Polly Edwards. April 29. Jas. Thomas.  
Page, Nathan and Beline Owens. July 28. Jas. Jordan.  
Powell, Jesse and Charity Harrell. Oct. 19. Lewis Cotten.  
Simons, Joseph and Frances Lee. Nov. 23. Wm. Robins.  
Smith, Jonathan and Susanna Miller. July 4. Reuben Miller.  
Smith, Henry and Sarah Todd. April 23. Wm. Smith.  
Stuart, James and Louisa Belote. Feb. 21. Thos. Belote.  
Simons, Malachi and Jennet Dawson. June 10. Jno. Douers.  
Stallings, Phillip and Elizabeth Bazemore. Aug. 15. J. Thomas.  
Todd, Jonah and Nanny Asbell. Dec. 10. Wm. Todd.  
Veale, William and Agnes Veale. Nov. 17. Thos. Veale.  
Ward, Jordan and Hannah Ward. Dec. 6. Rich'd Swain.  
Wair, Willis and Milbree Cross. Aug. 18. Thos. Sholar.

Williamson, Oliver and Sarah Ruark. July 20. John Moore.  
White, Cader and Polly White. Nov. 28. John White.

## 1799.

Atkinson, Jordan and Martha Roberson. May 13. H. Blackson.  
Bazemore, Stephen and Polly Byrum. Nov. 12. P. Stallings.  
Bonds, Lewis and Hannah Dawson. Oct. 29. Jason Gardner.  
Baker, Wm. and Peggy Jacobs. Aug. 16. Jona Harmon.  
Blount, Cowper and Jennet Phillam. July 27. John Lester.  
Bazemore, Jesse and Penelope Bazemore. Jan. 26. Jas. Wilford.  
Barnes, James and Elizabeth Crook. April 18. Wm. Crook.  
Combes, Jesse and Mary Brogdon. Nov. 26. John Skiles.  
Capehart, Thomas and Mary Carter. Jan. 30. Josiah Razor.  
Church, Edward and Mary Harrell. March 17. Nathan Page.  
Canaday, James and Patsey Bentley. Sept. 25. H. B. Smithwick.  
Dunning, John R. and Elizabeth Tayloe. Jan. 14. Jno. Tayloe.  
Edwards, William and Nancy Ward. Dec. 16. Archibald Morris.  
Farmer, Joseph and Mary Hoggard. Nov. 6. Zadock Mitchell.  
Gaskins, David and Elizabeth Coffield. Oct. 22. Jas. Capehart.  
Gardner, Jas. A. and Elizabeth Turner. Feb. 12. Thos. Bond.  
Grover, James S. and Elizabeth Rutland. May 13. N. Rutland.  
Garrett, Jesse and Basha Penney. May 21. Jacob Garrett.  
Holder, Shadrach and Minnie Dunning. Feb. 4. M. Bunch.  
Hunter, Timothy and Cynthia Hunter. June 11. Sol. Cherry.  
Keen, James and Edy Bird. Dec. 30. Moses Keen.  
Kittrell, Standley and Prudence Jordan. Jan. 13. Benj. Folk.  
Mitchell, Zadock and Mary Jenkins. Dec. 31. Wm. Mitchell.  
Miller, Reuben and Sarah Mizell. Dec. 23. Lewis Miller.  
Mitchell, John and Elizabeth Farmer. Nov. 12. E. Brinkley.  
Mizell, Moses and Mary Layton. March 6.  
Mizell, Isaac and Charlotte Hughs. Feb. 19. Geo. Hughs.  
Milburn, Alex and Sarah Peden. March 9. Wm. Spivey.  
Oxley, John Jr. and Fanny Shoulders. Dec. 10. Aaron Swain.  
Pruden, Luodovick and Ann Tayloe. March 1. David Parker.  
Rhodes, Jesse and Sarah Edwards. March 2. Malachi Oliver.  
Rose, Peyton R. and Elizabeth Early. Jan. 16. Thos. Church.  
Ray, James and Polly Nowell. Jan. 9. Sol. Pender.  
Ruffin, Henry and Treacy Benton. July 11. Jas. Warren.  
Standley, Jonathan and Mary Watford. M'ch 17. Ralph Outlaw.  
Thomas, Ezekiel and Elizabeth Weston. March 2. Jona Spivey.  
Williams, James and Susanna Baker. Nov. 6. Daniel Young.  
West, Josiah and Elizabeth Leggett. Aug. 23. Jos. Carter.

## 1800.

Acree, John and Mary Brown. Dec. 9. Jas. Norfleet.

Barber, Cullen and Ann Clifton. May 19. Luke Warburton.  
 Brayboy, John and Sarah Thomas. Nov. 26. John Thomas.  
 Bell, Bright and Mourning Cobb. Feb. 22. Henry Cobb.  
 Cowand, Jonathan and Sarah Sowell. July 21. Ezekiel Sowell.  
 Harrell, Isom and Judah Peele. Jan. 1. Joel James.  
 Hyman, Joel and Polly Pender. Jan. 8. Sol. Pender.  
 Harden, Thomas and Nancy Capehart. May 16. Josiah Redditt.  
 Higgs, Reuben and Judah Hayse. July 25. Wm. Peele.  
 Harrell, Jeremiah and Penelope Purvis. Dec. 23. Joel Jones.  
 Mhoon, Joel and Mary Ashburn. Sept. 8. Wm. Lee Gray.  
 Mires, Samuel and Christian Cobb. Dec. 27. Thos. Mitchell.  
 Milburn, Arnold C. and Renney Harrell. Feb. 4. Joshua Harrell.  
 Outlaw, William and Rachel Floyd. Apl. 5. Needham Jernigan.  
 Owens, John and Milly Raseoe. Sept. 29. Wm. Smithwick.  
 Pritchard, Absalom and Sarah Brown. Jan. 25. W. R. Sparkman.  
 Powell, William and Mary Stallings. March 6. Wm. Outlaw.  
 Purdy Leonard and Ann Clifton. April 22. John Rowan.  
 Peele, William and Lucy Rhodes. Aug. 11. Reuben Higgs.  
 Pender, William and Ann Hubbard. Sept. 22. Belsom Kittrell.  
 Powers, Samuel and Sarah Cooper. Nov. 3. Wm. Pender.  
 Rhodes, William and Delila Jenkins. Aug. 22. Thos. Sholar.  
 Reed, John D. and — Ashburn. Dec. 21. John Harrison.  
 Stone, William and Sarah Green. Sept. 5. Henry Ray.  
 Speller, Henry and Sarah Kittrell. May 13. Lanier Smithwick.  
 Sparkman, William and Sarah Surry. Nov. 21. W. R. Sparkman.  
 South, William and Sarah Johnston. Dec. 20. Miles Bonner.  
 Smithwick, Lanier and Ann Whitfield. April 30. J. Warburton.  
 Thomas, John and Sarah Britt. Nov. 26. Josiah Burch.  
 Tucker, James and Martha Church. March 25. B. Hathaway.  
 Tart, James and Edith Mitchell. Dec. 23. D. Eure.  
 Veale, Richard and Ann Harrell. April 6. Arnold Milburn.  
 Warburton, John and Clarissa Knott. Sept. 2. Wm. Sutton.  
 White, Solomon and Patsey Outlaw. Dec. 19. John Cowand.

1801.

None found so far.

1802.

Acree, Thomas and Elizabeth Higgs. March 1. Lewis Cotten.  
 Bailey, Willis and Sarah Rhodes. Aug. 4. Moses Gillam.  
 Brogdon, Aaron and Sarah Brogdon. Dec. 21. Hannah Brogdon.  
 Berry, Richard and Elizabeth Acree. March 21. Thos. Acree.  
 Bryce, Christopher and Anne Hoggard. March 9. Z. Mitchell.  
 Butler, John and Mary Hubbard. Feb. 13. Rufen Harrison.  
 Bonner, Thomas and Elizabeth Virgin. May 4. Miles Bonner.  
 Baines, Reuben and Nancy Martin. July 16. Jesse Wood.

Churchwell, Allen and Nancy Ciff. Dec. 23. John Mitchell.  
Carter, James and Seasey Failing. Dec. 31. David Combes.  
Coward, Cullen and Judeth McFarlane. July 3. T. Hughes.  
Cratch, William and Elizabeth Bate. Dec. 10. James Ray.  
Chapple, Absalom and Nancy Sowell. Dec. 9. Ezekiel Sowell.  
Collins, Jesse and Sarah Keen. May 18. Wm. Sowell.  
Cobb, Elisha and Sarah Lucas. April 1. Samuel Mires.  
Farrow, Tinch and Penelope West. — 5. John Moore.  
Granberry, David and Mary Moore. Aug. 11. Wm. Johnston.  
Harman, Nicholas and Anne Dunning. Nov. 3. Benj. Williams.  
Holley, Thomas and Celia Askew. Dec. 20. Josiah Holley.  
Lightfoot, John and Elizabeth Rhodes. Sept. 4.  
Mitchell, William and Renney Nicholls. July 11. Jon. Willeford.  
Morris, Elijah and Sarah Green. Dec. 22. Jas. Keen.  
Misell Aaron and Polly Quall. Dec. 28. Tim Mizell.  
Misell, John and Martha Morris. March 13. Matthew Morris.  
Mullen, Greenbury and Harriet Watson. March 27.  
O'Neil, Charles and Mary Halsey. Nov. 9. Jno. W. Castellaw.  
Rutland, James and Elizabeth Rhodes. May 4. Benj. Coffield.  
Rhodes, Jacob and Winefred Bentley. June 21. John Bentley.  
Smithwick, William and Mary South. April 13. John Warburton.  
West, Thomas and Catharine Leggett. June 5. John Knott.  
Wilkins, William and Mary Garrett. Dec. 14. Jacob Garrett.

## 1803.

Barber, Fred'k and Mary Bentley. Oct. 25. Wm. D. Barber.  
Britain, Daniel and Sarah Outlaw. May 3. Lewis Outlaw.  
Baker, Levi and Polly Williford. Aug. 24. John Early.  
Barber, Wm. D. and Nancy Griffin. Aug. 2. Miles Bonner.  
Cooper, Cader and Nancy O. Jernigan. Nov. 12. Miles Bonner.  
Craft, Harrod and Fanny Smith. Oct. 27. Fred'k Rogers.  
Cobb, Thomas and Doreas Bowen. Dec. 12. Joshua Bowen.  
Curry, John and Sarah White. Dec. 21. Willie Curry.  
Caven, John and Sarah South. Aug. 2. Miles Bonner.  
Daughtrey, Elijah and Penelope Francis. Jan. 15.  
Davidson, George and Elizabeth McGlauchon. May 21.  
Dundelow, John and Rhody Cowand. March 26. Geo. White.  
Etheridge, William and Mary Holley. Jan. 26. Thos. Holley.  
Grimes, James and Catharine Veale. July 29. Richard Veale.  
Howard, Elijah and Urodua Rhodes. May 10. Benj. Howard.  
Howell, Joseph and Rebecca Rhodes. Feb. 21.  
Harmon, Michael and Elizabeth Moore. Dec. 2. N. Harmon.  
Hill, John and Seneth Robertson. Jan. 4. Reuben Miller.  
Jenkins, John and Marina Godwin. Aug. 30. Winborn Jenkins.  
Johnston, Jeremiah and Penny Rogers. Jan. 3. Thos. Seals.



Kittrell, Belsom and Nanny West. July 19. Elisha Pender.  
 Lawrence, Robert and Ann Williams. June 25. Abner Lawrence.  
 Mires, David and Sarah Peton. July 17. Alex Milburn.  
 Moore, Moses and Penny Rhodes. May 20. Benj. Coffield.  
 Morris, Jacob and Penelope Baker. Oct. 24. Moses Morris.  
 Mires, Moses and Winnefred Watford. Jan. 4. Nathian Mires.  
 McGlaughon, Jeremiah and Elizabeth Capehart. April 23.  
 Outlaw, George and Fanny Belote. May 27. Wm. Outlaw.  
 Pritchard, Lemuel and Nancy Robertson. Feb. 18.  
 Powell, Henry and Mary Bond. Feb. 4. Henry Lee.  
 Powell, Eldred and Francis Leggett. Aug. 12. Chas. Manning.  
 Pugh, John H. and Elizabeth Gilliam. Jan. 5. Edw'd M. Shehan.  
 Peele, Jonas and Mary Davison. Nov. 30. Wm. M. McFarlane.  
 Rascoe, John and Janet Skiles. Dec. 16. Starkey Skiles.  
 Spivey, Rich'd and Phebe Cherry. May 3. James Tart.  
 Seay, William and Caroline Murray. Jan. 6. M. Wilks.  
 Stone, Andrew and Sally Henley. May 11. David Gaskins.  
 Swain, Henry and Elizabeth Douers. March 23. Jos. Moore.  
 Smith, Turner and Barsheba Daughtrey. May 9. Wm. Hodges.  
 Skiles, Starkey and Polly West. Aug. 12. John Miller.  
 Temple, Robert and Polly Johnston. March 4. Wm. Jordan.  
 Tadlock, Absalom and Fanny Weston. Dec. 6. G. Mullen.  
 White, David and Judeth Cows. Feb. 20. Jacob White.  
 Wilson, James and Silva Outlaw. Aug. 24. Jacob Outlaw.  
 White, Amos and Susanna Harrell. Jan. 7. George White.  
 West, Thomas and Sally Bate. Nov. 30. Absolom Tadlock.

1804.

Stallings, ——— and Sarah Reasons. Feb'y 24. Nathan Cobb.

1805.

Allen, George and Winnefred Sowell. June 10. Ezekiel Sowell.  
 Askew, Aaron and Martha Alexander. May 7. Joshua Outlaw.  
 Bird, John and Loudy Jernagan. June 26. James Keen.  
 Bazemore, Hezekiah and Lydia Brayboy. Feb. 26.  
 Brogdon, Edward and Polly Blount. Dec. 9. Jona Skiles.  
 Baker, William and Polly Bowen. Dec. 7. Henry Cobb.  
 Combs, David and Rachel Garrett. July 6. Aaron Brogdon.  
 Curry, Malachi and Winnefred Mizell. March 20. Ben. Curry.  
 Caswell, Samuel and Elizabeth Freeman. Sept. 4. John Holley.  
 Connor, Wright and Kiddy Baker. Aug. 13. Luke Parker.  
 Champion, Zaccheus and Sally Holder. Sept. 10. Chas. Hardy.  
 Collins, Andrew and Mary Barnes. June 26. John Adkerson.  
 Chappell, Absalom and Ann Cowan. May 12. Ezekiel Sowell.  
 Cobb, James and Nancy Lawrence. May 8. Thos. Cobb.

Cox, John and Sarah Champion. June 9. Wm. Weston.  
 Harrell, Luke and Anne Branstelt. Aug. 14.  
 Hobbs, Samuel and Tempe Collins. Oct. 9. John Byrd.  
 Harrell, Josiah and Sarah Evans. March 26. John Dawson.  
 Harden, Thomas and Priscilla Pearce. Aug. 15. Matthew Pearce.  
 Josey, Stephen and Nancy Rhodes. Sept. 30. Whitmell Rutland.  
 Kittrell, Isaac and Elizabeth Reed. Dec. 20. Wm. West.  
 Lane, David and Celia Askew. May 1. Jesse Barnes.  
 Leggett, Nazary and Mary Rascoe. January 2. Wm. Weston.  
 Modlin, Nathan and Elizabeth Outlaw. Aug. 22. Sol. White.  
 McGlauchon, Jeremiah and Nancy Parker. Jan'y 26.  
 Mizell, Hezekiah and Nancy Britain. May 8. Sol. Cherry.  
 McCotter, John and Elizabeth Benson. Augt. 8.  
 Outlaw, Joshua and Rachel Alexander. March 26. Jno. Sowell.  
 Outlaw, David and Mary Sowell. July 10. Wm. H. Green.  
 Oxley, Hardy and Sarah McGlauchon. Feb. 12. Will Copeland.  
 Penny, James and Polly Folk. Aug. 23. John H. Pugh.  
 Pierce, William and Polly Keane. Dec. 19. Rich'd Humphries.  
 Parker, Daniel and Patsey Johnson. Dec. 30. Wm. Sowell.  
 Rhodes, Jacob and Fanny Butler. — — — Jno. Bentley.  
 Sanderlin, William and Betsey Dempsey. July 13. M. Sanderlin.  
 Sanderlin, Moses and Mourning Dempsey. July 13. W. Sanderlin.  
 Sanderlin, King and Rachel Brantley. Dec. 21. Rich'd Dempsey.  
 Smithson, Ezekiel and Mary Pulle. Sept. 25. Moore Higgs.  
 Sherlock, William and Hetty Winants. Dec. 5. Wm. Johnson.  
 Thomas, Elisha and Polly Burn. Oct. 15. Henry Bate.

## 1806

Bond, George and Mary Rhodes. Sept. 25. John Ruffin.  
 Baker, Levi and Polly Churchwell. June 5. W. Peale.  
 Bond, Thomas and Tempe Leggett. May 28.  
 Bentley, Jeremiah and Margaret Manning. Feb. 4. C. Curl.  
 Bazemore, Abisha and Kesiah Chappel. May 17. J. Bazemore.  
 Cale, William and Sarah Mitchell. May 16.  
 Cherry, Willie and Mourning Mizell. Dec. 9. Benajah Curry.  
 Capehart, John and Nancy Cobb. Feb'y 5. Henry Cobb.  
 Dempsey Whitmell and Anna Bowen. June 17. Elisha Dempsey.  
 Gregory, James and ——— Boswell. Augt. 26. Jos. H. Bryan.  
 Hughs, Henry and Charlotte White. Nov. 15. Solomon White.  
 Holley, John and Patsey Outlaw. Jan'y 7. Daniel Britton.  
 Knott, John and Priscilla Lawrence. Feb'y 15. H. Lawrence.  
 Lassiter, John and Penelope Rayner. Dec. 26. Jno. Askew.  
 Miller, John and Clary Misell. Feb'y 22. Reuben Miller.  
 Mizell, William and Winnefred Ward. Nov. 10. Lewis Miller.  
 Murdaugh, John and Julia Baker. July 25. John Hodges.

Pearce, William and Polly Hardin. Aug. 15. Matthew Pearce.  
 Pierce, Mathew and Truce Lawrence. Nov. 27. David Lawrence.  
 Parker, Reuben and Barbara King. Aug. 15. H. B. Smithwick.  
 Powell, Henry and Absola Eason. Feb'y 7. Joseph Eason.  
 Sessoms, Nathan and Penelope Penny. Aug. 12. A. Oliver.  
 Swain, James and Penelope Cary. Dec. 20. John Douers.  
 Smith Mills and Rebecca Linton. Feb'y 15. Wm. Powell.  
 Swain, Whitmell and Milly Rhodes. Augt. 15. Jno. Miller.  
 West, William and Mary Bate. Aug. 15. John Miller.

## 1807.

Baker, Isaac and Mary Outlaw. Dec. 26. John Wynns.  
 Cole, ——— and Elizabeth Hardy. July 26. Wm. Hardy.  
 Dempsey, Elisha and Wealthy Dempsey. Oct. 12.  
 Hail, James and Nancy Mitchell. Jan. 14. James Mitchell.  
 Hinesley, John and Ann Stone. March 7. Will Copeland.  
 Holder, Ezekiel and Mary Pruden. Nov. 10. D. Pruden.  
 King, Henry, Jr., and Penelope Wimberly. March 5.  
 Mizell, Jeremiah and Winnefred Sowell. March 11. R. Miller.  
 Moore, Jeremiah and Margaret West. Jan'y 27. Sam'l Howell.  
 McWell, James and Sarah Redditt. Feb'y 12. Hardy Oxley.  
 Powell, Cader and Nancy Coffield. Dec. 23. W. W. Veale.  
 Pender, Stephen and Mary Lambert. Jan'y 8. Wm. Sowell.  
 Rascoe, David and Mary Hunter. Jan'y 27. Enoch Rayner.  
 Rutland, James and Sally Bailey. Nov. 12. Moses Gilliam.  
 Stone, William and Mary Williams. Jan'y 7. B. Hardy.  
 Wynn, George and Milly Watford. Oct. 21. Wm. Watford.

## 1808.

Andrews, William and Janette Monk. Oct. 18. Thos. West.  
 Baker, Jeremiah and Elizabeth Curry. Sept. 22. Wm. Coffield.  
 Bateman, George and Lurania Gardner. June 2. L. Smithwick.  
 Butler, Tobias and Elizabeth Simons. May 9. Geo. Simons.  
 Butt, Benjamin and Celia Watford. Dec. 26. Henry Peterson.  
 Bazemore, James and Mary Thompson. Feb'y 16.  
 Bruce, Cader and Sally Howard. Dec. 28. Axum Dunning.  
 Coffield, Benjamin and Patsey Lassiter. March 1. I. Coffield.  
 Early, James and Suthena Dunning. Jan'y 18. L. Jenkins.  
 Freeman, John and Sarah Outlaw (daughter of Lewis). Dec. 28.  
 Green, Isaac and Cynthia Outlaw. (No date.)  
 Garrett, Everard and Elizabeth Freeman. Nov. 7. John Leary.  
 Harrell, Amos and Zilpha Harrell. May 18. Thos. Harrell.  
 Hughes, Whitmell and Elizabeth Leyton. Feb'y 2. A. Hughes.  
 James, Henry and Sarah Sowell. Jan'y 22.  
 James, Allen and Nancy Smith. May 26. Fred'k James.

Jenkins, James and Mary Wynne. Jan'y 11. Jas. Jenkins.  
 Miller, Lewis and Susanna Meazle. Jan'y 25. Reuben Miller.  
 Monk, Thomas and Anna Swain. Nov. 24. John Rhodes.  
 Outlaw, Ralph and Celia Mitchell. Aug. 5. Nath'l Modlin.  
 Parker, John and Pathenia Baker. ——— 12. Elisha Parker.  
 Raby, Luke and Sarah Raby. Aug. 26. Geo. W. Bond.  
 Rigby, Josiah and Prudence Johnson. July 27. Jno. Jordan.  
 Tilman, William and Polly Granberry. Feb. 22. Jas. Granberry.  
 Wilson, Isaac and Sarah White. Sept. 9. Noah White.  
 White, Martin and Martha Harrison. May 20.  
 Wilder, Adkins and Celia Hoggard. Apl. 18. Jesse Wood.  
 1809.

Church, Allen and Winnefred ———. June 7. Jesse Hodges.  
 Evans, John and Mary Davidson. Feb'y 14. Josiah Harrell.  
 Holliday, John and Tempe Boswell. July 13. John Legett.  
 Harrell, James and Elizabeth Lane. Feb'y 13. Elijah Raynor.  
 Harrell, Josiah and Mary Evans. Feb'y 14. John Evans.  
 Harrell, Joseph and Polly Gaskins. May 6. Elijah Rayner.  
 Johnston, Jonathan and Susan Brayboy. Nov. 1. Wm. King.  
 Mires, Nathan and Polly Mires. July 22. Jesse Hoggard.  
 Outlaw, George and Mary Askew. ——— 8 Thos. Cherry.  
 Peele, Hezekiah and Barbara Pulle. Oct. 25. Sterling Francis.  
 Perry, James and Sarah Parker. June 7. F. Perry.

(Without any date.

Lewis, John and Mrs. Martha Ryarson. Geo. West.

Land, James and Mary Cockran. John Kail.

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GOV. CASWELL TO PRESIDENT RUTLEDGE OF S. C.

(From Letter Book of Governor, Executive Office. Raleigh, N. C.)

NEW BERN, 19th April, 1777.

DEAR SIR:

The packet I have the honor to transmit to your Excellency herewith, I received by express last evening from Gov. Henry, with Copies of letters which I enclose you Copies, & must sincerely congratulate you on the accounts they contain. The subject of your letter respecting the Cherokee Indians I have communicated to the General Assembly, which is now setting here. They have come to no Resolution thereon, but I am in hourly expectation of their taking that matter up; As soon as their determination is made known to me, I will do myself the pleasure to communicate the same to you. I have the honor to be your Excellency's Most Obt. humble Servant.

RD. CASWELL.

His Excellency President Rutledge.

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*Wilmington, N. C., December 1901.*

THE NORTH CAROLINA SOCIETY OF THE COLONIAL  
DAMES OF AMERICA.

During the past year several objects of interest have claimed the attention of this Society, and, it was difficult to make a discriminating choice of work to which our efforts should be devoted. This choice was finally decided by our inability, at the time, to undertake new work, that already inaugurated requiring our entire exertions. A work which greatly appealed to us, and, was suggested by our President, Mrs. Gaston Meares, was the care of the ancient grave-yard of St. James Church situated in this city. This enclosure still contains the remains and monuments of many former citizens of this and the surrounding country, and our desire is, to beautify and preserve it as a monument to their memories. This work is still in contemplation.

At the first meeting of our Historical Circle, for 1901, our President entertained us most delightfully by reading a paper prepared by herself, "A Group of my Ancestral Dames of the Colonial Period." The records of this paper covered a period of two hundred and thirty years, its annals beginning in 1671, and it was replete with valuable historic information and beautiful in diction.

At our next meeting was read, by one of our members, Mrs. M. F. H. Gouverneur, a manuscript "Diary of Sally Fairfax," a Virginia Girl of the Colonial period, whose short life was full of promise and whose quaint comments on passing events, were greatly enjoyed.

This young lady was the daughter of the Lord, Rev. Bryan Fairfax, and Elizabeth Cary, his wife. Her home was 'Tolston,' the family mansion of her parents. She was the "Pet Marjorie," of General Washington and danced with him at 'Kleggets Tavern,' Alexandria, at a ball given on the anniversary of her sixteenth birth night. One of her family, Ann Fairfax, had married Lawrence Washington, another, Hannah, married Warner Washington, and she herself, was engaged to a relative of General Washington, at the time of her early death.

At these meetings two of our Dames, Mrs. Warren G. Elliott, of this city and Mrs. Thomas A. Jones, of Asheville, N. C., regaled us with sweet music of 'ye olden time.' At another meeting, historical publications and several valuable private letters of ancient date were read. One of these letters, written by a lady of Wilmington to an absent friend, gave a graphic description of the visit of General Washington to this city, which was then taking place, and the manner in which he had been received and was being entertained.

This part of our work we hope will grow in favor and bring to light much historic data now buried in oblivion. The 'Circles' have been

established in several cities and towns of the State, for the purpose of collecting, as far as possible, all data of the Colonial period and records from private sources for the benefit not only of this Society, but for the public at large. Their work is one of research and preservation in order to awaken a greater interest in such knowledge.

On the 1st of May, 1901, we made our second annual Pilgrimage to Old St. Philips, on the Cape Fear river. After a short religious service conducted by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Cheshire, Mr. James Sprunt, to whom we are indebted for the revision and enrichment of much of our historic information, read a paper prepared by himself, on "Spencer Compton, Earl of Wilmington," for whom our city is named. This paper was one of great research, deeply interesting, and, not without considerable humor. Col. A. M. Waddell, then read a fine address on the "Early Explorers of the Cape Fear," full of historic facts. This gentleman kindly yielded to many requests, and, later in the day as the evening shadows were beginning to gather, read to us a narrative, which he had written, and read to us at a former meeting, called "The Bride of St. Phillips'." Standing by the monument which covered all that was mortal of this Bride, the touching story of her short life was given in words of pathos and beauty.

The Society, in order to preserve the different papers and addresses read at these celebrations, has collected and had them published, under the title, "Old Brunswick Pilgrimages." Many Dames from other parts of the State were present and several of the schools of the city attended.

The Society has received from a life member, Miss Ida Moore, of Washington, D. C., on behalf of her sister, the late Mrs. James E. Harvey, who was also a life member, a gift of five hundred dollars, as a contribution to the St. Phillips' fund. It is proposed, out of this fund, to erect a tablet to the memory of their ancestor, Col. Maurice Moore, who donated the land for the establishment of the Town of Brunswick, and for the erection of this Church, stating in the inscription, that the tablet was the gift of these ladies.

From a membership of less than a score, the Society now numbers one hundred and ninety-six, a large proportion of these being from non-Colonial States.

A year ago our "Register" was published, a work of arduous labor, and also copies of the revised By-Laws and Constitution of the Society. To the efforts and example of the North Carolina Society of Colonial Dames, is due in great part, the credit for awakened interest in and research among historic lore.

EMMA MARTIN MAFFITT,  
*Historian North Carolina Society Colonial Dames of America.*

## SOLDIERS OF THE N. C. CONTINENTAL LINE, REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

(Continued.)

- Bowles, Benj., pt. Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service April 12, '82; 12 mos.  
 Bolwes, Wm., pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service April 12, '82; 12 mos.  
 Bond, Richard, Sergt., Hadley's Co., Aug. 1, '82; 18 mos.  
 Boyaken, Jas., pt., Bacot's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Boyd, Benj., Corpl., Carter's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Bowers, Giles, pt., Raiford's Co., 1782; W.; deserted June 8, '83.  
 Boling, Thos., pt., Lytle's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Boons, Wm., pt., Lytle's Co., mustered, deserted Sept., '79.  
 Boon, John, pt., Mills' Co., Jan. '82; 12 mos.  
 Bogas, Benaja, pt., Carter's Co., mustered Dec., '82.  
 Bowen, Stephen, Sergt., Sharp's Co., July 28, '78; 3 years.  
 Bowen, James, pt., Eaton's Co., 3 years; mustered January, '79.  
 Boomer, Wm., pt., Eaton's Co., 3 years; musd. Jan'y, '79.  
 Brown, Thos., pt., Wilson's Co., May 12, '77; W.  
 Brower, Henry, pt., Wilson's Co., May 12, '77; W.  
 Brooks, Thos., pt., Wilson's Co., July 1, '77.  
 Bryant, Ambrose, pt., Wilson's Co., June 16, '77; omt'd. June, '78.  
 Brown, Park, Sergt., Shepard's Co., May 12, '77, 3 years; dst'd May 1, '79.  
 Brown, Moses, pt., Shepard's Co., July 28, '77; 3 years; W.  
 Bryant, Wm., pt., Shepard's Co., July 12, '77; omt'd Aug., '78.  
 Brown, Thomas, pt., Shepard's Co., Aug. 25, '77; omt'd June, '78.  
 Bryan, Thos, musc., Stevenson's Co., June 1, '77, 3 years; pt. June '78, must'd July, '79.  
 Brable, James, pt., Jarvis' Co., May 17, '77.  
 Brains, Michael, pt., Moor's Co., June 20, '77; died Sept. 9, '77.  
 Brooks, Geo., Sergt., Vannoy's Co., June 2, '77, 3 years; pt. June, '78; Corpl. Oct., '78; Sergt. Feb., '79.  
 Brown, Robert, pt., Aug. 30, 3 years; discharged Sept. 16, '78.  
 Bray, Cornel, pt., 3 years; joined April, '78.  
 Bridget, Wm., pt., joined May 11, '78; died July, '78.  
 Brown, Jas., pt., July 1, '77; 3 years; Dst'd Jan. 1, '80.  
 Browning, Geo., Corpl., July 1, '77; Sergt. Jan., '79.  
 Brooks, Jno., pt., May 15, '76, 2 1-2 years; discharged Nov. 10, '78.  
 Brewer, Benj., pt., 2 1-2 years; died Aug. 1, '78.  
 Brazel, Bird, pt., May 5, '76, 2 1-2 years; discharged Oct., '78.  
 Brazel, John, pt., mustered May, '78.  
 Brazil, Benj., pt., Baker's Co.; deserted July 9, '78.  
 Brandom, Wm., pt., 3 years; must'd Jan. '78, omt'd June '78; must'd Jan. '79, Fifth Regiment.  
 Brown, Sam'l, pt., Colonel's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Brown, Thos., pt., Hogg's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Brinkley, Michael, pt., Colonel's Co., July 20, '78; omt'd Oct. '78.  
 Braddy, Henry, pt., Hogg's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Braddy, Benj., pt., Hogg's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Bruington, Benj., pt., Quinn's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Bryant, Darby, pt., Quinn's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Bryant, Thos., pt., June, '78; deserted June 14, '78.  
 Brittle, Benj., pt., Lt.-Colonel's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Brevard, Adam, pt., Lt. Colonel's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Brantley, Britton, Corpl., Baker's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Brantley, John., pt., Baker's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Broadwell, David, pt., Baker's Co., May 4, '76, 2 1-2 years; omt'd '79.  
 Bryant, Wm., pt., Blount's Co., April 26, '76, 2 1-2 years; omt'd '79.



- Britt, Arthur, pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.; died Oct. 28, '78.  
 Broadstreet, Jas., Corpl., Ballard's Co., July 20, '78.  
 Brewer, Lewis, pt., Ballard's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Brown, Sam'l, pt., Ballard's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Breacher, John, Corpl., Ballard's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Brown, John, Sergt., Child's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Brinton, John, pt., Child's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.; deserted Aug. 1, '78.  
 Branton, Levy, pt., Bradley's Co.  
 Brock, Jas., pt., Bradley's Co., July 2, '79; 18 mos.  
 Brantley, Jno., pt., Bradley's Co., June 30, '79; 18 mos.  
 Brigman, Thos., pt., Bradley's Co., Jan. 22, '80.  
 Brewer, Robert, pt., Montford's Co., 1779; omt'd Oct., '79.  
 Brayboy, John, pt., Ballard's Co., Aug. 27, '78, 3 years; deserted Oct. 29, '79.  
 Bright, Job, pt., Ballard's Co., June 29, '79, 3 years; Corpl. Dec., '79.  
 Brown, James, pt., Quinn's Co., June 10, '79, 18 mos; deserted Oct., '79.  
 Brown, James, pt., Blount's Co., 1779, 9 mos; deserted Sept. '79.  
 Brown, Henry, pt., Raiford's Co., June 6, '81; dead Oct. '81.  
 Brown, James, pt., Donoho's Co., June 14, '81, 12 mos; left serv. June 14, '82.  
 Brown, James, pt., Dixon's Co., April 25, '81, 12 mos; left serv. May 26, '82.  
 Brown, John, pt., Dixon's Co., April 25, '81, 12 mos.; left serv. April 25, '82.  
 Brannon, Jese, pt., 1779, 9 mos; died Aug. 25, '79.  
 Brevard, Jos., Ens., May 9, '81; Lieut. Aug. 1, '81.  
 Briggs, Robt., pt., McRee's Co., May 9, '81, 12 mos; Sgt. Aug. '81; left service May 9, '82.  
 Brandon, Thos., pt., McRee's Co., April 28, '81, 12 mos; left service April 28, '82.  
 Bryan, John pt., McRee's Co., May 20, '81, 12 mos; left serv. May 25, '82.  
 Bryan, Hezh, pt., Dixon's Co., June 15, '81, 12 mos; left serv. June 16, '82.  
 Browning, Mark, pt., Raiford's Co., Ap'l 23, '81; time out Ap'l 25, '82.  
 Brinkley, Thos., pt., Donoho's Co., June 14, '81; Sergt. Jan. '82; left service May 19, '82.  
 Brown, Collin, Corp., Lytle's Co., Oct. 12, '80, 2 years; omt'd '81.  
 Brown, Solomon, pt., Sharp's Co., May 2, '81; dst'd Ap'l 22, '81; musc. Jan. left service May 21, '82.  
 Brown, Arthur, pt., Sharp's Co., April 15, '81, 12 mos; left serv. April 15, '82.  
 Brown, James, pt., Sharp's Co., April 15, '81, 12 mos; disc. Feb. 14 '82.  
 Brittle or Britton, Wm., pt., Lytle's Co., April 12, '81; left serv. Ap'l 5, '82; 12 months.  
 Brownnum, Elijah, pt., Lytle's Co., June 6, '81, 12 mos; left serv. June 6, '82.  
 Brady, Benj., Corpl., Sharp's Co., April 15, '81, Sergt. Jan.; left service April 15, '82.  
 Brothers, David, pt., Sharp's Co., 12 mos. no dbt.; time out April 15, '82.  
 Branch, Burrell, pt., Doherty's Co., 12 mos. no dbt.; time out May 25, '82.  
 Brinkley, Mich, pt., Rhodes' Co., 12 mos. no dbt.; discharged Jan. 23, '82.  
 Brister, Philemon, pt., Rhodes' Co., 12 mos. no dbt.; time out May 14, '82.  
 Bright, Chas., pt., Bailey's Co., April 1, '81, 12 mos; time out April 1, '82.  
 Bryant, Chas., pt., Bailey's Co., 1781, 12 mos; re-en'l. Mar. 1, '81, in Lee's Legion.  
 Bryant, Jas., pt., Bailey's Co., May 17, '81, 12 mos.; left service May 17, '82.  
 Bright, Jesse, Corpl., Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mos.; left service July 10, '82.  
 Brown, Warren, pt., Yarborough's Co., 1781; left service May 1, '82.  
 Brikle, Wm., forage M., Yarborough's Co., 1781; omt'd April 1, '82.  
 Bright, John, pt., Carter's Co., 1781; time out April 10, '82.  
 Brown, Henry, pt., Jones' Co., Jan. 9, '82; 12 mos. for Brewer.  
 Brookin, Thos., Sergt., Mills' Co., Jan. 7, '82, 3 years; died Aug. 5, '82.  
 Bracher, Isaac, pt., Mills' Co., Feb. —; died Sept. 18, '82.  
 Bright, Simon, pt., Coleman's Co., Jan. 1, '82; 12 mos.  
 Bradley, Rich'd, pt., Hall's Co., must'd April 1, '82; omt'd Sept., '82.  
 Bryan, Keedar, pt., Hall's Co., Feb. 1, '82; 12 mos.  
 Brewer, Rice., pt., Jones' Co., Jan. 1, '81; 12 mos.  
 Brantly, Jno., pt., Jones' Co., Aug., '82, 12 mos.; discharged Aug. 1, '82.

Bryant, Jno., pt., Bailey's Co., Sept. 7, '82; 18 mos.  
 Brown, Warren, pt., Bailey's Co., Sept. 7, '82; 18 mos.  
 Brummager, Edw'd, pt., Hadley's Co., Aug. 1, '82; 18 mos.  
 Bryant, John, pt., Hadley's Co., Aug. 1, '82; 18 mos.  
 Brintley, Mich, Sergt., Bacot's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Brantley, Amos, Corp., Bacot's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Brewer, Moses, pt., Bacot's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Brantley, John, pt., Bacot's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Brocky, Wm., pt., Bacot's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Brewer, Wm., pt., Bacot's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Bracell, Geo., pt., Carter's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Brady, John, pt., Raiford's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Brown, John, pt., Raiford's Co., 1782; 18 mos; dst'd June 10, '83.  
 Bryant, Dempsey, musc., Sharp's Co., 1782; war.  
 Brown, John, Sergt., Lytle's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Bright, Whyllis, pt., musc.; deserted Sept., '79.  
 Bright, Wm., musc., deserted Sept., '79.  
 Brice, John, pt., musc., deserted Sept., '79.  
 Bryan, David, pt., Sharp's Co., Nov. 10, '78; 9 mos.  
 Bruington, Joshua, pt., Sharp's Co., Nov. 10, '78; 9 mos.  
 Braddy, John, pt., Sharp's Co., Nov. 10, '78; 9 mos.  
 Brewer, Joshua, pt., Sharp's Co., Nov. 10, '78; 9 mos.  
 Bright, Whyllis, pt., Lt. Col's, 3 years; must'd Feb., '79.  
 Brock, John, pt., Taylor's Co., W.; mustered Jan., '79.  
 Brown, Jas., pt., Taylor's Co., 2 1-2 years; must'd Jan., '79.  
 Browning, Wm., pt., Taylor's Co., 3 years; mus'd Jan. '79; Sergt. April '79.  
 Brown, Isaac, pt., Evan's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Burton, Julius Corp., Wilson's Co., May 20, '77; W.; pt. June, '78.  
 Butts, Achb'd, Sheppard's Co., April 1, '78; dst'd June 15, '83.  
 Butts, Wm., pt., Sheppard's Co., July 23 '77; omt'd March, '79.  
 Burnett, Wm., pt., Sheppard's Co., Sept. 5, '77, 3 years; dst'd Jan. 15, '80.  
 Burns, Wm., pt., Gregory's Co., May 20, '77; dst'd Feb. 10, '79.  
 Burgess, John, pt., 3 years; must'd Jan. 18, '78; omt'd Feb., '78.  
 Burwick, Edw'd, pt., Hogg's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.; dst'd Aug. 2, '78.  
 Burch, Jno., musc., Baker's Co., 1778; W.  
 Buck, Abram, pt., Baker's Co., July 20., '78; 9 mos.  
 Butler, John, pt., Baker's Co., May 5 '76, 2 1-2 years; omt'd '79.  
 Butler, Isaac, pt., Baker's Co., May 5, '76, 2 1-2 years; disc. May 8, '79.  
 Butler, Wm., pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Butler, Jas., pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Butler, Joel, pt., Bradley's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Burk, Meredy, pt., Bradley's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Bullock, Daniel, pt., Childs' Co., July 29, '78; 9 mos.  
 Burnett, Chas., pt., Montford's Co., June 1, '79; W.  
 Burden, Thos., pt., Ballard's Co., June 18, '79; W.; dst'd Oct. 27, '79.  
 Bumbardy, John, pt., Ballard's Co., June 22, '79; W.; dst'd Oct. 3, '79.  
 Burtenton, John, pt., Ballard's Co., June 29, '79; W.; dst'd Nov. 19, '79.  
 Burshaw, Jno., pt., Ballard's Co., June 30, '79, 18 mos; dst'd Sept. 26, '79.  
 Burrows, Sam'l, pt., Quinn's Co., June 24, '79; 18 mos; Omt'd Oct., '79.  
 Bubby, Edw'd, pt., Raiford's Co., June 2, '81, 12 mos; time out June 3, '82.  
 Butler, Lawrence, pt., Dixon's Co., June 1, '81; died March 24, '82.  
 Burnett, Wm., pt., Dixon's Co., April 25, '81; W.  
 Butler, Jno., pt. Dixon's Co., April 15, '81; 12 mos.; left service April 25, '82.  
 Butler, Jethro, pt., Dixon's Co., April 15, '81, 12 mos; left service April 25, '82.  
 Burnett, Jno., pt., Doherty's Co., 12 mos., '81, no db't; time out May 25, '82.  
 Burkett, Uriah, Corp., Rhodes' Co., 12 mos., '81, no db't; time out April, '82.  
 Burk, Ellhu, pt., Brevard's Co., 1781; left service June 7, '82.  
 Burk, David, pt., Brevard's Co., 1781; left service May 25, '82.  
 Burruss, John, pt., Brevard's Co., 1781; left service April 28, '82.  
 Burns, Fred'k, pt., Yarborough's Co., 1781, 12 mos.; left service April 15, '82.

Burton, John, pt., Yarborough's Co., 1781, 12 mos; time out May 1, '82.  
 Burns, Jesse, pt., Yarborough's Co., 1781, 12 mos.; prisoner April 1, '82.  
 Russell, Wm., pt., Hadley's Co., Aug. 1, '82; 18 mos.  
 Burges, Bryant, pt., Bacot's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Burns, David, pt., Bacot's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Bunn, Jesse, pt., Raiford's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Bullock, Naham, pt., Raiford's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Bucoe, Abm., pt., Sharp's Co., 1782, 18 mos.; dst'd June 13, '83.  
 Burris, Aaron, pt., Lytle's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Bunch, Clement, pt., Lytle's Co., 1782; 18 mos.  
 Bull, Thos., Surg. Mate, must'd '82; resigned Aug. 19, '82.  
 Burnam, Sam'l, pt., dst'd Sept., '79.  
 Burris, Geo., pt., Raiford's Co., mus'd Dec., '82; dst'd April 2, '83.  
 Bullard, Thos., pt., Sharp's Co., Nov. 10, '78; 9 mos.  
 Burnham, Sam'l, pt., Lt. Col's Co. 3 years; must'd June, '79.  
 Burns, David, pt., Taylor's Co., 2 1-2 years; must'd Jan. '79; disc. April '79.

#### FIRST REGIMENT—Thos. Clark, Colonel.

Carmichael, Robert, pt., Brown's Co., W.; 3 1-2 years.  
 Clark, Jacob, pt., Brown's Co., W.; 3 1-2 years.  
 Campbell, William, pt., Brown's Co., Sept. 10, W.; 3 1-2 years.  
 Caper, Robert, pt., Dixon's Co.; died Oct., 1777.  
 Carney, Ant. y. Sergt., Thompson's Co., 1777; disc. Jan'y 20, '78; must'd pt. March, '78; omt'd July, '79.  
 Callender, Thos., pt., Dixon's Co., Jan. 1, '77; pris. May 12, '80; Capt. '80; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Cartwright, Robt., pt., Armstrong's Co., Nov. 10, '77; W.  
 Carterwright, Thos., pt., Armstrong's Co., Sept. 20, '77; Corpl. July, '79.  
 Carter, John, pt., Sharp's Co., May 30, '77.  
 Ceeley, Tobias, pt., Bowman's Co., 1777; dst'd Sept., 1777.  
 Churn, Jno., pt., Tatum's Co., 1777; W.  
 Christopher, Simon, pt., Bowman's Co., 1777; W.; omt'd Feb., 1778.  
 Chester, David, Serg't. Ralston's Co., Oct. 23, '76; W.; Quar. Master Sergt. '79; must'd Sergt. Jan. '82.  
 Christmas, Jno., Dm. Maj., Sept. 1, 1775; W.; pt. July, '79.  
 Chalk, Wm., pt., Tatum's Co., Dec. 29, '76, 3 years; Sergt. March '80.  
 Clark, Isaac, pt., Brown's Co., 1777; W.; 3 1-2 years.  
 Clark, Jacob, pt., Brown's Co., 1777; W.; 3 1-2 years.  
 Clark, Thomas, Col., Feb. 5, '77; pris. May 12, '80; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Clinton, Jno., Sergt., Reid's Co., April 19, 2 1-2 yrs; pt. June '78; disc. Oct. 28, 1778.  
 Coston, Henry, pt., Brown's Co., 1777, W.; 3 1-2 years.  
 Cole, Martin, pt., Brown's Co., 1777, W.; 3 1-2 years; omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Conner, Chas., pt., Tatum's Co., 1777, W.; 3 1-2 years; omt'd June, '78.  
 Conolly, Jno. pt., Tatum's Co., 1777; W.; 3 1-2 years; omt'd Jan., '78.  
 Council, Robt., Ensn., Bowman's Co., 1777; 1st Lieut. Aug. 20, '77.  
 Cox, Wm., pt., Bowman's Co., Aug. 22, '76; Dest'd Aug. 31, '77.  
 Condon, John, pt., Thompson's Co., Oct. '77; omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Colley, Wm., Corpl., Dixon's Co., '77; W.; Sergt. Jan. 1, '78; Sergt. Mar. March 19, '78.  
 Cook, Jno., pt., Hogg's Co., '77, 3 years; dest'd Jan. '77.  
 Conger, Stephen, Sergt. Maj., Oct. 10, '76, 3 years; Act. Adjt. Sept. '77; omt'd June, '78.  
 Cole, Martin, Sergt. Maj., Nov. 18, '76, 3 years; trans. to Gen'l Guards March 19, '78; must'd Sergt. for war '82.  
 Cox, Wm. Armon, June 10, '78; omt'd Nov., '77.  
 Cochran, Jno., pt., Armstrong's Co., May 19, '79; 2 1-2 years.  
 Cole, Robt., pt., Sharp's Co., 3 years; died April 28, '78.  
 Cross, Martin, drum, Brown's Co., 1777; fife Major '79; deserted Dec. 9, '79.  
 Craven, James, Lt., Hogg's Co., 1777; dismissed Nov. 20, '79.  
 Cubet, —, drum, Brown's Co., 1777; omitted Jan. '78.  
 Curry, Robt., pt., Bowman's Co., May 28, '76; Dest'd June 15, '77.

**SECOND REGIMENT—Alexander Martin, Colonel.**

Carey, Jno., pt., Williams' Co., 1777; omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Campin, Jas., Lt., Williams' Co., 1777.  
 Casway, Josu., pt., Hall's Co., 1777; pris. June 1, '79.  
 Carman, Stephen, Corpl., Martin's Co., 1777; W.; Sergt. Oct., '77; Dest'd Feb. 20, '79.  
 Campbell, Pat'k, pt., Fenner's Co., Aug. 18, '76, 2 years; Sergt. Sept. '77; disc. May 1, '79.  
 Calf, Robt., pt., Fenner's Co., 1777; must'd Sept. '77; omt'd June '78.  
 Cason, John, Sergt., Armstrong's Co., March 18, '76; W.; pt. Nov., '78; prisoner June 1, '79.  
 Cheshire, H'dy, Dr. Maj., 1777; omt'd Nov. '77.  
 Chamberlain, Chas., pt., Martin's Co., 1777.  
 Christian, Jas., pt., Martin's Co., May 19, '77.  
 Cheshire, H'y, mus., Gee's Co., 1777; omt'd Nov. '77.  
 Colihorn, Robt., pt., Allen's Co., 1777; W.; dead May 16, '78.  
 Cole, Geo., pt., Allen's Co., 1777; W.; disc. Jan. 30, '80.  
 Collins, Samuel, musc., Martin's Co., 1777, 3 years; died April 18, '78.  
 Cotgrave, Arthur, Lt., Martin's Co., 1777; res. Aug. 1, '82.  
 Collins, John, pt., Gee's Co., March 18, '77; 2 years.  
 Cox, Joseph, pt., Fenner's Co., March 18, '77; 2 years; Corpl. Jan. '78; died April 23, '78.  
 Cook, Josepa, pt., Fenner's Co., 1777; omt'd Sept. 1777.  
 Cook, Stephen, pt., Armstrong's Co., Dec. 20, '76, 3 years; died Nov. 19, '79; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Craddock, John, Lt., Williams' Co., 1777; Capt. Dec. 21, '77; pris. May 12, '80; discharged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Curry, Jno., pt., Gee's Co., 1777; W.; disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Curtis, Reuben, Ens'n., Fenner's Co., 1777; omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Curtis, Bartholomew, Volnt, Armstrong's Co., 1777; omt'd Dec. 1777.

**THIRD REGIMENT—Jethro Sumner, Colonel.**

Carter, Giles, pt., Turner's Co., March 1, '77; 3 years.  
 Carey, H. Andrew, Sergt., Eaton's Co., April, '76, 2 1-2 years; died Sept., '77.  
 Cannon, Benjamin, musc., Eaton's Co., April '76, 2 1-2 years; died May 1, '78.  
 Christian, Jno., fife, Emmet's Co., May 11, '76, 2 1-2 years; Fife Maj. Aug. 17, '77; pt. June '78; disc. Oct. '78.  
 Champion, Thos., pt., Turner's Co., April 18, '76, 2 1-2 years; disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Clark, John, pt., Turner's Co., April 16, '76, 2 1-2 years; disc. Oct. '78.  
 Clandenin, Jno., Ens'n, Emmett's Co., April 15, '76; Lt. Dec. 23, '77; Qr. Mr. Dec. 14, '79; pris. Sept. 8, '81; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Clifton, Rich'd pt., Emmett's Co., 1776, W.; died Feb., '78.  
 Coleman, Charles, Qr. Mr. S., Emmett's Co., 1777; Qr. Masr. Oct. 14, '77; omt'd Sept. '78.  
 Cone, W., pt., Granbury's Co., 1777; died Sept. 16, '77.  
 Cordle, Rich'd, pt., Eaton's Co., Nov. 1, '76, 2 1-2 years; omt'd June '78.  
 Copeland, Rich'd, pt., Emmett's Co., May 17, '76, 2 1-2 years; disc. Oct. '78.  
 Curry, Thompson, Corp'l, Granbury's Co., May 4, '76, 2 1-2 years; Serg't Nov. '77; disc. Oct. '78.

**FOURTH REGIMENT—Thos. Polk, Colonel.**

Carothers, Jas., Corpl., Nelson's Co., May 1, '76, 3 years; pt. June '78; discharged May 10, '79.  
 Carothers, Thos., pt., Nelson's Co., April 27, '76, 3 years; disc. May 2, '79.  
 Caswell, Thos., pt., Cole's Co., July 15, '76; 3 years; Corp'l Dec. '78; disc. June 16, '79.  
 Carter, Benj., 1st Lt., Cole's Co., Nov. 22, '76; Corpl. Jan. 1, '79.  
 Cavender, Wm., pt., Goodman's Co., Sept. '77.  
 Chetry, Alex., pt., Goodman's Co., July 15, '76; dead May '78.  
 Charney, David, pt., Smith's Co., omt'd Sept. '77.

Clack, Wm., pt., Phillips' Co., May 20, '76, 3 years; Sergt. Sept. '77; pt. June '78; pris. April 14, '79.  
 Clark, Jno., pt., Harris' Co., 1777; Corpl. Sept.; disc. Nov. 1, '77.  
 Clark, Jno., Corp., Nelson's Co., Oct. '77; pt. June '78.  
 Covington, Wm., Adj., March 28, '77; died April 13, '78.  
 Conger, Jona, Qr. Mr. Sergt., Jan. 25, '77; prom't'd Sept. 11, '77.  
 Cox, Phillip, pt., Williams' Co., 1777, 1 year; disc. Aug. '77.  
 Cortslow, Thos., pt., Williams' Co., 1777, 1 year; disc. Aug. '77.  
 Coots, Jas., Lieut., Goodman's Co., Nov. 20, '76; omt'd June '78.  
 Coplin, Reuben, Corp'l, Harris' Co., time cut Oct. 31, '77.  
 Coleman, Wm., pt., Harris' Co., 1777; Dest'd Aug., 1777.  
 Cole, I. Wm., Capt., Apr., 20, '76; omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Collins, Josh., musc., Cole's Co., 1777, 3 years; Dst'd Feb. 15, '78.  
 Cooper, Jno., Corpl., Cole's Co., 1777; died April 16, '78.  
 Cooper, Wm., pt., Lewis' Co., April 20, '76, 2 1-2 years; disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Colson, Hy., pt., Nelson's Co., June 7, '76, 3 years; disc. June 1, '79.  
 Crab, Benj., Sergt., Goodman's Co., Dec. 1, '76, 2 1-2 years; disc. Nov. 18, '78.  
 Crump, Edw'd, pt., Gorman's Co., March 1, '76, 3 years; W.; dest'd March 24, '79.  
 Crider, Jacob, Corpl., Cole's Co., 1777, 3 years; dst'd Oct. 3, '77.  
 Curry, John, pt., Williams' Co., 1777; W.; missing Sept. 16, '77.  
 Cullum, Israil, pt., Goodman's Co., 1777, 3 years; died July 7, '77.  
 Curbo, Jas., pt., Harris' Co., May 6, '76, 3 years; W.; dst'd Jan., '80.  
 Curbo, Wm., pt., Harris' Co., April 20, '76; disc. May 10, '79.  
 Curtis, Joshua, Ens'n, Nelson's Co.; resigned Feb. 20, '78.  
 Curtis, Peter, Musc., Nelson's Co., 3 years; Dst'd Sept., '77.  
 Cummage, John, pt., Nelson's Co., 3 years; omt'd Feb. '79.

#### FIFTH REGIMENT—Edward Buncombe, Colonel.

Carter, John, pt., Stedman's Co., 1777; W.  
 Carter, Sam'l, pt., Williams' Co., April 26, '76, 2 1-2 years; Corpl. Nov. '77; pt. April '78; discharged Oct. 16, '78.  
 Carter, Robt., pt., Williams' Co., May 4, '76, 2 1-2 years; disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Caswell, Wm., Capt., Williams' Co., April 16, '76, 2 1-2 yrs; omt'd Jan. '77.  
 Carmady, Jas., Corpl., Caswell's Co., 1777; pt. Jan. '78; died May 12, '78.  
 Carvin, Thos., pt., Nov. 26, '76; 3 years.  
 Caps, Wm., pt., Caswell's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 years.  
 Cason, Wm., pt., Enloe's Co., 3 years; died March 5, '78.  
 Carter, Edw'd, Sergt. Alderson's Co., 1777; 3 years; omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Carrell, Benj., pt., Coleman's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 years; died Aug. '77.  
 Church, Wm., pt., Williams' Co., May 12, '76; disc. Nov. 12, '78.  
 Charles, Winoke, pt., 1777, 2 1-2 years; Dst'd Aug. 28, '77.  
 Cherry, Daniel, pt., Darnel's Co., 1777, 1 year; died Oct. 18, '77.  
 Clark, Abner, p., Williams' Co. 1777, 2 1-2 years; died Jan. 28, '78.  
 Claghurn, Shubal, pt., Blount's Co., Oct. 28, '76; W.; omt'd Oct., '77.  
 Cooley, Sam'l, Sugn., April 16, '76; omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Coggins, Jas., pt., Stedman's Co., 1777; W.  
 Cooper, Jerh., pt., Williams' Co., 1777, 2 1-2 years; omt'd April '78.  
 Cooper, Nath'l, Williams, Co., May 5 '76, 2 1-2 years; disc. Nov. 1, '78.  
 Cornelius, Isaac, pt., Williams' Co., May 14, '76, 2 1-2 years; discharged.  
 Cornelius, Isaac, pt., Williams' Co., Dec. '77, 2 1-2 years; omt'd Jan. '79.  
 Collins, Jno., pt., Williams' Co., 1777; disc. March 1, '79.  
 Cole, Thomas, Corpl., Caswell's Co., Nov. 26, '76, 3 years; pt. June '78; disc. Feb. 8, '80.  
 Cox, Wm., pt., Caswell's Co., April 16, '76, 2 1-2 years; omt'd Sept. '77; must'd Oct. '78; disc. Nov. 10, '78.  
 Cooper, Wm., Lieut., Darnal's Co., April 16, '76; omt'd Oct. '77.  
 Cotanch, Malachi, pt., Darnal's Co., Jan. 11, '77; W.; Dst'd Jan. 30, '80.  
 Cooper, Josh, pt., Darnal's Co., Nov. 1, '76, 3 years; pris. June 1, '79; must'd Nov. '79; re-enlisted.  
 Coble, Shadrach, pt., Alderson's Co., 1777, 3 years; killed Oct. 4, '77.

Corbitt, Alex., pt. Alderson's Co., 1777; W.; Dst'd. Aug. 28, '77.  
 Coleman, Benj., Capt., April 30, '77.  
 Crutches, H'y, Ens'n, Stedman's Co., Aug. 20, '77; resigned Dec. 11, '77.  
 Craig, Geo., pt., Williams' Co., 1777, 2 1-2 years; died Nov. 7, '77.  
 Cratches, Ant'y, Sergt., Coleman's Co., May 24, '77, 3 years; Ens'n Feb. 27, '80; Lt. May 18, '81; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Cummings, Benj., pt., Blount's Co., 2 1-2 years; died May 5, '78.  
 Curtis, Jno., Lieut., Alderson's Co., Oct. 16, '76; omt'd Sept. '77.

#### SIXTH REGIMENT—Gideon Lamb, Colonel.

Caffield, Benj., Adj't, May 17, '77; omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Campbell, Wm., Corpl., Donoho's Co., 1777; W.; died Feb. 1780.  
 Carter, Jno., Senr. pt., Donoho's Co., June 25, '76; W.; disc. May 16, '79.  
 Casidy, Jno., pt., Donoho's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 years; died Jan. 28, '78.  
 Cates, Matthew, pt., White's Co., June 30, '76; W.  
 Carter, Hibbard, pt., Doherty's Co., W.; died April 11, '78.  
 Carroll, Wm., pt., Doherty's Co., omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Campbell, Jno. pt., W.; omt'd Feb., '78.  
 Cheeseboroug, Jno., P. Mr., July 3, '77; Ens'n April 23, '79; omt'd July '79.  
 Child, Francis, Capt., Jan. 26, '77; retired from service Jan. '81.  
 Cleaver, Jacob, Sergt., White's Co., May 6, '76, 2 1-2 years; pt. May '78; disc. Oct. 20, '78.  
 Clarke, Neil, pt., McRee's Co., W.; omt'd June, '78.  
 Cook, Jno., Corpl., Taylor's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 years; omt'd Nov. '78.  
 Conner, Jno., pt., White's Co., Aug. 15, '76, 2 1-2 years; time out Feb. '80.  
 Cornish, Wm. pt., McRee's Co., Oct., '77; W.; died Feb. 27, '78.  
 Collins, Matthew, pt., McRee's Co., Oct. '77; disc. June 4 '78.  
 Craft, Stephen, pt., Donoho's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 years; omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Craft, James, pt., Donoho's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 years; omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Craig, Gerrard, Sergt., Doherty's Co., May 24, '76, 2 1-2 years; pt. June '8; omt'd Oct. '78.  
 Craben, Charles, pt., Doherty's Co., W.; missing Sept. 11, '77.  
 Craig, Archibald, pt., McRee's Co., killed Oct. 4, '77.  
 Cummins, Geo., Sergt. Donoho's Co., April 16, '76, 2 1-2 years; pt. Dec. '77; Sergt. March '78; pt. Oct. '78; disc. Nov. 3, '79.

#### SEVENTH REGIMENT—James Hogan, Colonel.

Carr, Solomon, pt., Macon's Co., 1777, 3 years; disc. Feb. 1, '80.  
 Caustauphin, Jas., Ens'n Dawson's Co., Nov. 28, '76; omt'd Oct., '77.  
 Carter, Wm., pt., Walker's Co., 1777, 3 years; died April 17, '78.  
 Cail, Amo., pt., Vaughan's Co., Feb. 1, '77; died Dec. '77.  
 Chalco, Wm., pt., Bickle's Co., W.; Dst'd April, '77.  
 Chesson, Joshua, pt., Walker's Co., Feb. 4, '77; disc. Feb. 8, '80.  
 Cobb, Wm., pt., Dawson's Co., 1777, 3 years; died Jan. 26, '78.  
 Conn, David, pt., Walker's Co., 1777; 3 years; omt'd Sept. '77.  
 Corbin, Arthur, Vaughan's Co., Dec. 2, '76, 3 years; disc. Feb. 1, '80.  
 Cooper, John, McGlaughon's Co., 1777; died July '77.  
 Cooper, Josiah, McGlaughon's Co., 1777; died Nov. 29, '77.  
 Cowan, Robt., McGlaughon's Co., Jan. 7, 1777; dst'd April '77; must'd June '78; Corpl. Nov. '78; Sergt. Sept. '79.  
 Connor, Wm., pt., McGlaughon's Co., 1777, 3 years; died April 21 '78.  
 Connor, Jacob, pt., McGlaughon's Co., 1777, 3 years; died Feb. 6, '78.

#### EIGHTH REGIMENT—James Armstrong, Colonel

Carmack, Jas., Corpl, Walsh's Co., 1777; pt. Jan. '78; omt'd Feb. '78.  
 Calaghan, Cornels, pt., Walsh's Co., Feb. 14, '77, 3 years; pris. June 1, '79; disc. Feb. 14, '80.  
 Carter, Isaac., pt., Walsh's Co., Sept. 1, '77; pris. June 1, '79; disc. Feb. 20, '80.  
 Card, Josh. pt., Walsh's Co., 1777; died Oct. 4, '77.  
 Cahoon, Jona., Musc., March 1, '77; W.; pt. Jan., '78; omt'd Feb., '78.

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Chapman, Sam'l, Lt., Tartanson's Co., Nov. 28, '76; resn. Nov. 2, '82; Capt. from April 5, '79.  
Clark, Jas., Corpl., Walsh's Co., Feb. 1, '77, 3 years; pt. June '78; Corpl. Mch. '79; discharged Feb. 1, '80.  
Connor, Wm., musc., Walsh's Co., 1777; omt'd Jan. '78.  
Collins, Thos., pt., Walsh's Co., 1777; omt'd Jan. '78.  
Collins, Jno., Sergt., Raiford's Co., Feb. 11, '76, 3 years.  
Collins, Benj., pt., Raiford's Co., Feb. 11, '76; 3 years; Corpl. Nov. '77; pt. June, '78; disc. Feb. 16, '80.  
Coops, Francis, musc., Tartanson's Co., March 29, 1777, 3 years; pt. June '78.  
Colwell, Jno., pt., Tartanson's Co., March 17, '77; 3 years.  
Coops, Wm., pt., Tartanson's Co., 1777; omt'd Sept. '77.

### NINTH REGIMENT—John Williams, Colonel.

Carier, Jno., pt., Cook's Co., May 5, '77; 3 years; W.: Corp. Nov., '79.  
Christian, Jas., Sergt., Cook's Co., 1777, 3 years; disc. Jan. 29, '78.  
Chappel, Sam'l, pt., Wade's Co., Dec. 25, '76; disc. Feb. 1, '80.  
Clark, Thos., Ens'n, Cook's Co., Nov. 28, '76; Lt. Feb. 1, '79.  
Clifton, Wm., Sergt., Cook's Co., Dec. 24, '76, 3 years; omt'd Jan. '78.  
Cook, D. Rich'd, Capt., Nov. 28, '76; omt'd Jan. '78.  
Cozzart, David, Sergt., Cook's Co., Dec. 18, '76, 3 years; pt. Feb. '78; disc. Jan. 27, '80.  
Cook, Thos., Sergt., Cook's Co., 1777, 3 years; omt'd Dec. '77.  
Copeland, Ripley, pt., Ramsay's Co., March 10, '77, 3 yrs; disc. March 15, '80.  
Coles, Alex., pt., Wade's Co., Corpl. Jan '78; died March 4, '78.  
Conway, John, pt., Brevard's Co., June 19, '77; Sergt. Jan. '78; Corpl. June '78; pt. Aug., '78; Dst'd Dec. 15, '79.  
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(Continued.)

Daniel Leggett to Gov. Richard Caswell. These with speed.

DECEMBER 4th, 1777.

May it please your Most Noble Excellency & your Noble Council, Tho' I dare not Approach you in person Nor Dare I Do it with these inconsiderate lines without Shame & Confusion of face. But Relying upon your Mercy & goodness I Send this paper as an humble advocate to plead in Some Measure that So it May abate the Severity of your Just Displeasure & Appease that Stroke of Justice that I have incurred upon Myself by My horrid transgression & folly that I have unadvisedly fell into. Wherefore if A Returning prodigal, a true and unfeigned penitent May find Mercy in these circumstances I unfeignedly beg it at your hands. I hope it may please you for your honnours Sakes & for the Sake of him that hath promised A blessedness to the Merciful to Look in a way of pity upon one that earnestly Desires Nothing More than to be Number'd with your Subjects, though unworthy at present, I hope to find all my Superiors to Whom I think Myself happy that I have to address Myself to in this Manner, to be endued with so Much Compassion & tenderness to forgive One that is truly Sensible & penitent that I can think My Self happy upon every Remembrance of the same & Not willing to Affect

one that is Convicted in his own Conscience. Wherefore if Should please your Excellency & to whom I have to petition to Grant Me My Liberty & the Oportunity to make manifest what I have promised by a Ready Compliance to your Laws and Commands I Should think My Self happy Nevertheless in All things Submitting to your Excellency's Disposal I Must remain as I have Made myself miserable without your Assistance which I rely upon your excellency's honor for in requital of which I promise to spend the remaining part of my time in obedants to your Commands it being all that I am able to offer with My prayers and Supplication to God for your Success & happy Continuance if it Does Not please your excellency to Admit of My being alltogether at Liberty, I should be very thankful to be admitted to bale until the Cort ensuing at Edenton, the winter being very cold & I being Destitute of my Necessarys that My Life Depends upon your Honor I hope that what I was put in for last was not unbalable tho' indeed it is too bad I having but Little to say for My self More than I was Not in this unhappy affair at the first till I was seduced by others and never being acquainted with the general plan at all was Set on to Do More than I hope I shall ever be guilty of any more if it should please your honour to Let this Pass. But Use all Means that in my power to Suppress all that should in any ways endeavour to hurt the present Government. Wherefore if it should be to my opertunity & I should be any ways faulty to my promise I would Submit to the Most strictest that Malice could inflict therefore with all Submission I beg you would determine & Despose of me as you see Convenient, in expectation, of which I Remain Sir, Most unworhest of your subjects.

DANIEL LEGETT.

The above was found on the Public Road and sent on by Thos. Respass, Jr.

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#### EXAMINATION OF PELEG BELOTE.

Examination of Peleg Belote in the County Court of Bertie at the Court begun and held for the said County the 12th day of August, 1777, present the Worshipful Thomas Pugh, James Campbell and Jonathan Jacobs, Esquires, Justices of the said Court and among others assigned to keep the Peace of the said County.

The said Peleg Belote being brought before the Court declared that in a conversation with one Absalom Legate about the first of June last, they discussed about a Report which was then prevalent among some People, that there was a design to impose a new Religion on the People, and Compel them to worship Images, and that



they both expressed a very strong disapprobation of such a design; that the said Legate endeavored to persuade him, the said Belote, to go to a Sermon which was shortly to be preached near Sherrard's, in Martin County, and the said Belote did accordingly go to Sherrard's House in company with the said Legate and his son; that they found one Rawlins at Sherrard's house; that after a private conversation which he observed between the said Legate and Rawlins, Rawlins asked him to walk, and they two being alone together, after some conversation relative to the worship of Images, Rawlins asked the said Belote if he could keep a secret! The said Belote answering in the affirmative, Rawlins asked him if he would be willing to swear he could, and pulled a book out of his pocket which he tendered to Belote, and Belote then kissed the Book, promising to keep secret what Rawlins should tell him; that Rawlins then told him a good many had concluded to support the Church of England, and if he would swear to keep secret all that he should hear that Man read or tell him, he would mention the Person's name, and refer him to him for further information; that the said Belote having again kissed the book in ratification of a promise of this kind (believed by him to be swearing), Rawlins told him Sherrard was the Man, and gave him a stick with three notches which he said he was to show Sherrard, but he need not be particular as to any circumstances concerning it, as he would be there, otherwise it would have been necessary to do it in private; that nothing more passed on the subject this evening, but the next morning before Breakfast Sherrard asked Rawlins to take a walk, and Rawlins nodded to the said Belote to follow him; that they went in to the Barn, and Belote delivered the stick to Sherrard; that Sherrard then asked him "what that was for"; that Belote being at a loss for the answer Rawlins asked him if he had forgot already and desired him to speak after him, which he did some words that served to denote a concurrence in the Confederacy; that Sherrard then stepped and picked up a Sugar box which seemed to be concealed in a private part of the barn and took out a paper which he read very low, as if he had been afraid of being overheard, the place being very publick and that the time when the People were going to the Preaching; that the substance of the Paper was to the best of the said Belote's recollection an Engagement to support the Religion they had been used to, to decide disputes arising among the subscribers by arbitration, to oppose draughts (as he believed) and protect Men being draughted from being obliged to serve. Soon after they went out and Sherrard mentioned there was one thing he had forgot, which was that Belote should get half a pound of powder and two pounds of lead; and that he recollects no further particulars concerning the above agreement than what he has before received;

but that they were to put in Money to support poor people in distress and employ a Reader.

His

PELEG X BELOTE.

Taken in open Court.

Mark.

Test: John Johnston.

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AFFIDAVITS OF WILLIAM SKILES, JOHN ALLEN AND  
WILLIAM BURKET.

William Skiles on oath, doth say that he heard Absalom Leggett say he would not go if he was draughted and further Questions refused to answer, but on a small deliberation s'd Skiles gave the following testimony, viz.: That Absalom Leggett informed him that a considerable number of persons in Bute, Edgecombe and Martin County had agreed to oppose a Draught and if any person draughted should consent to go in the Army, they would shoot him on the spot, and further that James Sherod & Capt. Bell were concerned in the scheme that Leggett had often urged him to join the s'd party and that he understood James Sherrard had in his keeping articles of agreement entered into by said parties. That sd Leggett administered an oath to him, purport of which is as follows: That you shall defend and protect all Draughted & distressed persons or them that are called tories as far as lies in your power, & that he swore him to keep the Matter Secret and likewise informed him that there was a sign or token observed amongst them, which was this (a friend to the party present), a short stick with three notches on it, on the person receiving of it, asks the other why he gives them that stick, the other answers, for a sign. Says the other, a sign of what, (answer), a sign of a word, have you the word? I have, give it me. I will letter with you. Answer, begin first says B, 2d E, first T, 2d R, first U, 2d E (be true). Said Skiles further declareth that sd Leggett informed him that the strongest party would seize first on the Several Magazines and that Peleg Belote informed him on his expressing great uneasiness at Joining said party that there was no danger. Leggett informed him that the scheme took its rise in Virginia & was forwarded to Lewellen on Coneter from whence it had extended to South Carolina, Haw River & in short to all the Southern part of the Continent; that he understood Capt. Bogg approved the scheme highly to Sherrard, but was rather fearful of its success; that the scheme was handed to Loo Allen about the first of March; further Leggett told him it was allowed on all hands that the King would Conquer the Country and if there party held together when the Gentlemen was taken there party & and the King's Soldiers should shear there Estates & that there was several persons constantly and Daily

riding to encrease there numbers. They have a further sign, viz.: In falling into Company or meeting with any person on pointing or Rubbing their forefinger of the left hand over the right arm, nose or chin or any part of their body the other person being of their party, will ask him what he points at, (answers) a secret, have you that secret. I have .Give it me. I did not get it so how shall I get it. I will Letter and half it with you begin, first says I, the other N, the first R, the other I, lastly he inform'd if the matter was discovered they would Rise & kill the gentleman in the Night, that he could not do it himself, but there was Many that would; that Leggett told him some time past that he understood that Coll Buncombe was about to Remove out of the County and was going to sell off his Estate and that he had a great Inclination to go down and take his Shear of it by taking some of his horses, &c., and further sayeth not.

(Signed.)

W. SKILES.

John Allen deposeth that on a certain day he was in company with Absalom Leggett who enquired of him the sd Allen what prospect there was of the peoples succeeding should they attempt to oppose this State in its present measures (of to — that purpose) who answerd and give reasons why it would not.

William Burket deposeth that on the 16th day of June he went to see Absalom Leggett with intent to enquire of said Leggett how he might be initiated into a new Club the sd Leggett askt him if he thought he could Keep a secret, he said he could Leggett told him he would give him a sign to carry to James Shearrard or Daniel Leggett either, which sign was a stick with three notches cut on it, & that he would be askt what that stick was for, his reply was sign, a sign of what, of a word do you know that word I do give it me, I will Letter it with you and further that the sd Leggett told him that he heard that Coll Buncombe was going to leave the County & that he was too busy or he would go over and git some of his fine horses as he heard he had many of them and that they ought to be stopt.

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#### EXAMINATION OF WILLIAM SKYLES. AND OTHERS.

Windsor, July 1, 1777. At a Court held this day for the purpose of Enquiring into Sundry Suspicions agt the persons below mentioned.

John Brogdon was called & on his oath doth say ——— William Brogdon called & Sworn—John Skyles.

William Skyles on his oath doth say, that he heard Absalom Leggett say that Hays would not Go if he was Drafted & to further Questions refused to Answer, On a small Deliberation sd Wm. Skiles gave the following Testimony, viz: that Absalom Leggett informed him that

a considerable number of persons in Bute, Edgcombe and Martin Counties had agreed to oppose a Draught, and if any person draughted should consent to go, in the Army, they would shoot him on the spot and further that Jas. Sherrard and Capt. Bell were concerned in the Scheme, that Leggett had often urged him to join the sd. Party and that he understood Jas. Sherrard had in his keeping certain articles of agreement entered into by sd Party, that sd Leggett had administered an oath to him purport of which is as follows that you shall defend and protect all draughted, distressed or oppressed persons or them that are called Tories as far as is in your power, and that he swore him to keep the matter secret and likewise informed him that there was a Sign or Token observed amongst them which was this, a Friend of the party presents a small stick with three Notches cut in it, on which the person receiving asks the other, why he gave him that stick, the other answers for a Sign, says the other a sign of what, answer a sign of the Word have you that Word, I have, give it to me, I will but will letter it with you. Answer Begin, first says B Second C, first T, second R, first a. and second c. Sd William Skyles further declares that sd Leggett informed him that the strongest party would seize first on the several Magazines and that Peleg Belote informed him on his expressing great Uneasiness at joining sd Party, that there was no danger; Leggett informed him that the Scheme took its rise in Virginia and thence was forwarded to Luellan, from whence it had extended to South Carolina, Haw River and in short all the Southern part of the Continent. That he understood Capt. Bogg approved the scheme highly to Sherrard but was rather fearful of its success; that the scheme was handed to Luellan about the first of March, farther Leggett told him, it was allowed on all hands that the King would conquer the Country and if their party held together, when the Gentlemen were taken, their party and the King's Soldiers should share their Estates and there were several persons constantly and daily riding to increase their number, they have a further sign (viz.) On falling in company or meeting with any person, or pointing & rubbing the Fore-finger of the left hand over your Right Arm, Nose or Chin, or any part of their Body, the other person being of their party, will ask him, what he points at. Answer: A Secret, have you that secret, I have, give it to me, I did not get it so, how shall I get it, I will letter and halve it with you; begin, first says I, the other N, the first R, the other I; lastly he informed him if the matter was discovered they would rise and kill the Gentlemen in the Night, that he could not do it himself, but there were many that would. That sd Leggett told him some time past that he had understood Col. Buncombe was about to remove out of the Country and was going to sell off his Estate &c., and that he had a great Inclina-

tion to go down & take his share of it, by taking some of his Horses &c.

John Hodge on his Oath deposeth & Sayeth, that William Tyler came to his house & Told him that there was a Thing in hand which he wanted to see him about, after that some time, Peter Tyler came to the said Hodge's house and offer'd to Disclose a secret to him, sd Hodge then asked him what that secret was, Tyler Deny'd Telling him Except he would agree to qualify, he then Told him he would not qualify to anything without first knowing what it was, some time after this Solo Phippen and James Rollins came to this Deponent and said Rollins offer'd him a Secret, after Deliberating and Taking the advise of his neighbours, this Deponent agreed to Qualify & sd Rollins Gave him a book and he Qualified himself, after he was Qualified Rollins told a Long Storey the purport of which this Depon't Cannot Recollect, but this Deponent says it was of Little account but then Qualified him to keep secret a Persons name, to-wit, John Lewelling the said Lewelling afterward showed this Deponent the secret, which was an Instrument of Writeing, Call'd by said Lewelling a Constitution & this Deponent understood by Thomas Hurst that Rollins was the man who invented that Constitution & That Lewelling Told him he was to Aid & assist all Drafted or Distressed persons or those called Torys to the utmost of his power and that this Deponent must Get Half a Pound of powder and Two pounds of Shott for Colo Pugh. Paid. B. E. T. Be true. B. E. B. A. w. r. c. & Further this Deponent Sayeth not.

His

JOHN X HODGE.

July the 4th, 1777. Sworn before me.

Mark.

Nathan Mayo.

Solomon Pippin being First Sworn Deposeh & Sayeth, that James Rollins Came to him & offer'd him a secret & that this Deponent asked him what it was & he Refused disclosing except this Deponent would Qualifie which he Refused but afterwards was Introduced by the persons mentioned in aforesaid Deposition & Further Sayth that the Deposition of John Hodge is Truth and this Deponent was present & heard the words & Further this Deponent sayeth not.

His

SOLOMON X PIPPIN.

The 4th July, 1777, Sworn before me.

Mark.

Nathan Mayo.

State of North Carolina,

Chowan County, Ss. Personally appeared Daniel Leggett who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelist, Deposeh & says, that he went from Bertie to Martin County, to the House of John Collins, where he stayed all night being Saturday the seventh day of June, from thence he went the next morning to James Sherrod to a meet-

ing where one Rawlings was to preach, the said Rawlings took this Deponent out on one side and asked this Deponent what he thought of the times who answered he did not know, but that they were very bad, the said Rawlings asked this Deponent if he did not think they were in great danger of loosing their Religion, that it was reported that Thirteen or Fourteen persons in the Provincial Congress had objected the Trinity, the said Rawlings asked the Deponent if he did not think it would be a good Thing if the People were to join in a Society to support their religion, who answered he thought it would, the said Rawlings then asked this deponent if he would Join in such an undertaking who replied he thought he could, the said Rawlings then asked this Deponent if such a thing was on hand, if he would not swear to keep a Secret, he replied he thought he could keep a secret, he then asked this Deponent if he would swear, who said he thought he could, the said Rawlings having a book in his pocket swore this deponent to secrecy, he then told this deponent there was such a thing in hand, that they had formed Constitutions as a Guide to go by, that there was a Man appointed to keep them, and provided I would swear to keep his name secret & all he should read or say to this deponent Secret, he would give this deponent a sign to go to him that he might know he was and that he had been qualified in order to go to him, after this deponent had been Qualified Rawlings then told him James Sherrod had the Constitution and Oath, and was called Senior Warden, the said Rawlings gave this deponent a stick with three notches in it to carry to Sherrod, who by that knew, this Deponent had been sworn twice, that when this deponent gave Sherrod the stick, he asked him what he gave it for, who said for a sign, he Sherrod said a sign of what, this deponent said a sign of a Word, he Sherrod said have you that, deponent answered I have, he Sherrod said give it to me, deponent said he would letter it with him, he said begin, deponent said B. Sherrod said E. I said I, he said R, deponent said U, Sherrod E, then Sherrod read the Constitution to this deponent, who then swore this deponent and gave him the other sign, and this deponent says that since the scheme of the Association has been discovered he wandered about from place to place and has been supplied with victuals by Josiah Harrison and further he says not.

DANIEL LEGGETT.

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THE EXAMINATION OF LEMUEL HYMAN, IN THE COUNTY COURT OF BERTIE ON THE TWELFTH DAY OF AUGUST, 1777.

The above mentioned Lemuel Hyman being brought into Court on an accusation of being concerned in a Conspiracy against the State,

Voluntarily offered to depose on oath all he knew concerning it: and being sworn, he accordingly declared that in a conversation which he had with John Garrett, of Tyrell County, wherein they spoke upon the subject of Disturbances prevailing in the Country & being willing to be informed of the nature of them the said Garrett told him if he would take on oath to "keep secret" he would inform him, that thereupon he took the said oath, and the said Garrett then told him he was to be true, and desired him to apply further to Daniel Legate; and the said Garrett then gave him a stick with three notches, and mentioned some words he was to letter with the said Legate, both which were intended as signs for the said Legate to know he had been partly informed of this affair & had taken the above oath, that he thereupon applied to the said Legate, who swore him to keep true what he was to tell him until it was to be known, that he thereupon told him he was to support Men for refusing the oath that he should be obliged to take, viz: "that the King never had, had not now, nor should have any authority or Government over the Country," or words to that effect and that he was to prevent Men's being prest or carried away from their Wives and Children." but the said Legate did not explain to him what he meant by Men's being so prest or carried away. that the said Legate told him they were to assemble Meeting (Understood by this Deponent to be a Reading) but mentioned no time or place; and he the Deponent, should know further when he saw him again; but he has never seen the said Legate since and knows no more concerning the above Transaction or anything relating thereto, than what he has above related, to the best of his Recollection & Belief.

Signed and Sworn by the above named Samuel Hyman.

LEMUEL HYMAN.

Bertie Co. August Court 1777.

Sworn to in open Court by the above mentioned Lemuel Hyman.

Test: John Johnston, C. C.

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Tyrell County,

July 15th, 1777. Arnel Holles being sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, Deposeth and Saith, that he was at a Reaping at Jonathan Davises about three weeks agoe. John Garrett took him to assist him to mend his bridle & walked with him some Distance from the House, when Mr. John Garrett told him that 14 members of the Assembly wanted to introduce the Romish religion, Garrett then asked him if he would stand up for his Religion, he said he would, Garrett then asked him if he would take an Oath, he told him he would, Garrett then swore him to secrecy, Garret then told him to go to Daniel Legate, which he accordingly did, then Legate swore

him again to be true to his Religion & Country & further this Deponent saith not.

His  
ARRNEL X HOLLES.  
Mark.

Arrnel Holles Principle bound in the sum of £100.

John Everet (son of Thomas) Security in the sum of £100 for the said Arrnel Holles to appear at the first Court of Oyer and Terminer to be held for the District of Edenton.

Sworn and acknowledged before us.

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.,  
Chas. Johnson.

James Rawlins, of Martin County, fleeing from thence to Mattimuskeet, being there apprehended on a Report that he had a hand in a Conspiracy carried on against the State of North Carolina, Depose and Saith:

That about the time of Laying the Constitution of Government (as well as he can remember) a General Muster was held at Plymouth, the Court House of said Martin County, on or about the 28th day of March last past, when John Lewelling & John Carter, Both of that County, going home in Company with the sd Rawlins (told him, one or both), that the Country was Like to become subject to popery, for which reason Lewelling sd there ware a Necessity of Indeavoring to seek relief and had thought on Means proper, and hop'd for a Blessing on the Indeavour he, the sd Lewelling, said there must be an Instrument of Writing Drawn to which people Might agree under oath and Related something of the form and some few Days after ye sd John Lewelling and his son William came to the house of sd Rawlins and the sd Jno. Lewelling further declared the form which contained much writing and also the form of an oath of Compliance-all of which John Lewelling sd to the said Deponent if he would Take the Trouble to write down he should be well satisfy'd.\* And that then his son should Coppy from the same which he also did as he the sd Wm. Lewelling Told sd Dpo. that he had wrote some for Martin, Edgecombe, Halifax and think he sd for Bartee and Teril. He also heard James Sherod say he had wrote some and likewise John Lewelling. Now after Many had come into this Society, as it was Term'd, they became known to each other by word and sign; and some time after John Lewelling told sd Deponent that if they could destroy Whitmel Hill, Colonel Williams, Thomas Hunter, Nathan Mayo, Colonel Salter and one Taylor, that then the Country would soon be settled. In Behalf of the King, this being proposed

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\*But sd Rawlins refused, but agreed in hope of a Reward to assist him.



by John Lewelling, seem'd to be approv'd off by several others, But not yet put in practice as the Dep't knows off. After this John Lewelling Told the Deponent it would be a good scheme to Git some Body to Diseffect the negroes and thought David Taylor would do it and Give out an oration of their Rising would draw the soldiers out of Halifax, whilst he and Company could seize the Governor and Magazene,\*\* but hearing the Governor was not to Come at the appointed time it was Dropt for that time, but that scheme became not public to Many, the Dept. believes, for when he objected against it John Lewelling said if he Divulg'd anything, Death was the portion to him or any one else. Another scheme was to go to General Howe. John Lewelling with the Deponent agreed if he would go with him to do for him what ever he Could to advance him as also the Deponent expected to see his father and friends, but going as far as Scotland Neck, returned Back and in a few days something of the matter Became Discovered,\*\*\* When John Lewelling persuaded the Deponent to flee and not to be taken by any means; accordingly he fled from home the 5th day of July.

It is certain none of these vile proceedings were Incerted in their writings; but very Repugnant to them, some of the Express words in their writings were those to Govern their Lives and actions By the Just Laws of Morality and by the Scriptures of old and New Testament, to which they were sworn, which caused Many to be Cald in the proceedings of Cruelty, I believe altho first proposed by John Lewelling.

JAMES RAWLINS.

Sworn before me this 10th August, 1777.

James Davis.

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#### FROM JAMES RAWLINS TO THE WORSHIPFUL JUSTICES OF NEW BERN.

Some days past, George Wainwright, from Martin County, a Great Friend to John Lewelling, was here. I expect to endeavour to hear some News by his short stay of what I had Related, and I knowing the Great Influence Capt. Lewelling has over that Neighborhood have Great Reason to fear he will make any attempts to invalidate my Testimony, and though no other person but myself could have discovered the Beginning of the Scheme, unless himself. Yet I will acquaint you of some Evidence as yet I believe unknown,

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\*\*At this time the Governor was expected at Halifax.

\*\*\*Though William Mayo had sworn something of the matter before, but all seem'd Quiet at the Time.

that may be Material. Richard Taylor, Sr., a near neighbour to Capt. Lewelling, told me in private that Lewelling had Told him if he could git but ten Men to Joyn him he would fall to work and kill them every one, speaking of Whitmel Hill and others that had threaten'd him as a Tory. This Richard Tavlör told me Long since the Scheeme was begun; also James Mayo, Captain, had threatened Mr. Lewelling. To take him up for a Tory for which Reason Mr. Lewelling Desired Peter Tyler and myself to waylay sd Mayo on the Road to kill him, but when I told him I could not be persuaded, Peter Tyler and lent him his Gun and told him Tarry till he sent him victuals, which Tyler did, but saw Mayo not. This may be prov'd by Tyler and Myself. Again a few days before I made My Escape, Mr. Lewelling said to me it would be no Damage if he were Taken to swear that a Traveling Man brought the writings to My house and that I and that Travelling man Carried the same to his house, by which Means the Beginning would not be Discovered, so that I being a poor man have Reason to fear his power and Influence over others to My hurt, as all the friends or power I have is to declare the Truth and Humbly Crave pardon for having had any hand in sd plot or Scheme, testifying whatever shall Come to my Memory I will make known about the matter.

#### JAMES RAWLINGS.

Examination of John Clifton taken in the County Court of Bertie at the Court held on the 12th day of August, 1777, present the Worshipful Thomas Pugh, David Standley and Jonathan Jacocks, Esqs., Justices of the said Court and assigned among others, to keep the peace of said County.

The said John Clifton being called before the Court, declared that some time about the middle of May last, being on his return to Anson County, which was the ordinary place of his Residence, from the County of Bertie, he had occasion to call on a certain William Tyler, of Martin County, about private business and accordingly did call at the house of said William Tyler, and did not find him at home; that he then proceeded on his Journey, but as a little further distance stopped at the house of John Staten, who was an old acquaintance of his, and whom he had seen for several years; that the said Staten accompanied him a little way on the road out of compliment and in order to show him a path he was to take to carry him to the Main Road, they then being out of it and which it was difficult to find; that before they quite reached this path, they met the above mentioned William Tyler, with whom the said John Clifton spoke aside for some time about the private business above alluded to, and it being necessary to look at some papers concerning it, the said Tyler and the said John Clifton returned to the said Tyler's house and the

said Staten with them; that being come there, after their private business had been discoursed of, the said Tyler spoke to the said John Clifton (they two being private) concerning a secret of which the said John Clifton was at that time entirely ignorant and said, that Staten would accompany him to one James Rawlins, who could inform him of it; that the said Staten, upon their return to him, told him he would go with him to Rawlins', it being late, and that there he would be in the main road, that nothing had then passed in the presence of the said Staten concerning the secret, though the said John Clifton understood from Rawlins that Staten was acquainted with it; that upon their arrival at Rawlins', the said Staten told him that Tyler had been speaking to the said John Clifton of the secret known between them and that he had as good acquaint him with it; that the said Rawlins then took the said Clifton out, carrying a book with him, and told him before he mentioned anything of it, he must take an oath of Secrecy; that the said Clifton then told Rawlins he did not like to swear before he knew what it was for; that the said Rawlins declared it was only to employ a Reader, and he then took the oath, the substance of which was "to keep secret all he had or was to communicate;" that the said Rawlins then made him acquainted with a sign which had been agreed upon by the Parties in this business and which was as follows: A person possessed of the secret was to have a stick with three notches; upon being asked what that was for, he was to answer "A sign"; upon it being enquired "What sign," he was to reply, "The sign of a secret." The enquiry being still continued in these words, "Have you that secret?" the possessor of the stick was to answer, "I have;" that the words "be true" were then to be lettered between them; that this was all which was at that time communicated to the said Clifton, and the said Rawlins told him he should know more from one Lewellin (who lived at a little distance) the next day; that accordingly the next day the said Rawlins, Staten and Clifton, went to see Lewellin, it being settled by Rawlins before they set off, that Staten and Clifton were to wait at a School-house about half a mile from Rawlins' house, while Rawlins should go and bring Lewellin to them; that the said Staten and Clifton waited at the School-house, and some time after Rawlins returned, accompanied by the said Llewellyn and his son, all three having guns (the said Rawlins having brought his gun from home with him); that the said Llewellyn brought two papers with him, one of which contained an oath, which the said Clifton was to take, the other purporting an agreement to employ a Reader, and for each Man who subscribed is to pay ten shillings a year for that purpose, one half of which to be paid at Easter, the other at Whitsuntide, and also to support King George, and he further understood (but wheth-

er from the paper or the information of the said Rawlins & Staten he does not recollect) that the Business of this Engagement was to oppose Draughts and to be ready, when they had an opportunity, to join any of the King's forces that might come to assist them; that he was also informed each Man was to be provided with half a pound of powder and two pounds of lead; and the said Llewellyn & Rawlins declared, they would shoot any Man who divulged the secret; that the purport of the above oath, to the best of his recollection, was to support the terms of the Engagement above specified; that the said Rawlins & Staten gave the above mentioned Paper to the said Clifton, and desired him to get what subscriptions he could to it and to gain over all in his power; that the said Staten then asked them how many they had engaged in that business, to which it was replied, there were not many yet, but it would grow fast; that the said Clifton soon after left them, and disapproving of their purpose, had a great desire to reveal it, but was afraid to do so on account of the oath he had taken; that he never perused the paper but once after and burnt it the next day; that he never showed it to any Person whatever, or attempted to influence any one to join in the Association; that on the twenty-third day of July, following (to the best of his recollection) he went to his Brother's, Mr. Peter Clifton, in Bertie County, and gave him information of the above circumstances, and the next day together with his Brother waited on Thomas Pugh, Esquire, one of the Justices of the said Court and made oath to the same before him.

JOHN CLIFTON.

In open Court. Test:

John Johnston, C. C.

North Carolina,

Martin County—Thomas Best being sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God, Deposeth and saith:

That John Lewelling said Nathan Mayo was a very Busy Body & he believed was put there to watch and that \* \* \* \* would get killed and that it was a general Taulk that James Mayo was to be killed because he was a man that was very peticular in atacting any that was to be the enemies to the State; and that he, the sd Best, went to James Sherrod to Borrow Money to Enable them to go to General How for John Lewelling & James Rawlings was to go and Wm. Tyler was to go if they Could stay while he had a Chance to go. But Mr. Sherrod did not help him to money for that purpose, and the Night after old Tylor was Taken they were at the Gord patch when they heard the Report of a gun at a Considerable Distance, when James Rawlings said he had a Devilish Mistrust, it was at James Mayo, for there was such a Taulk in the company as killing

him for going after them, at the same time Isaac Barbree, David Tailer, Hardy Counsell and James Rogers went from the Company towards Nathan Mayo, as he thote to try what they could spy out, and James Hais said if they were to Bid Isaac Barbree to shoot James Mayo he would do it, and further this Deponent saith not.

Given under my hand this 9th September, 1777.

THOMAS BEST.

Test: Nathan Mayo, J. P.

### HYDE COUNTY MATTAMUSKEET.

One Friday, August 1777, I understood by Report that a certain James Rawlins was one of the Heads amongst the Tories and that he was expected to pass by the settlement of Mattamuskeet, or to call there about the next day, and as I was Resolved to apprehend him if possible, and keeping a watch out for him, spired a small sail off in the Sound. I fitted out in a Boat with four men along with me, came up with said sail and found it to be the same James Rawlins with his family, upon which I apprehended him and Caried him Before a Majistrate which took the Deposition of the said James Rawlins, August 6, 1777.

ABRAM JONES.

Sworn to before me Aug. 9, 1777.

James Davis,

No. Carolina,

Pitt County—William May, Juner, says on oath, that on or about the 20th and last of May past, a certain William Tylor, of Martin County, did propose on oath to sd May and that he would on takeing the oath, he, the sd Tylor, wood inform him something of importance as a Secret that after he, sd May, had taken the oath the sd Tylor inform'd That he shood stand Ready to keep out popish Religion, if we Could and that the said Tylor did alow that Gentlemen was trying to Bring in popish Religion and that if there was a draft to unite & stand together & Not Turn out nor go in Croop time; and that the sd Tylor said he Thought themselves sofishtantly strong to Take any man away that shood be drafted and to oppose any power that shood ofeer the State oath, and those that was sworn in was to Join and stand by each other if the State oath shood be offerd and that if any one was Confined or Imprisoned that the oathers was to Return them.

Sorn Before Me June 19th, 1777.

Robt. Salter, J. P.

No. Carolina,

Martin County—William Wallace being sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, Deposeth and says:

The Night on or about ye 20th of June past, when a body of men met a certain place caled the goard patch in order to take William May out of the custody of Wm. Robinson & Mr. Salter, of Pitt County, by force of Arms if they could not get him sd Mayo without, John Lewelling told sd Wallace as soon as they got a Little stronger they would Confine some of the great men. The next time the sd Lewelling Came to sd Wallace He told him old Tylor was taken with all the papers in his pocket, the said Wallace asked what he would do about it; sd Lewelling answered, we must Try and git them if we can; sd Wallace answered, what if we can't git them; the sd Lewelling said if we can't git them without we must kill some of them.

And further sd Wallace saith it was ordered to git half a pound of powder & two pounds of Led accordingly. There was a quantity of powder brought to the goard patch for that purpose by one Molon Davidson, which he, sd Wallace, saith he understood sd Davidson got from one Sutherland, in Tarborough, and further This Deponent saith not.

Given under my hand this 8th day of September, 1777.

WILLIAM WALLACE.

Test: Nathan Mayo, J. P.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## BONNER FAMILY OF BEAUFORT CO., N. C.

(CONTINUED).

Issue of Joseph Bonner Bryan and 1st wife Ann Bryan *nee* Bonner; 1. William Trippe Bryan born Dec. 9, 1858 md. Sallie Crawford; (2), Jessie Bryan born Apl. 24, 1854, died Nov. 5, 1868; (3) Clarissa Bonner Bryan born Mar. 3, 1856, md Burney Piver Dec. 27, 1881, died Jan. 6, 1898; (4) Delzell Crawford Bryan, born Feb. 28, 1861, md. 1st Nov. 15, 1883, Eugene W. Guilford, 2nd Wiley Grist; (5) Charles Crawford Bryan born Oct. 13, 1864, md. Nov. 12, 1890, Mary Carter Bonner, died Oct. 6, 1896. Issue by the 2nd marriage of Joseph Bonner Bryan to Clarissa G. I. Bonner; (6) Sidnie Bonner Bryan born Nov. 5, 1870, died Sept. 25, 1878; (7) Joseph Garrett Bryan born Nov. 8, 1881, died July 27, 1883.

Issue of Charles Cushing Bonner and wife Caroline Gray; Caroline Gray Bonner born Dec. 15, 1851, md Oct. 1, 1872, Alfred Jackson Ellington (P. O. Reidsville, N. C.). Issue (a) Katharine Amanda Bonner Ellington; (b) Jennie Howell Ellington, (c) Richard lAlexander Ellington born Oct. 20, 1882; (d) Mary Bon-

ner Ellington died young; (e) Mary Gray Ellington, died young; (f) Alfred Jackson Ellington, died young.

Issue of Dr. William Vines Bonner and wife Cora *nee* Farrow, (P. O. Lake Landing, N. C.). (1) Sally Ann Crawford Bonner, born May 12, 1866, died June 9, 1866; (2) Eugene Preston Bonner, born May 14, 1868, died Sept. 11, 1870; (3) Emma Farrow Bonner, born Jan. 27, 1871, md. Mar. 18, 1895; (4) Mary Carter Bonner born Feb. 10, 1873, md. 1st Nov. 12, 1890, Charles Crawford Bryan, 2nd Apl., 1901, W. H. Guilford; (5) Thomas Pasteur Bonner born June 19, 1875, md. Oct. 19, 1898, Eula Hooker; (6) Elizabeth Reade Bonner, born June 23, 1877, died Aug. 15, 1877.

Julian S. Mann and wife Emma Farrow *nee* Bonner have several children.

Issue of Charles Crawford Bryan and wife Mary Carter *nee* Bonner; (1) Cora Vines Bryan, born March 5, 1894; (2) Kathleen Dellzell, Dec. 11, 1897.

Issue of Thomas Pasteur Bonner and wife Eula *nee* Hooker; (1) William Crawford Bonner born 1900.

Issue of William Trippe Bryan and wife Sallie *nee* Crawford; (1) William Trippe Bryan, Jr., born Sept. 30, 1892.

Issue of Burney Piver and wife Clarissa Bonner Bryan; (1) William Bryan Piver born Nov. 1882; (2) Angelo B. Piver born Sept., 1884.

Issue of Eugene W. Guilford and wife Dellzell Crawford *nee* Bryan; (1) Garrett Bryan Guilford born Sept. 15, 1884, died Sept. 8, 1885; (2) Theodore Eugene Guilford born March 21, 1886.

Issue of Dr. Thomas Pasteur Bonner and wife Emily *nee* Crawford; (1) William Shaw Bonner born May 23, 1876, md. Lena Brooks, June 28, 1895; (2) Clarence C. Bonner, born March 2, 1881.

Children of Joseph Young Bonner and wife Nancy Olivia *nee* Eborn, (P. O. Bath, N. C.); Miriam Young Bonner, born Oct. 28, 1867, md Dec., 1886, John F. Harding; (2) Sallie A. Bonner born Jan. 28, 1870, md. James W. Smith; (3) John Robert Bonner born Jan. 7, 1875; (4) John Eborn Bonner born May 17, 1881.

Issue of Dr. John F. Tompkins and wife Caroline Crawford *nee* Bonner; (1) Sallie Tompkins born Feb. 29, 1848, md. Bennett Flanner Mayhew; (2) William Lee Kennaday Tompkins born Apl. 3, 1850; died Oct. 15, 1853; (3) Rosa Spruill Tompkins born Nov. 3, 1852, md. Marion Grubbs died Feb'y 20, 1886. Bennet Flanner Mayhew and wife Sallie Tompkins had one child. Issue of Marion Grubbs and wife Rosa Spruill Tompkins; (1) Caroline Tompkins Grubbs born May 20, 1870, died May 20, 1870; (2) John Tompkins Grubbs born Jan. 28, 1872, died Feb. 21, 1872; (3) Rosa Marion Grubbs born March 30, 1874, md. Dr. Lester Linwood Schwarb; (4)

Mary Carolyn Tompkins born Dec. 1, 1876; (5) Sallie Tompkins Grubbs born Apl. 11, 1879, died Jan. 7, 1889; (6) William Bennet Mayhew Grubbs born May 3, 1881, died Oct. 6, 1890.

Children of Carney John Bryan and wife Elizabeth Bryan *nee* Bonner; (1) Fannie Havens Bryan born Nov. 5, 1871; (2) Charles Bonner Bryan born June 7, 1874, died June 7, 1891; (3) Franklin Havens Bryan born Jan. 25, 1876; (4) Carney John Bryan born July 17, 1879.

Children of Dr. John Bryan Bonner, Jr., and wife Fannie Montague *nee* Hooker; (1) Dr. Henry Montague Bonner born Oct. 19, 1875 md. Jan. 5, 1898, Blanche Hoell; (2) Charles William Bonner born May 15, 1878; (3) Sallie Alston Bonner born Feb'y 21, 1877; (4) Caroline Pasteur Bonner born June 24, 1879; (5) Miriam Young Bonner born June 17, 1881; (6) Margaret Brown Bonner born Aug 6, 1883; (7) Young John Bonner born March 29, 1885; (8) Helen Hooker Bonner born Aug. 27, 1887; (9) Alexander Montague Bonner born Aug. 21, 1889; (10) O. Blanchard Bonner born Nov. 29, 1891; (11) Fannie Bonner born Jan. 31, 1894.

Children of J. R. Best and wife Miriam Young *nee* Bonner; (1) Herschel Best born Aug. 2, 1872, died Aug. 6, 1876; (2) Mary Young Best md. R. L. Bonner on Apl. 23, 1895; (3) Carrie Best —, died Feb'y 6, 1876.

Children of Edward Pasteur Bonner and wife Annie J. *nee* Frizzell; (1) Dora Frizzell Bonner born Aug. 11, 1897; (2) Caroline P. Bonner born Aug. 9, 1899.

Issue of Leon D. Bonner and wife Ella *nee* Bonner; (1) Leon Decastro Bonner born May 11, 1886; (2) Hulan Ray Bonner born Jan. 23, 1892; (3) John Bryan Bonner, born Sept. 30, 1894; (4) Zelda Ione Bonner born Dec. 7, 1896.

Issue of Walter Montague Hooker and wife Virginia *nee* Bonner. (1) Roscoe A. Hooker born Sept. 14, 1884; (2) Charles William Bonner Hooker born March 21, 1887, died June 21, 1888; (3) Ella Bonner Hooker, born Dec. 2, 1888; (4) Walter Montague Hooker born Oct. 1, 1890; (5) Virginia Bonner Hooker, born July 12, 1892; (6) John Oglesby Hooker born Feb. 6, 1894, died Oct. 19, 1894.

Issue of John Young Bonner, Jr., and wife Cornelia *nee* Hooker; (1) John Lillian Young Bonner born May 12, 1875 died Sept. 1, 1875.

Issue of Charles William Bonner and 1st wife Josephine Bonaparte *nee* Dupree; (1) David Dupree Bonner, born March 18, 1874; (2) Mary Elizabeth Bonner, born Oct. 2, 1876. By 2nd marriage to David A. *nee* Styron; (3) Charles Deems Bonner born Jan. 26, 1885, died Sept. 13, 1885; (4) Gilbert Bonner, born Oct. 6, 1886; (5) Earle Bonner, born Dec. 7, 1887; (6) Saraphine Bonner, born



June 6, 1887; (7) Vance Bonner born Aug. 14, 1890; (8) Martin Bonner, born Aug. 12, 1892; (9) Gladys Bonner, born Oct. 3, 1894; (10) Ganelle Bonner, born Oct. 1, 1896; (11) Audrey Bonner, born April 13, 1900.

Issue of David Dill Dupree and wife Sarah Elizabeth, *nee* Bonner; (1) David Dill Dupree, born Oct. 11, 1877, died July 6, 1878; (2) Heber Elliott Dupree, born March 5, 1897; (3) Jesse Robason Dupree born April 16, 1880, died Jan. 27, 1882; (4) Gustavus Dupree born Jan. 27, 1882; (5) Mineola Dupree born July 21, 1883, died May 19, 1884; (6) Vena Inez Dupree born Jan. 5, 1886; (7) Verena Virdell Dupree born Nov. 12, 1887; (8) Zeno Delaney Dupree born April 11, 1889, died June 21, 1889.

Issue of Robert Trippe Bonner and wife Rebecca *nee* Trippe; (1) Kemp Plummer Battle Bonner born Aug. 9, 1882; (2) Araminta Bonner born July 20, 1884; (3) Lottie Hale Bonner born April 21, 1889; (4) Mary Elizabeth Bonner born Feb'y 26, 1894; (5) Rebecca Grace Bonner born May 23, 1896.

Issue of Thurston Wilcoxon Bonner and wife Blanche *nee* Ernul; (1) Blanche Elizabeth Bonner born Jan. 15, 1888; (2) William Wiley Bonner born Oct. 27, 1889; (3) Thurston Wilcoxon Bonner born Dec. 7, 1891; (4) Thomas Campen Bonner, Nov. 27, 1893, died Jan. 3, 1894; (5) Robert Tripp Bonner born Nov. 27, 1893, died Dec. 23, 1893; (6) Winnefred Ella Bonner, born Jan. 21, 1895; (7) Cecilia Cassandra Bonner, born March 17, 1897; (8) Charles Wilbur Bonner born May 7, 1899.

Issue of Benjamin H. Thompson and wife Sallie Tripp *nee* Bonner; (1) Bryan Bonner Thompson born Feb. 9, 1895 md. Oct., 1896, Mattie E. Roberts; (2) Henry Ham Thompson born Sept. 29, 1876 md Minnie O. Hudnell Oct. 26, 1898; (3) Sallie Blanche Thompson born Sept. 8, 1879, died June 18, 1880; (4) Joseph Eugene Thompson born Jan'y 22, 1881, died July 30, 1881; (5) Benjamin A. Thompson born July 26, 1882, died Sept. 10, 1883; (6) Robert Haywood Thompson born Aug. 12, 1884; (7) Hardy Lee Thompson born Aug. 24, 1887; (8) Sallie Bonner Thompson born Nov. 10, 1889, died Feb. 18, 1890; (9) Willie Roberta Thompson born June 8, 1891, died June 29, 1891; (10) Redding A. Thompson born Feb. 25, 1893; (11) Lola Thompson born Dec. 25, 1895.

Issue of George A. Litchfield and wife Ann Bryan *nee* Bonner; (1) Maude Litchfield born Jan. 3, 1879; (2) Georgia S. Litchfield born March 20, 1880; (3) Sophia Mehetable Litchfield born Oct. 16, 1882, died July 16, 1886; (4) Sallie Bonner Litchfield born Feb'y 26, 1885, died July 9, 1886; (5) Henry Bonner Litchfield born March 11, 1887; (6) Annie Mabel Litchfield born Jan. 7, 1889; (7) George Israel Watson Litchfield born Oct. 1, 1891.

Issue of L. C. Litchfield and wife Susan Lane *nee* Bonner; (1) Lewis Guy Litchfield born Nov. 20, 1880; (2) Samuel J. Litchfield born Dec. 11, 1882; (3) Grover R. Litchfield born March 16, 1887; Lula Clarissa Litchfield born Oct. 5, 1889.

Issue of George Irving Bonner and wife Cora May *nee* Ross; (1) Rupert Bonner born Oct. 24, 1885; (2) Thomas Mayhew Bonner born Dec. 24, 1887; (3) Bryan Trippe Bonner born June 22, 1890, died Sept. 9, 1890; (4) George Irving Bonner born Nov. 10, 1891; (5) Minnie Bonner born July 6, 1893; (6) Algernon Bonner born July 6, 1893, died May 10, 1895; (7) Garnet Kathleen Bonner born May 9, 1895.

Issue of Redden Lewis Myers Bonner and wife Lida Catharine *nee* Roberts; (1) Clarissa Ellen Bonner born Jan., 1901.

Issue of Thomas C. Butt and wife Mary *nee* Bonner; (1) Waldo Butt; (2) Elwood Butt; (3) Henry Bonner Butt; (4) Sarah Butt.

Issue of L. T. Thompson and wife Ida *nee* Bonner; (1) Ralph Small Thompson born Feb. 29, 1892.

Issue of W. H. Hall and wife Caroline Pasteur *nee* Bonner; (1) Annie Montague Hall born Aug. 6, 1899; (2) William Bonner Hall born May 13, 1901.

Issue of Dr. Henry Montague Bonner and wife Blanche *nee* Hoell; (1) John Bryan Havens Bonner, born June 15, 1900.

Issue of Andrew Fuller Sams and wife Miriam Young; (1) Andrew Fuller Sams, Jr.

Issue of Richard Lee Bonner and wife Mary Young *nee* Best (1) Miriam Young Bonner born Sept. 22, 1896; (2) Richard Lee Bonner, Jr., born Aug. 14, 1898.

Issue of Bryan Bonner Thompson and wife Mattie E. *nee* Roberts; (1) Charlie Benjamin Thompson born Aug., 1897; (2) Myers Bonner Thompson born July 25, 1899.

Issue of Henry Ham Thompson and wife Minnie O. *nee* Hudnell; (1) Bryan Lee Thompson born Nov. 12, 1899.

Issue of James Bonner Marsh and wife ——— *nee* Bowen, (1) Annie Marsh md. Rev. John S. Long; (2) William T. Marsh, Capt. C. S. Army; (3) Edward Stanley Marsh, Major in C. S. A., md 1st Jan. 23, 1866 Bettie B. Eborn; 2nd, Elizabeth Bonner.

Issue of Rev. John S. Long and wife Annie *nee* Marsh; (1) Minnie Long md Stringum Willett; (2) Nellie Long md. Frank Yost; (3) James Long; (4) John Long.

Issue of Frank Yost and wife Nellie *nee* Long; (1) John Yost; (2) Nellie Yost.

Issue of William T. Marsh and wife ——— *nee* Oden.

Issue of Stringum Willett and wife Minnie *nee* Long; (1) Ethel Willett.

Issue of Edward Stanley Marsh and wife Elizabeth Bonner *nee* Eborn; (1) Edward Stanley Marsh, Jr., born Jan'y 23, 1869, md. Nov., 1893, Martha Wilkinson; (2) W. T. Marsh; (3) Anne Marsh md. Benj. F. Stearn; (4) Jane Selby Marsh md. A. D. Miles; (5) Cora Eborn Marsh, Edward Stanley Marsh and wife Martha *nee* Wilkinson have issue; (1) Elsie Earl Marsh; (2) Samuel Eborn Marsh; Benj. F. Stearn and wife Annie *nee* Marsh have issue; (1) Harold Stearn; (2) Helen Stearn. A. D. Miles and wife Jane Selby *nee* Marsh, have issue; (1) Roger Addison Miles; (2) Daniel Marsh Miles.

Issue of Caleb Foreman Clarke and wife Frances Selby *nee* Clarke, (1) Mary Ann Clarke md. 1875, A. W. Styron; (2) John Donnell Clarke born 1858, md. Sarah Dunn; (3) Lawrence Clarke, C. S. Army, born Dec. 9, 1844, died Jan. 25, 1900; (4) Catharine Clarke; (5) Margaret C. Clarke md. Dec., 1879, Hugh Lovick. Issue of A. W. Styron and wife Mary Ann; (1) Margaret Daniel Styron md. Rob't Handy; (2) Sydney Styron; (3) Frances Styron; (4) Alpheus Styron; (5) Mary Styron; (6) Hugh Lovick Styron; (7) William Styron; (8) James Shepherd Styron.

John Clarke and wife Sarah *nee* Dunn have one child.

Issue of Joseph Bonner Clarke and wife Elizabeth *nee* Gibbs; (1) Walter Clarke born Feb'y 15, 1840, Member of Capt. Carmer's Co., Jeff Davis Rifles C. S. A., md. June, 1866, Augusta Simmons; (2) James Foreman Clarke born Nov. 6, 1841, md. Elenor Wilson.

Issue of Walter Clarke and wife Augusta *nee* Simmons; (1) Jas. Brantly Clarke born 1867, md. Katherine S. Way; (2) Ernest Clarke md. Lula Latham; (3) Caroline Clark; (4) Herman Clark; (5) Pinkney Clarke; (6) Benjamin Clarke md. Lee Robison; (7) William Clarke; (8) Charlie Bonner Clarke, died 1900.

Issue of James Foreman Clarke and wife Eleanor *nee* Wilson; (1) Estelle Clarke md. Robert Layton Way.

Issue of Lewis Clarke and wife ———; (1) Sylvester Clarke; (2) Eugene Clarke; (3) Samuel Clarke; (4) Joseph Clarke; (5) Franklin Clarke md. 1st Mary Ellis, 2nd Ida Eborn; (6) Jefferson Clarke; (7) Jane Selby Clarke md. William Lavender.

Issue of William Lavender and wife Jane Selby *nee* Clarke; (1) Elizabeth Beckton Lavender; (2) Benjamin Avery Lavender; (3) DeWitt Lavender; (4) Margaret Lavendar.

Franklin Clarke has two children.

Issue of Milton Selby and wife Jane E. *nee* Clark; (1) Samuel Selby born Feb'y 15, 1847. A Lieutenant in the C. S. Army, died Jan'y 8, 1865, in a hospital at Goldsboro, N. C.

Issue of John G. R. Blount and wife Polly Ann *nee* Clarke; (1) Reading Blount born 1838, md. Mary A. Windley Nov. 4, 1866, dead;

(2) Lucy Harvey Blount; (3) Samuel Clarke Blount; (4) Rebecca Ann Blount.

Issue of Sam. C. Eborn and wife Polly Ann *nee* Clarke, widow of J. G. R. Blount; (1) Elizabeth Bonner Eborn b. Aug. 13, 1864, md. Jan'y 23, 1866, E. S. Marsh; (2) Cora Eborn died young; (3) Mary Jane Eborn died young; (4) Florence Eborn died young.

Issue of Reading Blount and Mary Augusta *nee* Windley; (1) Reading Blount; (2) Milton Selby Blount; (3) David Windley Blount; (4) Caroline Blount; (5) Albert Blount; (6) Lucy Blount; (7) Thaddeus Blount; (8) Eva Blount born Dec. 26, 1868, md. 1887, Harvey R. Way.

Issue of Harvey R. Way and wife Eva *nee* Blount; (1) Mary Alice Way; (2) David Carlisle Way; (3) Katharine Blount Way; (4) Florence Elizabeth Way.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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At a General Biennial Assembly held at the House of Captain Richard Sanderson at Little River, begun the 17th Day of November, 1715, and Continued by Several Adjournments until the 19th Day of January, 1716.

The following Acts were passed:

Chap. I. An Act concerning **Marriages**.

Chap. II. An Act concerning Trespassing Rights.

Chap. III. An Act concerning Defraying the Charges of the Governor and Council.

Chap. IV. An Act Prohibiting Strangers Trading with Indians.

Chap. V. An Act for the Speedy Settlement of Lands.

Chap. VI. An Act Exempting New Comers from Levies for one year.

Chap. VII. An Act Relating to the Lord's Day, Jan'y 30th, May 29th and Sept. 22d.

Chap. VIII. An Act for Establishing the Church, &c.

Chap. IX. An Act for Liberty of Conscience.

Chap. X. An Act Relating to the Assemblies.

Chap. XI. Coroners Appointed.

Chap. XII. An Act for Qualification Public Officers.

Chap. XIII. An Act to Appoint Constables.

Chap. XIV. An Act Relating to the Justices of the Courts.

Chap. XV. An Act Relating to Execution & Return of Writs.

Chap. XVI, will be found in this number.

Chap. XVII. An Act Concerning Evidences.

Chap. XVIII. An Act for Relief of Creditors.

Chap. XIX. An Act Concerning Escapes of Persons under Execution.

## THE ERECTION OF BERTIE PRECINCT.

"An Act, appointing that part of Albemarle County lying on the West Side of Chowan River to be a Precinct, by the Name of Bertie Precinct, October A. D. 1722.

I. Whereas the Part of Albemarle County lying on the West side of Chowan River, being Part of Chowan Precinct, is now inhabited almost to the utmost of the said County Westward, and by Reason of the remote situation thereof, the Inhabitants, which are growing very numerous, cannot, without too great inconveniency, be continued any longer as Part of Chowan Precinct, Wherefore

II. Be it Enacted, by his Excellency the Palatine, and the rest of the true and absolute Lords Proprietors of the Province of Carolina, by and with the Advice and Consent of the rest of the Members of the General Assembly, now met at Edenton at Queen Anne's Creek, in Chowan Precinct, for the North East part of the said Province, and it is hereby Enacted, by the Authority of the same. That that part of Albemarle County lying on the West side of Chowan river, being part of Chowan Precinct, bounded to the Northward by the Line dividing this Government from Virginia, and to the Southward by Albemarle Sound and Morattuck (Roanoke) River, as far up as Welch's Creek, and then including both Sides of the said River, and the Branches thereof, as far as the limits of this Government, be, and the Same is hereby declared to be erected into a Precinct, by the Name of Bertie Precinct, in Albemarle County; with all and every the Rights and Privileges, and other Benefits and Advantages whatsoever, as any other of the Four Precincts in Albemarle County can or may have use or enjoy.

III. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, that the Election for Representatives for the said Precinct, shall always be at the Court House for the said Precinct, or at such Place as shall be appointed for building the said Court House on."

Edgecombe County was formed from Bertie County by the Assembly held at Edenton April 4th, 1741. Its boundaries were as follows: "Beginning on Roanoke River, at Jenkin Henry's upper Corner Tree, from thence a straight Course to the Mouth of Cheek's Mill Creek, on Tar River; and from the South Side of the said River, opposite to the said Creek, a straight Line unto the Middle Grounds, between Tar and Neus Rivers; which shall be the dividing Line between Beaufort and Edgecombe, and Craven Counties; and from thence, up as nigh as may be, keeping the Middle between the said two Rivers, which shall be the dividing Line between the Counties of Craven and Edgecombe, and Beaufort. And the County Courts of Craven and Edgecombe, are hereby empowered, each of them

for their respective Counties to appoint Two Commissioners to run out the Bounds or dividing Line between Craven and Edgecombe; which Line so run out as above said, and marked, shall be the dividing Line between the said Counties.

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### BERTIE COURT HOUSE, &C.

An Act for erecting a Court House, Prison & Stocks, in Bertie County, and for laying a Tax upon the Inhabitants of the said County for defraying the charge thereof.

I. Whereas great Disputes have arisen in the County of Bertie, concerning the Place whereon the Court House, Prison and Stocks, should be erected in said County; by Reason whereof, they have not hitherto been built; Therefore, to ascertain the Place whereon the same shall be built, and to prevent Delays for the future,

II. We pray that it may be Enacted and be it Enacted, &c., That the Court House, Prison and Stocks of Bertie County shall be built between Cushy Bridge and Wills Quarter Bridge, in the said County and that all Courts shall be there held for the said County, after the same shall be built; any law, Usage or Order of Court, to the contrary, notwithstanding.

III. And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the Justices of the said County, or Majority of them, are hereby impowered and required at the next Court that shall be held for the said County, after the passing of this Act, to purchase of the Owner, One Acre of Land, in Fee Simple, between the said Bridges, for the use of the Public, where on to build the said Court House, Prison and Stocks; and shall also contract with or impower other Persons, as they shall think proper, to contract with and employ Workmen, for building and erecting the same thereon.

IV. And for defraying the Expences thereof, Bt it further Enacted, &c., That the said Justices, or a Majority of them, are hereby impowered and required, to lay a Tax on the Inhabitants of the said County, not exceeding Two Shillings and Six Pence, Proclamation Money, for One Year, per Tithable, for the Purposes aforesaid.

V. That the Sheriff of the said County of Bertie, shall, and he is hereby required, to collect the aforesaid Tax, at the Time, and in the Manner that the Public Taxes are by Law to be collected, and pay the same to the Justices of the said Court, to be by them applied to paying the Workmen for building the said Court House, Prison and Stocks; and also, to pay the Consideration Money for One Acre of Land, hereinbefore directed to be by them, the said Justices, purchased.

VI. That all and every Contract or Contracts heretofore made, by virtue of any Order of the Justices of the Court of Bertie, concerning the Erecting a Court House, Prison, and Stocks, at or near Stony Creek, is and are hereby annulled and made void; and all Persons concerned therein, shall and are hereby discharged from performing the same, or any part thereof.

VII. Provided nevertheless, That if any Person, by Virtue of any Agreement with the said Justices heretofore made, hath collected any Materials, or done any work towards the building of a Court House, Prison, and Stocks, at or near Stony Creek, the said Materials or Work so done, shall be valued by Two Freeholders of the said County, one to be chosen by the said Justices, and the other by the Party collecting such Materials, or doing such work; and the Money such Materials or Work shall be valued at, shall be paid, out of the Tax to be raised by virtue of this Act.

VIII. That in Case any Money has been collected by the Sheriff of the said County, from any Person or Persons, in Consequence of any Order of Court heretofore made, the same shall be paid, by the Sheriff who collected the same, to the Justices of Bertie County aforesaid, for and towards defraying the expense of building the said Court House, Prison and Stocks; and any Person or Persons who has already paid any Money to the Sheriff, in Consequence of any Order of Court, made as aforesaid, shall be allowed the same, in Discount of any Tax he shall be liable to by virtue of this Act; anything herein contained to the contrary, notwithstanding. Signed by

GABRIEL JOHNSTON, Esq., Governor,  
NATHANIEL RICE, President,  
SAMUEL SWANN, Speaker.

This act was passed by the Assembly held at Edenton, the 2d April, 1743.

# MARRIAGE BONDS OF CHOWAN COUNTY.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

1861.

Amiss, Rev. Jos. H. and Joyce E. R. Hathaway. Jan. 30. W. E. Pell, Jr. Married by Rev. L. M. Lee, D. D.

Allen, Rev. Wm. E. and Pattie L. Gregory. April 17. Wm. G. Hancock.

Ashley, Thomas and Mary Ann Stephenson. Dec. 20. Jas. Munds.

Byrum, George and Peninah Jones. May 15. Humphrey Byrum.

Berryman, John and Cristian White. Feb. 1. Valentine Winslow.

Briggs, Andrew and Elizabeth Belch. Oct. 12. P. F. White.

Forehand, Calvin and Lydia Copeland. Jan. 23. J. G. Copeland.

Goodwin, Benj. F. and Sarah J. Small. Jan. 9. Jno. D. Parish.

Harrell, Elisha and Martha Ann Bass. Jan. 9. Wm. F. Boyce.

Halsey, Baker and Penelope Harris. Aug. 8. Rich'd Woodward.

Jones, Henderson and Sarah P. Morris. April 17. Jos. S. Leary.

Jones, John and Harriet Chappell. Feb. 5. Elsberry Lane.

Jordan, James and Charity Byrum. March 26. Jacob Jordan.

Kennedy, James and Eliza Etheridge. April 25. Asa Hasket.

Manning, Wm. P. and Elizabeth Miller. May 30. John Bond.

Privott, John M. and Susan C. Bunch. Oct. 1. Geo. F. Byrum.

Perry, John and Emma L. Evans. Jan. 8. James E. Evans.

Starnes, John and Leah Miller. June 6. Thos. Gregory.

Simons, Jonathan and Martha Harvey. Sept. 16. A. H. Bond.

Thomas, Dr. Columbus A. and Mary M. McDowell. Dec. 14.

Woodley, Anderson and Henrietta White. Aug. 19. W. White.

Ward, Jacob D. and Sally Hendricks. April 20. Stephen Smith.

1862.

Ashley, Perry and Sarah Roberts. Jan. 1. Wm. H. Leary.

Ashley, Meadith and Miley F. Ashley. Aug. 20. B. Ashley.

Byrum, Wm. J. and Martha Bunch. Feb. 5. Isaiah Dail.

Bagley, Erastus and Frances Hurdle. Nov. 18. J. Hollowell.

Blount, Edmund C. and Mrs. Mary Whedbee (widow of Thomas),  
Dec. 30. Jas. Norcom.

Dail, Isaiah and Miley Byrum. Jan. 28. Zachariah Bryce.

Elliott, Ephraim B. and Mrs. Agnes Cheshire (widow of Alex.,  
Sr.). Sept. 15. Jas. Skinner.

Forehand, William T. and Elizabeth Twine. Aug. 8.

Hughes, Myles H. and Nancy Skinner. Nov. 27. Jos. Moran.



Jones, Wm. P. and Sarah C. Trotman. Jan. 1. Edw'd Pearce.  
 Leary, Thos. J. and Mary Bunch. Dec. 24. P. F. White.  
 Lassiter, Wm. and Christian Sewell. April 30. W. D. Welch.  
 Leary, Wm. H. and Mary E. Cochrane. Jan. 6. S. S. Leary.  
 Pratt, Thomas and Mary Eliza Harrell. Feb. 14. P. M. Warren.  
 Pearce, John C. and Miley Hobbs. Aug. 18. Wm. R. Skinner.  
 Savage, John R. and Mary J. Bunch. Jan. 7. Jno. Churchill.  
 Sharpe, Starkey and Jane McB. Simpson. Oct. 12.  
 Saunders, Stephen and Catharine Fleetwood. May 4.  
 Winborne, Dr. Rob't H. and Annie F. Parker. April 10.  
 White, William and Mary Kirby. Nov. 12. Jno. L. Bratten.

1863.

Asbell, Cornelius and Martha Belch. Dec. 15. Reuben Miller.  
 Bryce, Josephus and Elizabeth Byrum. Feb. 23. E. Forehand.  
 Bunch, Josiah and Elizabeth Walton. Feb. 24. Perry Bunch.  
 Baker, Jas. F. and Rosetta Ward. June. 22. W. D. Welch.  
 Bunch, Thomas and Alpheus Bass. Sept. 30.  
 Bond, Henry A. and Ann E. McDowell. Nov. 21. W. E. Bond.  
 Chappell, Thos and Ann Copeland. Aug. 22. Elihu Copeland.  
 Elliott, William and Augusta A. Harrell. Feb. 25. J. Newman.  
 Elliott, Myles W. and Caroline Simpson. Aug. 28. W. D. Welch.  
 Goodwin, Wm. H. and Margaret Ann Bunch. March 16.  
 Harrell, Harvey and Matilda Taylor. Sept. 29. Edward F. Waff.  
 Haughton, John P. and Constance Williford. Oct. 6. J. E. Pratt.  
 Hobbs, Jeremiah and Martha Ann Ward. Oct. 19. T. M. Hobbs.  
 Hassell, William W. and Mary Jane Hobbs. Oct. 28. J. Moran.  
 Leary, Quinton T. and Sarah E. Skinner. April 1.  
 Moore, William and Elizabeth Jane Blanchard. July 29.  
 Mitchell, Jeremiah and Harriet Ann Morgan. Feb. 24.  
 Parish, George W. and Eliz. M. Jones. Sept. 13. T. C. Badham.  
 Parish, Wm. H. and Martha Ann Backus. Oct. 24. G. W. White.  
 Piercy, Edward and Deborah Evans. Dec. 16. Wm. H. Bonner.  
 Riddick, Job and Mandonia Small. June 16. Jeremiah Evans.  
 Robinson, Chas. E. and Mrs. Miriam Floyd. Nov. 7.  
 Spivey, Wm., and Sarah Hurdle. March 6. Martin L. Brinkley.  
 Skinner, Geo. W. and Penelope R. Clayton. Dec. 17.  
 Whedbee, Geo. W. and Mollie L. Blount. Aug. 11. H. Gregory.  
 Whitaker, Wm. and H. A. Bailey. Jan. 12. J. H. Manning.  
 Waff, Edward F. and Mary E. Jordan. Feb. 19. Jos. Moran.

1864.

Atlee, Jacob S. and Sallie A. Smith. June 30. L. C. Benbury.  
 Bush, Jas. P. and Telulah T. Skinner. May 24. W. H. Robinson.  
 Bass, Peyton and Mary E. Parish. Aug. 29. James Bass.  
 Bond, Hosea and Ellen Parrish. Dec. 6. W. R. Leary.

Darden, Alfred M. and M. E. Holly. Aug. 6. W. E. Bond.  
 Dail, Joseph and Margaret Wright. March 11. John S. Leary.  
 Elliott, John and Martha Floyd. Dec. 21. John H. Hall.  
 Francis, Charles E. and Martha P. Walker. April 17.  
 Fletcher, Joshua C. and Maggie G. Bland. March 24.  
 Griffin, Geo. B. and Harriet E. Bryce. July 6. J. D. Boyce.  
 Hayes, Richard and Anne E. Brinkley. May 14. Thos. Evans.  
 Harris, Henry and Sarah Bass. Aug. 4. Wm. Byrum.  
 Hollowell, Allen and Christian Ann Perry. Aug. 22.  
 Harris, Thomas M. and Alethea Alexander. Nov. 4.  
 Harris, William and Penelope Speight. Dec. 17. R. B. Perkins.  
 Lassiter, James H. and Athey Jane Eure. July 8. R. Winslow.  
 Long, Samuel and Anna Maria Parker. June 8. W. L. Elliott.  
 Leary, West R. and Annie M. Weston. Jan. 26. S. S. Leary.  
 Parish, John D. and Virginia C. Byrum. Sept. 1. J. T. Coffield.  
 Smith, William and Elizabeth Bass. Jan. 2. Wm. Byrum.  
 Twine, Alfred N. and Mary Eliz. Forehand. June 16. E. Twine.  
 Twine, Elbert and Emily Ann Bunch. Nov. 29.  
 White, George W. and Mary Frances Elliott. May 9. W. W. Rea.

1865.

Alexander, Harmon and Frances Bateman. Dec. 14.  
 Bratton, James H. and Martha Standin. Dec. 21. C. M. Murden.  
 Byrum, James and Harriet Bunch. June 10. Henry Evans.  
 Bunch, R. D. and Elizabeth Halsey. June 30. Joel H. White.  
 Byrum, Jacob and Lydia Bunch. Feb. 8. Edwin Byrum.  
 Bunch, Micajah and Emily Parker. Feb. 7. Thos. Smith.  
 Chappell, Caleb and Mary Ann Lane. Nov. 14. J. S. Chappell.  
 Dail, William and Nancy Goodwin. Feb. 14. Isaiah Dail.  
 Davenport, William and Florence Cheshire. Feb. 14.  
 Gaskins, Wm. T. and Alice S. Webb. Aug. 25.  
 Goodwin, John M. and Henrietta P. Small. Jan. 17.  
 Green, James G. and Cornelia F. Bond. Jan. 19. J. W. Sands.  
 Lee, Frank and Sally S. Bond. July 12. F. W. Bond.  
 Lawrence, Nathan M. and Sally A. Hoskins. Aug. 1.  
 Morris, James L. and Mrs. Elizabeth Clayton. Dec. 19.  
 Ownly, Wm. D. and Mary P. Walker. Nov. 21.  
 Parish, Joseph and Harriet Bogue. Dec. 19. Geo. N. Goodwin.  
 Perry, Jacob B. and Mary F. Perry. June 2. J. R. Skinner.  
 Sawyer, Cleveland and Helen Thompson. Feb. 6. L. Sawyer.  
 Skinner, Benj. F. and Lavinia F. Brinkley. July 6. S. M. Sutton.

1866.

Bunch, John J. and Chorisand Bush. Nov. 21. J. R. Savage.  
 Bush, Elisha T. and Jane Hobbs. Oct. 6. Benj. L. Evans.

Benbury, Lem'l C. and E. D. F. Kimberly. Feb. 21.  
 Benton, Elisha H. and Ellen D. Twine. Feb. 24. J. C. Stallings.  
 Bevans, Benj. F. and Mary Asbell. March 16. Cornelius Asbell.  
 Byrum, Willis and Sarah E. Asbell. March 23. J. E. Evans.  
 Bratton, John L. and Elizabeth Haskett. Aug. 23.  
 Copeland, Alex. and Lavinia Ward. Feb. 12. Wm. G. Ward.  
 Elliott, Humphrey and Lydia Woodward. Nov. 8. N. Woodward.  
 Eason, Timothy and Sarah Eason. Jan. 5. Rich'd Hurdle.  
 Foster, Stephen S. and Sarah E. Cullifer. March 2.  
 Forehand, Wm. J. and Margaret Jane Byrum. Feb. 19.  
 Haggerty, Thomas and Esther Ann Jordan. Aug. 27.  
 Hedricks, Rich'd S. and Anne E. Harris. Feb. 14. B. T. Jones.  
 Hobbs, Daniel R. and Rebecca E. Riddick. Feb. 8.  
 Harris, Joseph and Eliza Bunch. March 13. Wm. Privett.  
 Hobbs, Micajah and Mary Jane Hurdle. Oct. 9. Jeremiah Hobbs.  
 Harris, Myles D. and Margaret Hedrick. Dec. 21. J. N. Bass.  
 Hobbs, Amos and Ellen Bunch. Dec. 27. Guy Hobbs.  
 Jordan, George and Melvina Ward. Feb. 5. Humphrey A. Ward.  
 Lawrence, John H. and Nancy A. Bateman. April 18.  
 McCoy, James and Penelope M. Blount. June 27. H. A. Gilliam.  
 Munds, John J. and Rebecca Lane. April 10. J. G. Copeland.  
 Newson, James E. and Penelope L. Simpson. June 25.  
 Privott, Jacob and Frances E. Brown. Dec. 19. J. H. Garrett.  
 Privott, Thomas and Lueretia Bunch. Dec. 19. J. H. Garrett.  
 Peel, Amos and Sarah M. Parker. July 26. Wm. F. Bryce.  
 Rehm, Frederick and Mary P. Monds. Dec. 22. J. H. Monds.  
 Taylor, Jacob and Rebecca Small. Aug. 9. W. D. Welch.  
 Womble, Geo. W. and Rebecca Holly. June 25. J. O. Cheshire.  
 Ward, Jephtha A. and Harriet A. Byrum. Feb. 10. A. C. Ward.  
 White, Joel and Mary Byrum. Feb. 5. W. H. Leary.  
 Whiteman, Lafayette and Martha A. Halsey. Oct. 6.  
 White, Martin V. and Mary A. Perry. Dec. 22. J. M. Forehand.  
 Webb, James D. and Susannah G. Brinkley. Dec. 12. W. J. Webb.  
 Welch, Patrick H. and Elizabeth M. Simpson. Nov. 19.

1867.

Ashley, Myles P. and Sarah C. Morris. May 23.  
 Bunch, Elijah and Eliza F. Blanchard. Nov. 4.  
 Bunch, Richard and Martha T. Perry. Oct. 22.  
 Bratten, John and Mrs. Emma J. Smith. June 26.  
 Byrum, Jos. R. and Ellen Evans.  
 Bonner, Wm. H. and Ann C. Halsey. Jan. 22. W. G. Britt.  
 Bass, Horatio, Jr. and Sarah E. Perry. May 6. Kedar Bass.  
 Butler, William and Nancy Spruell. April 23. Wm. Spruell.  
 Ellis, Jeremiah and Mary E. Bunch. Jan. 11. R. G. Mitchell.

Harris, Abram and Mary Ashley. March 27. W. L. Privott.  
Harrell, Jas. A. and Martha L. Bass. Oct. 24.  
Jackson, John and Temperance Goodwin. March 11.  
Kafer, Jacob and Catharine Pipher. Oct. 20.  
Lodge, Jno. S. and Sarah E. Bell. May 25.  
Munds, James and Mary Riddick. April 26.  
Munds, Thomas and Martha A. Harris. Nov. 7.  
Miller, James and Penelope Wilson. Nov. 16.  
Manning, Wm. P. and Margaret Ann Harrell. Sept. 19.  
McLenny, Kedar and Lurana Weston. Oct. 21.  
Mardre, Joseph and Mrs. Margaret Vail. July 25.  
Munds, Thomas and Martha Ann Ashley. Jan. 24.  
Newman, Michael and Ann Harris. Nov. 18.  
Pearce, James C. and Caroline Askew. Feb. 12.  
Perry, John and Harriet Ann Beasley. Oct. 17.  
Small, Alonzo and Louisa Eshon.  
Smith, Richard and Isadore Sitterson. Feb. 12 .  
Sitterson, Benj. and Bettie I. Smith. June 6.  
Tynch, Joseph and Lovey M. Mansfield. Sept. 7.  
Ward, Augustus and Patsey Ward. Feb'y 26.  
Wynne, Thomas H. and Sarah M. Warren. May 15.  
Ward, Anderson S. and Luretta Spivey. Jan. 16. W. N. White.  
White, Robert and Maria White. Feb'y 8.  
White, Charles and Nancy Perry. March 19. Wm. N. White.  
Warren, Thomas W. and Sarah C. Waff. Oct. 21.  
Warren, Thos. D., Jr. and Sallie L. Badham. June 18.  
White, Andrew J. and Penelope Wright. Jan'y 8.

1868.

Byrum, Edmund and Martha L. Pierce. Oct. 15.  
Bass, James N. and Mary Hall. Nov. 12.  
Boyce, Baker, P., Jr. and Harriet P. Forehand. December 3.  
Boyce, John T. and Mary E. Copeland. December 3.  
Bush, Quinton T. and Georgia Williams. Dec. 17.  
Byrum, Gideon and Nancy E. Morgan. Dec. 24.  
Bunch, James E. and Patria Ward.  
Brinn, Joseph and Sophia Newby. April 3.  
Copeland, John R. and Clarissa F. Byrum. Oct. 22.  
Creecy, Henry and Laura Sitterson. Dec. 22.  
Forehand, John M. and Mary E. Perry. Dec. 24.  
Gilbert, O. F. and M. V. Simpson. May 5.  
Griffin, Humphrey and Sophia Byrum. March 12.  
Hall, Dr. Jas. B. and Mary M. Wood. July 7.  
Harrell, Thomas and Mary M. Evans. May 13.  
Jordan, John and Martha Byrum. Feb. 26.

Jones, Jeremiah and Martha P. I. Bass. Oct. 18.  
Lassiter, George W. and Mary E. Floyd. March 25.  
Long, Joseph I. and Adrienne D. Goodwin.  
Manly, Joseph and Margaret A. Winslow. March 19.  
McCurdy, John R. and Mary A. Williams. Jan. 30.  
Miller, Mason and Nancy Miller. July 16.  
Miller, Benj. and Nancy Caddey. Nov. 24.  
Mitchell, John and Emily Bunch. Dec. 24.  
Nowell, John W. and Sarah J. Hudgins. May 26.  
Oliver, John D. and Frances J. Ashley. Aug. 27.  
Perry, Harvey and Elizabeth J. Hurdle. Oct. 21.  
Parker, Wm. J. and Ann M. Hutchinson. Dec. 10.  
Parish, Robt. F. and Nannie Skinner.  
Speight, Jos. F. and Penelope Standin.  
Spruell, George W. and Mary E. Harris.  
Stubbs, Jesse R. and Mary W. Badham. March 3.  
Sitterson, John F. and Sarah J. Jordan. April 2.  
White, William and Jane Copeland. Jan'y 20.  
White, John H. and Emma J. Ashley. Aug. 6.  
Williams, Samuel and Nancy S. Long. Nov. 19.

1869.

Badham, Thomas C. and Sarah P. Paxton. Jan'y 27.  
Bell, Patrick H. and Emma Rea. Feb'y 17.  
Bateman, Benj., Jr. and Elizabeth Williams.  
Boyce, Henry H. and Mary E. Askew. Dec. 23.  
Haste, Myles D. and Lucrecy Hackney. Dec. 30.  
Carter, David M. and Mrs. Harriet A. Benbury. May 6.  
Coke, Octavius and Bettie S. Wood. June 29.  
Churchill, John, Jr., and Sarah Jones. December 23.  
Ellis, Joseph and Ellen Byrum. Jan'y 14.  
Eason, George and Indian Forehand.  
Goodwin, John E. and Harriet Churchill. Jan'y 21.  
Gray, John and Sarah E. Boyd. June 19.  
Haste, Abner and Arnesia Ward. Jan'y 14.  
Hill, Wm. James and Susan Deal. Sept. 21.  
Jones, Amos and Cidney Perry. Jan'y 21.  
Jordan, Willis K. and Harriet Coffield. July 18.  
Jones, Thompson and Ann Coffield. Sept. 19.  
Leary, John L. and Henrietta S. Perkins. Dec. 15.  
Mitchell, Jeremiah and Bettie White. July 1.  
McClenny, Wm. R. and Sarah E. Mitchell. Sept. 23.  
Mitchell, Robert G. and Ella B. Cheshire. Nov. 23.  
Nixon, Jesse and Absilla Privott. Nov. 30.  
Perry, J. D. and Helen S. Johnston. Feb. 8.

Phelps, Wm. and Sarah Sitterson. Oct. 21.  
Parker, Edward and Sophia A. Brinn. October 28.  
Privott, Wm. L. and Anna C. Askew. Nov. 9.  
Spruell, Jos. W. and Mary L. Pierce. Jan'y 17.  
Smith, George W. and Mrs. Agnes Elliott. Sept. 15.  
Spivey, Wm. and Nancy Bufkin. Oct. 14.  
Smith, David M. and Mary A. Miller. Nov. 30.  
Twine, William E. and Arenia E. Byrum. Feb'y 3.  
Turner, Joseph J. and Alice Evans. Jan'y 13.  
Warren, Wm. Y. and Fannie R. Badham. Feb. 17.  
White, John W. and Tempy Harrell. Sept. 17.  
Woodly, Dr. W. T. and Mary J. Parker. Nov. 30.

1870.

Askew, J. M. and Emma Jane Boyce. Dec. 29.  
Byrum, Isaac Jr. and Penelope Taylor. Jan'y 19.  
Bunch, Charles and Nancy Ellis. Jan'y 20.  
Bass, Thomas E. and Sarah C. Spruell. Feb'y 3.  
Bonner, James and Mary Jane Hassell. March 8.  
Blanchard, Reuben H. and Elizabeth Copeland. April 14.  
Bunch, Isaiah and Joanah Forehand. April 13.  
Bass, Quinton and Mary E. Nixon. July 7.  
Brady, Springs and Mary E. Bass. July 22.  
Bunch, James and Elizabeth A. Spruell. July 24.  
Boyce, Norfleet and Nancy R. Goodwin. August 4.  
Blanchard, Wm. A. M. and Celia E. Rountree. Oct. 6.  
Bland, T. B. and Alethea A. Benbury. Oct. 11.  
Coffield, Wm. H. and Mary E. Gaskins. Jan'y 19.  
Caddy, John L. and Jane Whitman. Jan'y 30.  
Chapple, James W. and Henrietta Copeland. Dec. 28.  
Creedy, William and Mrs. Mary Jones. Dec. 27.  
Davis, Miribeaue, L. T. and Anna Norfleet. June 22.  
Douglas, Joseph A. and Mary A. Ferebee. Oct. 13.  
Hunter, Benj. F. and Mrs. Sarah M. Welch. March 2.  
Harris, Myles D. and Martha Bunch. May 22.  
Hoskins, Wilson W. and Mrs. Martha Elliott. Oct. 26.  
Hobbs, Micajah W. and Penelope Hurdle. Dec. 22.  
Jordan, Hance and Mary Perry. Feb'y 8.  
Jones, Whitnell and Margaret J. Topping. Feb'y 10.  
Jones, Edward B. F. and Virginia D. Hall. April 18.  
Oliver, Joseph and Mary E. Bass. April 7.  
Perry, Anderson S. and Elizabeth V. Ward. July 6.  
Parker, Luther and Ellen F. Simpson. Dec. 7.  
Parish, Richard E. and Sarah P. Williams. Dec. 21.  
Stallings, Timothy P. and Martha C. Hurdle. Dec. 21.

Smith, Isaac and Mrs. Sarah E. Mann. Dec. 27.

Ward, Kenney R. and Susan M. Walton. March 24.

White, Abram and Christian Nixon. May 3.

Winslow, Job and Sarah Spivey. Dec. 7.

White, F. A. and Penelope Benbury. Dec. 20.

Williams, Josephus and Roxana Perry. Dec. 22.

This concludes the marriage bonds of Chowan County as far down as we propose to bring them, leaving the remainder for compilation by another after we shall have crossed the river.

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## AN ACT CONCERNING MARRIAGES.

I. For preventing Clandestine and unlawful Marriages. We pray that it may be Enacted, &c. That every Clergyman of the Church of England, or for want of such, any lawful Magistrate, within this Government, shall, and they are hereby directed, to join together in the Holy Estate of Matrimony, such Persons who may lawfully enter into such a Relation, and have Complied with the Directions hereinafter contained.

II. That no Justice of the Peace of any County in this Government, shall join together in Marriage, any Persons whosoever in any Parish where a Minister shall reside and have a Cure, without Permission first had and obtained from such Minister; under the Penalty of Five Pounds Proclamation Money, to the Use of the Minister.

III. That no Minister or Ministers, Justice or Justices of the Peace, within any of the Parishes of this Government, shall celebrate any rites of Matrimony between any persons or join them together as Man and Wife, without License first had and obtained for that purpose, according to the Directions of this Act, or Thrice Publication of the Banns, as prescribed by the Rubrick in the Book of Common Prayer; and if any Minister or Ministers, Justice or Justices of the Peace shall, contrary, to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act, Celebrate the Rites of Matrimony between any Persons or otherwise join them in marriage, he or they so offending shall forfeit and pay the Sum of Fifty Pounds, Proclamation Money; to be recovered and applied as herein after is directed; And if any Minister shall go out of this Government and there, contrary to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act, join together in Matrimony any Person or Persons belonging to this Government, without such License, or Puplicaion of Banns, as is herein prescribed, every Minister so offending shall incur the same Penalties and Forfeitures, as if the same had been done in this Government.

IV. Provided, &c. That where any Parish or Parishes have not a Minister, it shall and may be lawful for the Clerk or Reader which shall be appointed by the Vestry of the said Parish, to publish the Banns between any persons desiring the same, and if no Objection be made, to grant a Certificate thereof; and such Certificate shall be sufficient for any Minister or Justice of the Peace, to Solemnize the Rites of Matrimony between the Parties so published.

V. That if any Minister, Clerk or Reader, shall grant a false Certificate, he or they so offending, shall be liable to such Punishment as in Case of Forgery at Common Law; and all such offences shall be prosecuted, tried, and determined, in the General Court of this Province.

VI. That all Licenses for Marriages shall be issued by the Clerk of the Court of that County where the Feme shall have her usual Residence, and by him only and in such Manner, and under such Rules and Directions, as are herein after provided; that is to say, He shall take Bond, to our Sovereign Lord the King, his Heirs and Successors, with good Sureties, in the Penalty of Fifty Pounds, Proclamation Money, under Condition, That there is no lawful Cause to obstruct the Marriage for which the License shall be desired; And if either of the Persons intended to be married shall be under the Age of Twenty-one Years, and not theretofore Married, the Consent of the Parent or Guardian shall be personally given before the said Clerk, or signified under the Hand and Seal of the said Parent or Guardian, and attested by two Witnesses; all which being done the Clerk shall write the License, and shall Certify specially the said Bond. And if the Persons in the License, or either of them, be under the Age of Twenty-one Years, he shall also certify the consent of the Parent or Guardian of such Person so under Age, and the Manner thereof, to the first Justice in Commission of the Peace for that County, or to such other Person as shall be thereto commissioned by the Governor or Commander-in-Chief for the Time being which Premises being performed, the Justice of the Peace or other Person Commissioned as aforesaid, is hereby authorized, impowered and required to sign and direct the said License, and a License so obtained and signed, and no other whatsoever, is declared to be a lawful License, according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act. And if any County Court Clerk shall, in any Manner, issue any License of Marriage, or, Contrary to this Act make Certificate of any License of Marriage; and if any Person whatsoever shall sign or direct a License in any other Manner than is by this Act permitted and allowed, all and every Person or Persons so offending, shall forfeit and pay the Sum of Fifty Pounds, Proclamation Money; to be recovered and applied as herein after is directed.



VII. That if any Minister or Reader shall willingly publish, or cause or suffer to be published, the Banns of Matrimony between any Servants or between a free Person and a Servant; or if any Minister or Justice of the Peace shall willingly celebrate the Rites of Matrimony between any such, without a Certificate from the Master or Mistress of every such Servant, that it is done by their consent, he shall forfeit and pay Five Pounds Proclamation Money, to the use of the Master or Owner of such Servant; to be recovered by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint or Information: And every Servant so married, without the Consent of his or her Master or Mistress, shall, for his or her said offence, serve his or her said Master or Mistress, their Executors, Administrators or Assigns, One whole Year, after the Time of service by Indenture or Custom is expired.

VIII. That the Clerk of each County, Annually, at or before the Twenty Fifth Day of March, shall send or deliver to the Governor or Commander-in-Chief for the Time being an exact Account of the Marriage Licenses issued by him; and each Clerk failing herein, shall forfeit and pay the Sum of Five Pounds, Proclamation Money; to be levied and applied as hereinafter directed.

IX. That the Fees upon the said Marriages shall be as followeth: that is to say, To the Governor or Commander-in-Chief for the Time being, for each License of Marriage, Twenty Shillings, Proclamation Money.

To the Clerk of the County Court, for issuing the same, and taking the Bond, Five Shillings, of the like Money.

To the Minister for marrying, if by License, Ten Shillings, if by Banns Five Shillings, of the like Money.

To the Justice of the Peace, for marrying, Five Shillings.

To the Minister or Reader, for publishing the Banns, and granting Certificate, One Shilling and Six Pence, of the same Money.

X. That if any Minister or Justice of the Peace of any County or Parish where a Clergyman doth not reside, shall refuse to celebrate the Rites of Matrimony, for the Fees herein set down and allowed, or shall demand or receive, for marrying, either by themselves, or by any other Person for them, any larger Fees than before mentioned to be allowed to the Minister or Justice of the Peace, he shall forfeit and pay, for every such Offence, that is to say, if the Marriage was to have been by License, Ten Pounds, or if by Banns, Five Pounds, Proclamation Money. One Moiety of all the Fines and Forfeitures in this Act before mentioned and not particularly appropriated, to be paid to the Church wardens of the Parish for the time being, for the Use of the Parish where the Offence shall be Committed, the other Moiety to him or them that will inform or

sue for the same; to be received, with Costs by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint or Information.

XI. That if the Minister or Reader of any Parish in this Government, shall refuse to publish and certify the Banns, for the Fees herein set down, and allowed him for the same, he shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay to the Party grieved, Ten Pounds, Proclamation Money; to be recovered as before mentioned.

XII. Provided always, That the Minister serving the Cure of any Parish, shall have the Benefit of the Fee for Marriages in the said Parish, if he do not neglect or refuse to do the service thereof, altho' any other Person performed the Marriage Ceremony.

XIII. And for Prevention of that Abominable Mixture and Spurious Issue, which hereafter may increase in this Government, by White Men and Women, intermarrying with Indians, Negroes, Mustees or Mulattoes; Be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any white Men or Women, being free, shall intermarry with an Indian, Negro, Mustee, Mulatto Man or Woman, or any Person of Mixt Blood, to the Third Generation, bond or free, he shall, by Judgment, of the Court, forfeit and pay the Sum of Fifty Pounds, Proclamation Money, to the use of the Parish.

XIV. That no Minister of the Church of England, or other Minister, or Justice of the Peace, or other Person whatsoever within this Government, shall hereafter presume to marry a White man with an Indian, Negro, Mustee or Mulatto Woman, or any Person of mixt Blood, as aforesaid, Knowing them to be so, upon Pain of forfeiting and paying, for every such offence, the Sum of Fifty Pounds, Proclamation Money; to be applied as aforesaid.

XV. That the several Fines and Forfeitures in this Act, which exceed the Sum of Twenty Six Pounds, Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence, Proclamation Money, shall be heard, tryed, and determined, in the General Court of this Province; and all under the aforesaid Sum, shall be heard, tryed, and determined, in the Court of the County where the offence shall be committed.

XVI. That all and every Act and Acts, and every Clause and Article thereof heretofore made, so far as relates to any Matter or Thing whatsoever within the Province of this Act, is and are hereby repealed and made void, to all Intents and Purposes, as if the same had never been made.

## AN ACT OF ASSEMBLY RELATING TO THE TUSKERORA INDIANS.

“An Act for ascertaining the Bounds of a certain Tract of Land formerly laid out by Treaty to the use of the Tuskerora Indians, so long as they or any of them, shall occupy and live upon the same; and to prevent any Person or Persons taking up Lands, or Settling within the said Bounds, by Pretence of any Purchase or Purchases made, or that shall be made, from the said Indians.”

“Whereas Complaints are made by the Tuskerora Indians, of divers Incroachments made by the English on their Lands, and it being but just that the Ancient Inhabitants of this Province shall have and enjoy a quiet and Convenient Dwelling place in this their native County; Wherefore,

II. We pray it may be Enacted And be it Enacted, &c., That the Lands formerly allotted the Tuskerora Indians, by Solemn Treaty, lying on Morattuck River, in Bertie County, being the same whereon they now dwell, butted and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the Mouth of Quitsnoy Swamp, running up the said Swamp Four Hundred and Thirty Pole, to a Scrubby Oak, near the Head of the said Swamp, by a great Spring; thence North Ten Degrees East, Eight Hundred and Fifty Pole to a Persimmon Tree on Raquis Swamp; thence along the Swamp and Pocason main Course, North Fifty Seven Degrees West, Two Thousand Six Hundred and Forty Pole to a Hickory on the East Side of the Falling Run, or Deep Creek, and down the various Courses of the said Run to Morattuck River; then down the River to the first Station; shall be Confirmed and assured, and by virtue of this Act, is confirmed and assured unto James Blount, Chief of the Tuskerora Nation, and the People under his Charge, their Heirs and Successors, for ever; any Law, Usage, Custom or Grant, to the Contrary, notwithstanding.

III. Provided always, That it shall and may be lawful for any Person or Persons, that have formerly obtained any Grant or Grants, under the late Lords Proprietors, for any Tracts or Parcels of Land within the aforesaid Boundaries, upon the said Indians deserting or leaving the said Lands, to enter, occupy and enjoy the same, according to the Tenor of their several Grants; anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

IV. And be it further Enacted, &c. That it shall not nor may be lawful, for the Lord Granville's Receiver to ask, have or demand, any Quit-Rents for any of the said Tracts or Parsels of Land, taken up within the said Indian Boundaries as aforesaid, until such Time the Indians have deserted the same, and the Patentee be in possession thereof; and then only for such Rents as shall from thence arise and

become due; any Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary, notwithstanding.

V. And be it further Enacted, &c. That no Person for any Consideration whatever, shall purchase or buy any Tract or Parcel of Land, claimed, or in Possession of any Indian or Indians, but all such Bargains and Sale shall be, and are hereby declared to be null and Void, and of none Effect; and the Person so purchasing or buying any Land of any Indian or Indians, shall further forfeit the Sum of Ten Pounds Proclamation Money for every Hundred Acres by him purchased and bought; one-half to the Use of the Public, the other Half to him or them that shall sue for the same; to be recovered, by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint, or Information, in any Court of Record within the Government, wherein no Essoign, Protection, Injunction, or Wager of Law, shall be allowed or admitted of.

VI. And be it further Enacted, &c. That all and every person or Persons, other than the said Indians who are now dwelling on any of the Land within the Bounds above mentioned, to have been allotted, laid out, and prescribed to the said Tuskerora Indians, shall, on or before the Twenty Fifth Day of March, next ensuing the Ratification of this Act, remove him or herself and Family off the said Land, under the Penalty of Twenty Pounds, Proclamation Money; And if any Person or Persons, other than the said Indians shall neglect or refuse to move him or herself and Family off the said Lands, on or before the said Twenty Fifth Day of March next; and if any Person or Persons, other than the said Indians, shall hereafter presume to settle, inhabit or occupy any of the said Lands hereby allotted and assigned for the said Tuskerora Indians, such Person or Persons shall forfeit the further Penalty of Twenty Shillings, Proclamation Money, for each and every Day, he, she or they shall inhabit or occupy any Lands within the said Indian Bounds, after the said Twenty Fifth Day of March next; the said Penalties to be recovered and applied in the same Manner as the Penalty in this Act first above mentioned.

VII. And whereas the said Lands belonging to the Tuskerora Indians, have been lately laid out and marked, by George Goulde, Esq., Surveyor General at the Request of said Indians: Therefore be it Enacted, That the said George Goulde, Esq., have and receive, for the Trouble and Expense he hath been at in laying out and marking the Indians' Land aforesaid, the Sum of Twenty Five Pounds, Proclamation Money; to be paid by the Public out of the Monies in the Public Treasury.

VIII. And whereas the Indians complain of Injuries received from People driving Stocks of Horses, Cattle and Hogs, to range on their Lands; for Remedy whereof, Be it Enacted, That Persons

driving Stocks to range, or Stocks actually ranging on the Indians Lands, shall and are hereby declared, to be liable and subject to the Penalties and Forfeitures, and may be proceeded against in the same Manner, and subject to the same Recoveries, as by the Law of this Province, Stocks driven or ranging upon any white Peoples Land are liable and subject to; and the said Indians shall and may enjoy the Benefit of the Laws in that Case made and provided, in the same Manner as the white People do or Can; any Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary notwithstanding. (Passed by the General Assembly, at their session held at New Bern Oct. 15, 1748.)

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### AN ACT FOR SETTLING THE PRECINCT COURTS AND COURT-HOUSES.

I. Whereas thro' the great Taxes and Charges this Government hath labored under, by Means of the late Indian War, there has been no Care taken by preceding Assemblies, to settle the several Precinct Courts to any fixed or certain Place, but have always hitherto been kept and held at private houses, where they have been, and are liable to be removed, at the Pleasure of the Person or Persons owning such Houses, to the Great Annoyance of the Magistrates and People; For the Prevention of which for the future,

II. Be it Enacted, &c., by this present General Assembly, now met at Edenton, at Queen Anne's Creek, &c., That from and after the Ratification of this Act, the Justices of the Peace that are now appointed for and in every respective Precinct in this Government, or shall hereafter be appointed within the Time limited in this Act for building the Precinct Court-houses, or the greatest Part of them, are hereby required and impowered to purchase the Quantity of one Acre of Land, in such Place and Places of their several Precincts, as is and by this Act is hereby nominated and appointed, for the erecting the said Court-houses on.

III. And for the better enabling the said Justices, or the greatest part of them, to purchase such Lands, and build the said Court-houses; Be it Enacted, &c., That the said Justices, or the greatest part of them, shall have full Power and Authority to raise Money, by a Poll Tax on the several Inhabitants of their respective Precincts, for the purchasing such Lands and building the said Court-houses thereon, not exceeding the Sum of Five Shillings per Poll, per Annum; which said Tax or Levy shall be paid to them the said Justices, or whom they, or the greatest Part of them, shall appoint to receive the same, by each and every Person respectively, in the same Manner and Form as they do their Public Levy, and under the same Fines and Forfeitures.

IV. And be it further Enacted, &c., That if any person or Persons shall refuse to sell to the said Justices, or the greatest part of them, such Lands as by this Act is appointed to be purchased for the use of a Court-house, for what the said Justices shall think to be the full Value thereof that then, and in such Case, it shall and may be lawful for the Chief Justice to issue his Summons, under his Hand, directed to Three Freeholders of the Precinct, where such Refusal shall be made; which Freeholders are hereby required on Oath, to appraise the said Land; And in Case the Owner of the said Land shall, after a Tender made him of the Money which the said Land was Appraised to, refuse to give a lawful Conveyance for the same, such Lands shall, nevertheless, be invested in the Publick, for the Uses aforesaid; provided that no Person's Orchard, Garden or inclosed Ground, be injured thereby.

V. And be it further Enacted &c. That if the Justices or the Major part of them, in their several Precincts, shall neglect or refuse to purchase the Land by this Act directed for building the several Court-houses, on, or to agree with Workmen to build and finish the same, (which shall not be less than Twenty Four Feet long and Sixteen Feet wide) within Six Months after the Ratification of this Act; that then and in such Case, the Governor or Commander-in-Chief, for the Time being shall, and he is hereby impowered and directed, to nominate and appoint such Person or Persons in each and every Precinct so neglecting or refusing; which Persons so appointed, shall have the same Power and Authority to lay the said Tax, purchase such Land, and build the said Court-houses, as the said Justices might or ought to have had by this Act.

VI. And be it further Enacted, &c. That the Lands hereafter mentioned be, by the several Justices, or the Major Part of them, in each respective Precinct purchased, to and for the building and erecting the several Court-houses on; That is to say,

For the Precinct of Chowan, at Edenton.

For the Precinct of Pequimans, at Jonathan Felp's Point, at the mouth of the Narrows.

For the Precinct of Currituck, on the Land of Mr. William Peynor, next to the Land of Mr. William Parker; or at Mr. Parker's as the Justices may appoint.

For the Precinct of Beaufort and Hyde, at Bath-Town.

For the Precinct of Craven, at Newbern.

For the Precinct of Carteret, at Beaufort-Town.

For the Precinct of Bertie, now by this Assembly laid out, at some convenient Place at Ahoskey, where the Justices shall appoint.

For the Precinct of Pasquotank, at such Place as the Justices shall appoint.

And whereas many Inconveniences hath happened in this Government, by Reason of the falling of the Courts, which too frequently have been occasioned by Failure of a sufficient Number of Justices to meet; For Prevention of which for the future, Be it Enacted, &c., That all Actions or Business whatsoever now depending, or hereafter to be depending, in the General Court, or any Precinct Court in this Government, shall not be discontinued by Reason or Failure of a sufficient number of Justices meeting at the Days appointed; but that all such Actions or Business shall stand continued till the next Court; Any Law, Custom, or Usage to the contrary, notwithstanding.

Signed by WILLIAM REED, President.  
 Chr. Gale, Richard Sanderson, John Lovick, Thomas Lovick,  
 Lords Proprietors Deputies.  
 EDWARD MOSELEY, Speaker.

(Passed by the General Biennial Assembly, held at Edenton, N. C., Oct. 2, 1722.)

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## ITEMS RELATING TO THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

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JOSIAH MARTIN TO SAM'L JOHNSTON.

Cruizer Sloop of War in Cape Fear River,  
 October 7, 1775.

SIR:

Notwithstanding the respect I have entertained for your private Character, notwithstanding my repugnance to oppose to its merits your conduct in public and political transactions during the present unnatural, unhappy and much to be lamented contest between Great Britain and her Colonies which my long forbearance towards you must have evinced you have reduced me to the necessity I wished to have avoided by choosing between the two disagreeable alternatives of testifying my disapprobation of your conduct officially or taking upon myself the guilt of conniving at the undutiful behavior of one of the King's Servants which last being utterly inconsistent with my ideas of the duty I owe His Majesty I cannot hesitate to make my election of the former however painful my respect for Mr. Johnston makes that decision.

I have seen with astonishment your late appearance in the conspicuous character of Moderator of a popular Assembly unknown to

the laws and Constitution of this Province and summoned and convened by yourself and I have seen with greater surprise if possible, your acceptance of the appointment of Treasurer of the Northern District of this Colony unconstitutionally and contrary to all law and usage conferred upon you by this Body of your own creation on whose other acts so derogatory to the just Authority of the King and so utterly subversive of the Constitution of this country I shall not here enlarge, although I do most sincerely and unceasingly deplore them. Your conduct in these instances, Sir, I am bound to consider such manifestations of your undutifulness to His Majesty and His Government and such an avowal of your participation in the present fatal disorders of this Country as render it altogether unfit and inconsistent with my duty to the King to permit you to continue Deputy Naval Officer of this Province and I am to inform you that I have accordingly appointed Mr. Archibald Neilson to supersede you as Deputy Naval Officer of this Colony from which office you are hereby suspended until His Majesty's Royal Pleasure shall be known.

I am, Sir

(A true Copy.)

JO. MARTAIN.

Your most humble servant,

JO. MARTAIN.

### SAMUEL JOHNSTON TO GOV. JOSIAH MARTIN.

Edenton, Nov. 16th, 1775.

SIR:

I have this day had the honor of receiving your Excellency's letter signifying that you had been pleased to suspend me from acting as Deputy to Mr. Turner in the Naval Office with the reasons for such removal, and it gives me pleasure that I do not find neglect of the duties of my office in the Catalogue of my crimes.

At the same time that I hold myself obliged to your Excellency for the polite manner in which you are pleased to express yourself of my private character you will pardon me for saying that I think I have reason to complain of the invidious point of view in which you place my public transactions when you consider the late meeting of the Delegates or Deputies of the Inhabitants of this Province at Hillsborough a Body of my own creation. Your Excellency cannot be ignorant that I was a mere instrument on this connection under the direction of the people. A people among whom I have long resided who have on all occasions placed the greatest confidence in me, to whose favourable opinion I owe everything I possess and to whom I am bound by gratitude, (that most powerful and inviolable tie on every honest mind) to render every service they can demand of me



in defence of what they esteem their just rights at the risque of my life and property.

You will further, sir, be pleased to understand that I never considered myself in that honourable light in which you place me, *One of the King's Servants*, Being entirely unknown to those who have the disposal of the King's favours I never enjoyed, nor had I a right to expect, any Office under His Majesty. The office which I have for some years past executed under the deputation of Mr. Turner was an honest purchase for which I paid punctually an annual sum which I shall continue to pay till the expiration of the term for which I should have held it agreeably to our contract.

Pemit me, Sir, to add that had all the King's Servants in this Province been as well informed of the Disposition of the Inhabitants as they might have been and taken the same pains to promote peace, good order and obedience to the laws that I flatter myself I have done the source of your Excellency's increasing lamentations had never existed or had it existed would have been in so small a degree that 'ere this it would have been nearly exhausted; but Sir a recapitulation of past errors which it is now too late to correct would be painful to me and might appear impertinent to your Excellency' I shall therefore decline the ungrateful Task and beg leave with all due respect to submit myself,

Sir, your Excellency's,

Most obedient humble servant,

SAM'L JOHNSTON.

(A true copy.)

Jo. Martin.

We are indebted to the State Records, Vol. XI, for the above letters by Hon. Walter Clark Associate Justice of North Carolina. Justice Clark has done a great service to the State, in the exceedingly valuable records he has compiled, we know of no living person who has done as much, certainly none who has accomplished more in gathering together, arranging, and publishing the several volumes now extant, it has been a Herculean task well performed and the people of his native state should be justly proud of his work, he is a worthy successor of Col. W. L. Saunders, to whose patient and untiring energy we are indebted for the Colonial Records.

#### LT. COL HENRY IRWIN TO GOV. CASWELL.

(From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.)  
Tarborough, 16 July, 1777.

DR. SIR:

Being extremely unwell prevented me attending at Halifax. I am now got some better, and would wish your Excellency's permis-

sion to go all to the No'ward to join my Regiment, as I can't promise myself any advantage I can be of to the army, staying here.

I am very sorry to inform you of too many evil persons in this and the neighboring Counties being joined in a most wicked Conspiracy but am in hopes it may be stopped, as many have come in and made all the discovery they know of about 30 of them made an attempt on this place, but luckily, I had about 25 men to oppose them. I disarmed the whole and made many take the oath.

I am Dear Sir,

Your Excellency's Most Ob't Serv't,

HENRY IRWIN.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

### CAPT. HARDY MURFREE TO GOV. CASWELL.

(From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.)

Camp at Halifax, 18 July, 1777.

SIR:

Mr. Samuel Jones, of Hertford County, who entered the Second North Carolina Continental Battalion as a Cadet, 24th of May last, who is at this place in order to March to the Northward, he is a genteel Gentleman like man. Since I was at New Bern last, Capt. Gardner of the 2nd Battalion, has resigned and Lieut. Standing says he will never join the Battalion again, I should be very glad if your Excellency would grant the said Mr. Jones a Commission as an Ensign in the second Batt'l; and send it by the bearer, as I understand there is to be some officers left in the State, on the recruiting service and he will answer for that purpose better than some that I have here who will not exert themselves.

I am your Excellency's Mo. humble Servant,

HARDY MURFREE.

I give my approbation to the above.

John Williams, Com'g Officer.

To His Excellency Richard Caswell.

### COL. JOHN WILLIAMS TO GOV. CASWELL.

(From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.)

Halifax, 23d July, 1777.

SIR:

Yesterday morning Mr. Mallett arrived at this place from Cross Creek, and informs me that a few hours before he left home, Co'.

Hogan, who lives in the County of Orange, came into Town, and informed him the day before he left home, he understood a number of people in the Counties of Orange and Chatham had assembled in a body, and he being desirous to know what it meant, went to them, and found upwards of a thousand embodied, who said they were going to Cross Creek to get the salt that was stored up. A Lieut. in the 9th Reg't, a person of Character came from Guilford on Sunday last, who also tells me that, the day before he left home, he was at a public meeting of the people in Guilford, who seemed ripe for something daring and desperate, that they frequently drank the King's health, and damnation to all that would not join them.

To my own knowledge there is powder a plenty in the upper parts of this Province, but not any lead to be got; but as I understand there is several tons of lead belonging to this State at Cross Creek, I greatly suspect, under the cloak of getting Salt, they want to lay their hands on that article.

These reasons, together with our having nothing to do, has induced me to order the different Regiments under my command at this place, to march immediately for Cross Creek, and endeavor to get there before them, as I understand they are not to leave Chatham until Thursday, so that I am in hopes to be before them, and prevent their designs, be they what they will. When I said we had nothing to do, I meant that we should not (I expected) be ordered to the Northward, until we had money to pay the men, and of course be here doing nothing these ten days, perhaps.

Therefore, if your Excellency approves my conduct, please to direct the pay-masters, that are to supply us with money, to attend at Cross Creek, where I intend to march with all the haste I can, and stay until I get further orders from you.

I am with the utmost respect,

Your mo. h'ble Servt.,  
JOHN WILLIAMS.

His Excellency Governor Caswell.

P. S. I intend to get arms of such persons, as we march, as are well affected to the State.

#### THOS. HOSKINS TO GOV. CASWELL.

(From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.)

Tyrrell County, 25th, 1777.

SIR:

As I have the honor of being chose Clerk of Tyrrell County, by majority of votes the first and second days; likewise have received the books and papers belonging to the said County from Mr. Archi-

bald Corrie.—Wherefore request the favour of your Excellency, to grant me a Commission to act in the said office; and forward it when most Convenient to your Hon'r.

I should do myself the honour to wait on your Excellency in person, but having this opportunity, hope your Excellency will excuse me at this time. Your demands please to let me know, and I shall send to you by Mr. Benjamin Spruill at the next meeting of the Assembly. Your compliance will always be acknowledged by Sir,

Yr. very hum'l Serv't,

THO. HOSKINS.

N. B. I send enclosed a certificate signed by the Magistrates for said County.

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GOV. CASWELL TO COL. DAVID SMITH.

(*From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.*)

Dobbs, 25th July, 1777.

DEAR SIR:

I have this evening received information that a considerable number of persons in the Counties of Orange, Guilford and Chatham were some days ago assembling with a design, as they gave out, to go down to Cross Creek, to take the salt that is stored there. But it is suggested they have other views. I am therefore to request you will get what information you can respecting the matter; and if you have any certain intelligence of their being on their march, in that case you are to raise so many of Your Militia as you can depend on for the purpose of opposing them in any illegal attempt that they make, and give me the earliest notice; at all events let me hear from you, with a particular account of their transactions so far as you shall be able to collect them with every article of proof you can obtain by Thursday next at twelve o'clock, when I expect to be at the Court house of this County. This account you must send me by express, the expence whereof shall be paid by the public. Don't omit letting me hear from you by that time.

I am, &c.,

RICHARD CASWELL.

Col. David Smith, Cumberland.

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COL DAVID SMITH TO GOV. CASWELL.

(*From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.*)

Cross Creek, July 26th, 1777.

May it please your Excellency,

I am requested by the good people of this place to address you, they judging it convenient and absolutely necessary that an armed

company should be maintained in this County, till the act of Assembly can be put in force and have its due effect on those who refuse to take the oath of Allegiance to the State; it being evident that upwards of two-thirds of this County intend leaving the State, and are already become insolent, and it is apprehended will be troublesome.

I am therefore to request your Excellency and the Council of State that you would be pleased to order about fifty Light Horse, under vigilant officers whom you may appoint, to be stationed here; and should it be suggested that it would be difficult to raise the men in different Counties, it is imagined they could be easily raised here, especially under the command of Capt. Rowan, which shall seem most agreeable to your Wisdom, and consistent with the present circumstances of affairs; these would protect the good subjects of the County, and see the said (Act) duly enforced, without which it is apprehended the intention of the Legislature will be rendered abortive in consequence of this and in behalf of the above request you are troubled with this from Sir,

Your Excellency's Most Obedient humble Serv't,  
DAVID SMITH.

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Same to Same.

Cross Creek, 26th July, 1777.

May it please your Excellency:

Should you Sir, think it necessary for the good of the State to appoint any number of Troops to be kept here until the Laws shall be executed, I beg leave to commend the bearer Mr. Edward Winslow to your notice as a Commissary for the same, he is a good member of Society, and can more effectually supply the men in that way than any person here who would take that trouble.

I have the honor to be

Your Excellency's most Obed't and very humble Servt.,  
DAVID SMITH.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

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GOV. CASWELL TO MAJ. DAVID BARROW.

(*From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.*)

DEAR SIR:

I have received sundry affidavits from Edenton respecting the conduct of Mr. William Brimage, who is charged with being in the late conspiracy against the State, and concerned in certain treasonable practices. It appears to me beyond a doubt that he has been

one of the powers of their diabolical plan. Therefore in order to bring him to justice, if he is not already taken, I am to request you do immediately apply to Col. Bryan, if it be practicable, and request he will send a party of the Craven Militia immediately to apprehend and bring Mr. Brimage back to New Bern, from on board the Brig, commonly called the Tory Brig. If Col. Bryan is not in the way, you will be pleased to consider this letter as an order to you to discharge this duty, Major Tilman, if he is in the way, you will please to show it. But at all events let the service be done. I would recommend it to the officer who goes down to obtain a warrant from the Civil Power. I mean a Justice of the Peace, for apprehending Mr. Brimage. On this letter being shewn, I persuade myself any Magistrate will grant a warrant. I do not know what County, whether Carteret or Currituck may be the place where the Vessel lies in, or I would write particularly to the Magistrates there. Whoever goes, let this letter go with them and I hope the service so essential to the supporting our present constitution will be performed. When he is taken, I will furnish testimony, which, I apprehend, will be sufficient for detaining him in Close gaol till his trial. Secrecy is necessary in the present case. A word to the wise is enough.

Please to let me hear from you on this subject as soon as convenient.

I am, &c.,

RICHARD CASWELL.

Major David Barrow, New Berne.

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MAJ. D. BARROW TO GOV. CASWELL.

(From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.  
New Bern, July 28th, 1777.

DEAR SIR:

Your favor by Mr. McClewean I rec'd about one hour ago, I have despatched Lieut. Shedrick Fulcher with a party of men after Brimage, with orders not to return without him, provided he has not left the State, if so to make strict enquiry in what Vessel he took passage. I have taken a warrant from Mr. Davis which will answer the desired effect in this district. This is a piece of business which I had some reason to believe was put into execution by the Justices of this place some days ago, but on inquiry I find was neglected. I mentioned Mr. Brimage's Situation to Telfair, he assured me he should not have a passage in the Brig by no means whatever, except a passport from you.

I am Dear Sir, your mo. obt. Serv't,

D. BARROW.

His Excellency Gov. Caswell.

## COL. DAVID SMITH TO GOV. CASWELL.

(*From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.*)  
Cumberland, 29 July, 1777.

SIR:

I rec'd yours of the 25th instant, and agreeable to your order, I have made all the discovery amongst the Tories that the time would permit. I immediately on receiving the letter sent a man who I could depend on up Deep River as far as Col. Alston's and he returned this morning with a letter from Col. Alston, which gives the following account, that there was two men at his house one from Guilford, & the other from Chatham, and that he believed them both to be friends to the American cause, and they told them, they did not believe the Tories had any intention of rising, and that they never had heard of any such thing, only at Chatham Court House on the 21st instant, there was a meeting of the people concerning the salt, and they had sent to Orange & Guilford to know if they would agree with them not to send any provision to Cross Creek until they would sell them their salt upon reasonable terms; and they agreed to send two men out of every Captain's District to Cross Creek to make some agreement with the Merchants for their Salt. I was informed last night there was a party of men gathering in Duplin to go to Cross Creek for salt, but the Certainty of it I have not got yet.

I am Sir with the greatest respect,

Your Mo. hble. Serv't,  
DAVID SMITH.

His Excellency Richard Caswell.

## MAJOR D. BARROW TO GOV. CASWELL.

(*From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.*)

New Bern, Aug't 4, 1777.

DEAR SIR:

Yesterday Lieut. Shaderick Fulcher returned from Oacock to which place agreeable to your order I dispatched him after Mr. Brimage, who had the day before he got down to the Bar, been taken into custody by Capt. Anderson, in consequence of information he rec'd from the Justices at Edenton. The night before Fulcher arrived at Oacock, Brimage being on his parole made his escape to Roanoke Island, where he was taken up by John Mann of that place. and conveyed to Edenton. Enclosed is the number of men Lieut. Fulcher by my order had with him, and as I am at a loss what to allow them, I hope the Gov'r and Council will make them a generous

allowance, as they undertook this expedition with much cheerfulness, and returned in as short a time as could be expected.

I am, Dear Sir, Your mo. obt. Serv't,  
D. BARROW.

Lieut. Shaderick Fulcher; John Smith, Pilot; Mathew Wise; Beverly Rew; Southy Rew; Major Tuly; Boat Line, For seven days who found their own provision and other expenses.

His Excellency Gov. Caswell.

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### W. BRIMAGE TO GOV. CASWELL.

(*From Governor's Letter Book, Executive Office, Raleigh, N. C.*)

SIR:

Shall be obliged to your Excellency for an order to Capt. Anderson, at Ocracock to deliver my Portmanteau, &c., which he took from my lodgings into custody, and retains notwithstanding the Justices soon after my coming up to Edenton, wrote to him to send them, which he either never received or pays no regard to. Your Compliance will greatly oblige.

Sir, Your Excellency's very humble Servt.,  
W. BRIMAGE.

Westbrooks, Bertie, October 10th, 1777.

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### ROBT. SMITH, OF EDENTON, TO THE GOVERNOR AND HONOURABLE COUNCIL AT HALIFAX.

SIR:

I came here on purpose to do myself the Honor to wait on you in Council, to have laid before you, the inclosed inventory of the King Taminy and her Stores, of which Vessell, the last Assembly at New Bern thought proper to appoint me Comm'r. It would appear from their Resolve which I only rec'd about three weeks ago, unattended, with any instructions from them, they intended, the King Taminy should be fitted out for the Merchant Service and chartered to the Continental Congress & by them be insured, not considering that I acted for Congress and by that appointment would in fact be chartering for myself a Vessel from Myself. I have however since I received their Resolve, had her hauled to a Wharff, her Ballast thrown out and hove her down and cleaned Her Bottom which tho' a good deal hurt by worms is in much better order than I could have expected. I had engaged some hands at the wages given out of the port at the time of her sailing, but on looking over the Resolve mentioned, I find I am authorized only to allow such wages as were given the 7th



May, since that wages have risen much and may possibly still rise more before she sails, I inclose the Resolve for your Perusal. After the foregoing state of the matter, I submit it to the consideration of your Honourable Board, and beg leave to observe in General, first that some merchant should be commissioned in Edenton to fit out the Taminy and execute the Charter party with me. From him I will charter her for Nantz, Bordeaux, or Port Le Orient, to return here with such cargo as the Continental agents in those parts may think best to Ship on board her. I will charter her by the month, and on behalf of the United States insure her at the Value may be agreed on untill her return, the monthly hire to be paid on her return and in case of her being lossed the hire to be stopped the very day it happened. Or the Councill may commission three men well acquainted with vessels, and their Value, to set a price on her and her monthly hire or wages & I will take her at that as before mentioned and execute a charter with you—in this last case, which will be attended with most trouble, the papers should be sent down as soon as may be as she must lye idle till they come & with them his Excellency's dft. on the Treasurer for Five Hundred Pounds which I think the outfit will cost at least. In the next place if she goes on the voyage above mentioned she will not have Occasion for but a small part of the Stores, say 4 of the Smallest Guns, 6 Sweivle and about 10 Muskets and Ammunition in proportion. Ten men before the mast would be Sufficient, orders should be given about the remains of her Stores.

I have the honor to be, Sirs,

Your most obed. & very Hble. Servt.,

ROBT. SMITH.

Halifax, 11th July, 1777.

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### COPY OF A LETTER TO ROBERT HARDY.

Whitfield's, on Neuse, 15th July, 1776.

SIR:

This Board has thought it proper to appoint you a Commissioner at the port of Edenton for the Express purpose of purchasing Military and other Stores for the use of the Continental Troops stationed in this Colony we rely very much on your exertions on this occasion.

You will in a very short time receive a very large quantity of Sail Cloth from New Bern which we request your care of and whenever you receive an order from the Committee of Safetv of Virginia you deliver the quantity expressed therein to the bearer thereof for the use of the Gallies of the Colony now building at Key Bay on Black Water. We also desire that you will purchase as many Anchors as

will be wanting for the Gallies. You will be directed in this matter by the Committee of Safety, Virg. & very very shortly by Letter to which we request you will pay due attention.

We received your Mr. Little's favour concerning Capt. Cartwright's Conduct. It is our desire that you immediately take possession of all the property Cartwright now has in the district of Edenton and keep the same secure until you receive further orders of this Board.

We are Sir, Your Mo. humble Servts.,  
By order of the Council of Safety.

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### COUNCIL OF SAFETY TO COL. JOHN BUTLER.

Halifax, 31st July, 1776.

SIR:

Your favor of the 25th of June is now under Consideration. We are sorry to hear the people of Guilford are still inclined to raise new disturbances in this Colony, and shall take every method in our power to prevent their wicked intentions being Carried into Execution. Gen. Person has orders to embody five hundred men from your District to reinforce Genl. Rutherford, and we expect he will induce the people of Guilford to turn out on this Occasion, which may in some measure prevent for the present any disturbances from that Quarter and as Colo. Folsome is supposed to be now in Guilford with a party of armed men, we doubt not he will take proper notice of the rioters there and reduce them to order. It is expected the Officers in each County will see the resolves of the Congress respecting the Militia duly observed & that the Colonels will Issue their Warrants to the Sergeants of the respective Companies to dis-train for and Collect the fines from all delinquents. Hunter will be sent for under guard to answer before this board for his conduct and neglect of the Order of Congress.

We shall be glad to hear from you on every important occasion and are with respect Sir,

Your Mo. Obed. Servts.,

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Signed by order of the Council.

N. B. We have p'd your express the 3 dollars which you'll not include yr. Settlement with him.

## COUNCIL OF SAFETY TO JOHN COOPER.

Halifax, 28th Sept., 1776.

SIR:

Your letter with respect to a large Cannon we received and have a desire that you will hire a sufficient craft and send it from Bath Town round to Edenton as it will be very shortly wanted for the Gallies now building for the protection of the Trade of this State.

The price will be fixed and the full Sum paid after the Cannon is Viewed and Valued by indifferent persons well skilled in a matter of this sort.

We are Sir, Your hble. Servts.,

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By order of the Council of State.

P. S. You must send the Cannon to the Care of Dr. Sam'l Dickinson in Edenton.

To Mr. John Cooper.

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## PAYMASTER WILLIAM LORD.

In Congress, 11th December, 1776.

North Carolina.

These may certify that Mr. William Lord was appointed Regimental Paymaster to the first Regiment of Continental Troops raised in this State.

By order.

RD. CASWELL, President.

Jas. Green, Jr., Sec'y.

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## JOHN B. BEASLEY TO GOV. RICHARD CASWELL.

2nd December, 1777.

SIR:

The distressed circumstances of Mary Lewellen, wife of poor John Lewellen now under the sentence of death in Edenton Gaol induces me to write your Excell'y. I am so unhappy to have nothing to plead in his behalf but Mercy which as it is a darling attribute of the Deity hope it will prevail, this much I can say that when he had an opportunity to escape out of Edenton Gaol he did not.

I am Your Excellency's Most Obed Humble Servt.,

JOHN B. BEASLEY.

John Lewellen was one of the first to organize the Tories in Martin, Bertie and Washington Counties, and had been tried for treason, convicted and sentenced to death for the part he took in the Conspiracy against the State.

## ABSTRACT OF CONVEYANCES.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

Robert Hicks to Jon White. 275 acres adjoining lands of Jon White, Sr., Ballard and Parker, Sept. 11, 1723. Test, Sarah Gale, Patrick Maule.

Jane Parker (widow) to Paul Phillips. 100 acres formerly belonging to Benjamin Evans, known as Poplar Run, 7ber 26, 1722. Test, Jno. Champion, Mary Foxworth.

John Jordan to John Jordan, Sr. Release and Quit Claim, Jan'y 12, 1727-8. Test, Chas. Jordan, Robert Hicks.

John Jordan, Sr., to his son John Jordan, Jr. 130 acres on old Town Creek. Test, Chas. Jordan, Robt. Hicks.

Conner Lewis by Thos. Rountree (Attorney) to Thomas Garrett. 400 acres part of a Patent granted Francis Thornton for 600 acres. Nov. 10, 1707. Test, Thos. Jones, Chas. Rountree.

Maguire, Philip to John Overton, 8ber 23, 1727. 90 acres side of Old Town Creek Swamp. Test, Thos. Macklenden, John Ismay.

John Odom and wife Susannah to John Collins, 7ber 2, 1727. 160 acres adjoining land of Samuel Merritt. Test, Susanna Odom, Jr., Rich'd Odom, Jacob Odom, Jr., Robt. Hicks.

Thos. Hoath to William Hoskins. 100 acres purchased of E. Moseley Jan'y 18, 1719. Deed dated Jan'y 31, 1727-8. Test, Robert Hicks, Sam'l Warren.

James Baker of Nansemond, Co., Va., to John Porter, Sr., and John Porter, Jr. 100 acres East side of Cabin Branch, a branch of Chowan River, May 14, 1728. Test, Martha Dunston, Wm. Badham.

Henry King to Charles King. 240 acres part of a Survey of 540 acres made for said King, May 28, 1728. Test, John Jones, Robt. Forster.

Nairn, John and wife Mary to Wm. Umfleet, of Nansemond Co., Va. 200 acres on West side of Scratch Hall Pocosin, June 4, 1728. Test, Robt. Reddick, Jos. Hambleton.

Jeffrys, Robert to Bartholo' Scott. 2 acres between two roads, leading to Virginia, where said Jeffrys' dwelling is built, July 2, 1728. Test, Edmund Gale, John Oxley.

Thomas Spiers to Edward Cockrile. 145 acres binding on John Pagett's line, adjoining lines of David Jones, and his brother Thos. Jones, on North Shore of Chowan River, July 16, 1728. Test, Jo. Jenure, Jno. Falconer.

John Hambleton to Samuel Williams, of Upper Parish, of Nanse-

mond Co., Va., July 21, 1727. 300 acres adjoining land of William Speight and Thos. Goffe. Test, Geo. Williams, Jona. Kitterele, John Collins.

Lassiter, Robert, of Nansemond Co., Va., to James Brown. 142 acres South side of Bennett's Creek, Sber 31, 1727. Test, Thos. Rountree, Fras. Rountree, Richard Taylor.

Same to Francis Rountree, 31 Sber, 1727. 153 acres on South side Bennett's Creek. Test, Thos. Rountree, Rich'd Taylor, James Brown.

George Burrington to Edmund Porter. Assignment deed for 90 acres bought July 30, 1725. Deed dated Dec. 26, 1725. Test, Robt. Hicks, Wm. Stewart.

Harman, William, Jr., to John Harrison of Bertie, N. C. 50 acres on the Sound adjoining land of Vines Copley and Wm. Harrison, bought of said Harrison's father, Aug. 5, 1727. Test, Thos. Pierce, Francis Pettitt, Vines Harrison.

James Baker to John Porter, of Nansemond Co., Va. Assignment of Patent for 217 acres, May 26, 1728. Test, Robt. Forster, John Ismay.

James Homes, of Bertie, to Wm. Bird, of Nansemond Co., Va. 100 acres on Henby's Branch, Aug. 20, 1728. Test, Constance Lutten, F. Spiers, Wm. Badham.

William Speight of Nansemond Co., Va., to Henry Holland of same County. Aug. 30, 1728. 640 acres on East side of Chowan River, patent dated March 5, 1719--20. Test, Thos. Vaughan, Jas. Holland, John Lovick.

Henry Holland, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Thos. Vaughan of the same place. 100 acres East Side of Chowan River, beginning at Caleb's Dover, adjoining Eph Benton's land. Test, Lydia Blanchard, Clement Hammond, Jas. Holland, J. Lovick.

Harloe, John to Edmund Gale. Mortgage on 187 acres adjoining lands formerly Robert Windley's and Edward Smithwick's, also 430 acres adjoining lands of Edw'd Moseley and Charles Wilkins, which I bought of Wm. Charlton, Jan'y 3, 1727--8. Test, Thos. Lovick, Wm. Badham.

Wm. Jones to Chas. Jordan. 50 acres in Bear Swamp, adjoining lands of widow Bond, Nov. 26, 1728. Test, Job. Meader, Martha Meader.

Wm. Jones of Perquimans to Sarah Bond. 100 acres part of 550 acres, bounded by said Jones to Abraham Hill, Nov. 8, 1728. Test, Robert Hicks, Ellinor Jackson.

Jones, Wm. to Thos. Walton. 50 acres adjoining Orlando Champion's land, Dec. 16, 1728. Test, Robert Hicks.

Job Meader to Sam'l Woodward, 210 acres N. E. Side Chowan

River, adjoining land of John Jordan and Isaac Williams, Jan'y 4, 1728. Test, Eliza Clayton, Thos. Crew.

Benjamin Perry to Thomas Lane. 140 acres N. E. Shore of Chowan River on Deep Run; 140 acres adjoining land of James Farlow, Jan'y 6, 1728. Test, Robert Hicks, Susanna Perry.

Wane, Thos. and wife Elizabeth to John Wheatley. 50 acres bounded by Poplar Branch, land of John Bays at foot of Long Bridge, part of tract bought of Jno. Slocumb, March 3, 1728. Test, Robert Hicks, Esther Hicks.

John Pagett to John Showls. 100 acres Pagett Neck on Rocky-hock Beaver Dam Swamp, March 30, 1728. Test, Robt. Hicks, Esther Hicks.

Isaac Williams to Samuel Woodward. 125 acres N. E. Side Chowan River, adjoining lands of George White, Jan'y 8, 1728. Test, Robert Hicks, John Jordan, Jr.

James Speir, of Bertie, to Wm. Everitt. Bond July 2, 1728. Test, John Thomas, James Speir.

John Jordan, Jr., to Sam'l Woodward. 210 acres on Chowan River, Jan'y 8, 1728. Test, Elizabeth Clayton, Thos. Crews.

John Lear, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Wm. Wilkinson, of Isle of Wight Co., Va. 900 acres called "Plumpton Park" at Orapeake. Patented by John Lear grand-father of said John, recorded in Secretary's office at Williamsburg, Va. Test, Andrew Meade, David Meade, David O'Sheal.

William Jones, of Perquimans, to Abraham Hill, of Nansemond Co., Va. 640 acres in Bear Swamp, assignment of Patent dated Nov. 27, 1727. Deed dated Dec. 15, 1727. Test, Richard Bond, Thomas Walton, Wm. Havield.

William Harrison to his son William Harrison. 100 acres on North side of Albemarle Sound, part of Vines Cropley's tract, adjoining Jno. Norecomb and Wm. White, Aug. 5, 1728. Test, Fras. Pettitt, Vines Harrison.

Same to Cornelius Leary. 50 acres part of same tract, Dec. 14, 1727. Test, Wm. Smith, Thomas Harrell.

Thos. Rountree, Atty. of Nicholas Hunter and wife Rebecca, to Wm. Hunter, March 25, 1729. 120 acres on S. E. side Meherrin Swamp, where said Hunter did live, part of a patent to William Hunter of Nansemond Co., Va., father of said Nicholas. Test, Isaac Hunter, Chas. Rountree.

Same to Isaac Hunter. 100 acres S. E. side Meherrin Swamp adjoining above Patent, dated Apl. 24, 1701. Test, Wm. Hunter, Chas. Rountree.

Nicholas Hunter and wife Rebecca to Thos. Rountree. Power

of Atty to convey above tracts, Aug. 28, 1728. Test, Thos. Hiller, Thos. Husten, Wm. Marney.

Jacob Privett and wife Elizabeth to Wm. Rowden. 79 acres adjoining lands of John Jones and Major Bonner, May 11, 1728. Test, E. Porter, Thos. Betterly.

John Simons to Thomas Everenden, Jr. 120 acres North side Albemarle Sound and South west side Yoppim River, adjoining lands of Thos. Everenden, Sr., and Thos. Pierce, June 9, 1729. Test, James Rice, Thos. Pierce, Wm. Smith.

James Smith to Thomas Everenden, 30 Sber, 1728. 52 acres called Drummond's Point. Test, T. Pierce, Wm. Rayfield, Wm. Smith.

James, Hambleton to Thos. Piland, Apl. 1, 1729. 132 acres on Long Branch, adjoining land of Richard Woodward. Test, Stephen Shepherd, John Morris, Jr., also bond to same.

Dennis Callahan to Mulford Langston. 220 acres South side Morattuck River, adjoining lands of Thomas Harris, Apl. 1, 1729. Test, Wm. Rodes, Jno. Aulburn.

Jno. Worley to Dennis Calahan. 320 acres adjoining above tract, April, 1725. Test, John Edwards, John Walker.

Richard Whedbee, of Perquimans, to Paul Bunch. 640 acres on Indian Town Creek, adjoining land where Orlando Champion now dwelleth, July 31, 1729. Test, Daniel Gustian, Wm. Willson.

John Blount, of New England, to Wm. Downing. 640 acres known as Cabin Neck bequeathed to me by will of my late father Thos. Blount, March 1, 1729. Test, Jas. Blount, Benjamin Walker.

John Ames to John Bennett. 47 acres on Yoppim River, Sept. 17, 1725. Test, Thos. Pearce, Fras. Penrice, Mary Pierce.

Edward Bass and wife Love of Bertie Co., to Jos. Reddin, of Nansemond Co., Va. 100 acres on Horse Pen Swamp, adjoining land of Abraham Hill, March 28, 1726. Test, John Rice, Joseph Petilloe.

Same to same. Release for above, March 29, 1726.

Richard Malpes to John Ismay. 390 acres on North side Neuse River, July 1, 1725. Test, Fras. Pugh, Thos. Spicers.

John Sumner to James Brown. 200 acres called Hawkin's Neck, on Kendrecks Creek, Nov. 28, 1728. Test, John Hanna, Thomas Hawkins.

William Arkill to Humphrey Robinson. 50 acres part of tract where I now dwell purchased of Joseph Gilbert, at the head of a Branch of Queen Anne's Creek, Sber 2, 1728. Test Sarah Warren, Wm. Eggerton.

Marion Hawks (widow) of Charleston, S. C., to Wm. Williams, Power of Attorney, July 5, 1729. Test, John Ismay, Peter Hiling-worf.

Pagett, Sam'l to Thomas Mewborn. 160 acres on Queen Anne's

Creek, and Chowan River Pocosin, May 20, 1729. Test, Thos. Lovick, Rt. Hicks.

Pagett Margaret (widow). Deed of Gift to her children Sam'l Pagett, Wm. Pagett, Elizabeth and Mary Pagett, Sber 1, 1729. Test, Richard Jeffrys, Edward Champion, Wm. Ashley.

James Hawkins, Sr., to his brother Thomas Hawkins. Assigns deed for land purchased of James Hooper, Nov. 1, 1716. Deed dated Sber 18, 1725. Test, Wm. Downing, Jas. Bleunt.

Henry Jones and wife Elizabeth to John Ballard. Part of Land in Green Hall formerly granted to Robert Fullington. 100 acres, Feb'y 3, 1728. Test, Richard Fullington.

William Haughton to Thomas Haughton. 100 acres on the Creek Fork of Yoppim River, Sber 15, 1725. Test, Wm. Smith, John Falconer.

Nathan Miers and wife Mary to John Welch. 100 acres on North side of Poplar Run March 7, 1726-7. Test, John Parker, Paul Palmer.

Stevens Lee to Daniel Garrett. 640 acres on Welch's Creek patented by Col. Fred'k Jones, March 30, 1721, for the use of estate of my father Thos. Lee, Oct. 22, 1729. Test, Wm. Rodes, Henry Horn.

John Watson to Henry Hill, of Nansemond Co., Va. Assignment of a Patent for 140 acres patented April 1, 1713. Test, Christopher Dudley, John Gordon. (Apl. 16, 1716.)

Christopher Gale to his son Miles Gale. 130 acres on North East Branch of Queen Anne's Creek, adjoining town land, January 7, 1729. Test, Edmund Gale, Jos. Anderson, Jas. Potter.

Miles Gale to his father Christopher Gale and wife Sarah, (mother of said Miles), conveys an estate for life in above tract of land, Jan'y 8, 1729. Test, Edmund Gale, Jas. Potter, Jos. Anderson.

Joseph Harrison to Daniel Harrison. 200 acres on Rockyhook Creek, bequeathed to said Jos. Harrison, by last Will & Testament of his father, except one half to his wife Elizabeth for her natural life, Feb'y 11, 1729. Test, Robt. Hicks, John Halsey.

James Smith to Thomas Hawkins. Tract of land where I now live, March 11, 1728-9. Test, John Hanson, Jos. Crain, Rd. Leary, Rt. Hicks.

Sam Pagett to Thos. Lovick. 460 acres on S. W. Branch of Queen Anne's Creek and Chowan River Pocosin. 163 acres, part of a patent, 323 acres adjoining Wilson's land, near Tindal Swamp, July 23, 1729. Test, Robt. Hicks, E. Pagett.

William Jones of Perquimans, to Orlando Champion. 50 acres adjoining land of Widow Bond and Chas. Jordan, Dec. 16, 1728. Test, Robert Hicks, Esther Hicks.

George White to Thos. Holliday. Assignment of a Patent, for



566 acres dated Aug. 15, 1715. Deed dated Sber 28, 1725. Test, Robert Hicks, Geo. Turnedge.

William Branch to William Arkill. One acre beginning at the corner tree, joining upon Hoskin's land and that formerly Nicholas Crisp, 9ber 6, 1729. Test, John Lovick.

Lewis Conner of Norfolk Co., Va., to Jno. O'Sheal (son of David). 90 acres on Loosing Swamp, formerly part of Nansemond Co., Va. Test, David O'Sheal, March 19, 1720. Deed renewed so as to run in North Carolina, July 18, 1729. Test, Jos. Elliott, Caleb Elliott.

Mary Bufkin to Thos. Holliday. Assigns above deed, Aug. 30, 1729. Test, Josia Hart.

Edward Moseley to Fred'k Jones and Mary his wife. 240 acres on the Sound adjoining land of Jno. Benbury, Apl. 16, 1730. Test, Wm. Badham, Robt. Forster.

John White, Sr., to John Champion. Assignment of deed for 100 acres purchased by George White of Edward Williams, Sber 7, 1707. Deed dated July 18, 1729. Test, John White, Media White. Assigned by John Champion to Thos. Holliday, same date. Test, Sarah Gale, Elizabeth Clayton.

John Pagett to Rich'd Fullington. 220 acres on the Sawpitt Branch, March 26, 1730. Test, Catharine Donovan, Rich'd Jeffrys.

Media White to Mary Bufkin, Tract of Land on Chowan River, adjoining lands of Thos. Holliday, July 18, 1729. Test, Jos. Elliott, Caleb Elliott.

Thomas Mewborn to Wm. Badham. 160 acres on Queen Anne's Creek and Chowan River Pocosin, near Tindal Swamp, bought of Samuel Pagett, March 1, 1729. Test, Jo. Jenure, Kennedy O'Brien.

William Horne to Elias Stallings, Apl. 15, 1729. 100 acres known as the "Banks of Italy." Test, Michael Horn, James Donbey.

Epaphroditus Benton to John Benton. 360 acres South side Bennett's Creek called Deep Run, July 28, 1730. Test, Chas. Macklemore, John Macklemore, W. Clanton.

William Horn and wife Margaret to Elias Stallings, April 29, 1723. My manor plantation at a place called the Banks of Italy. Test, Michael Horn, John Denby.

William Horn to John Hassell, Sr., of Nansemond Co., Va. 239 acres known as Swan Creek, patented Jan'y 22, 1718.

Same and wife Margaret to John Denby, of Nansemond Co., Va. 150 acres on the Cypress Swamp July 25, 1730. Test, Elias Stallings, Michael Horn.

Riddick, Robert to Thos. Holliday. 250 acres bought of Luke White by John Jenkins came to the possession of Robert Riddick

father of said Robert, July 17, 1730. Test, Robt. Hicks, John Halsey, Chas. Cornwall.

Charles Pate to Robert Hicks. 126 acres known as the Holes Patent to Thomas Luten, March 9, 1722-3. Test, Edward Howcott, Jas. Wilkinson.

William Tyner to Robert Hicks. 80 acres adjoining above tract, July 29, 1730. Test, Edward Howcott, Henry Bond, John Robertson.

Robert Hicks and wife Hester to George Martin. 300 acres on West Side Queen Anne's Creek, July 20, 1730. Test, J. Lovick, Miles Gale, Jno. Halsey.

Joseph Jordan to John Byrom. Tract of land on Ducking Stool Branch. 150 acres, May 2, 1730. Test, John Jordan, Edward Jordan, Fras. Thomas.

John Jordan, Jr., to Francis Thomas. Tract of land known as the Fork of the Ducking Stool, Apl. 15, 1730. Test, Abraham Smith, John Duning.

Benjamin Evans to Francis Thomas. 100 acres on Ducking Stool Branch, Apl. 19, 1730. Test, John Parker, John Duning.

Joseph Jordan and wife Mary, to my sister Mary Thomas, wife of Francis Thomas. 25 acres on the Fork of the Ducking Stool Branch, Dec. 18, 1730. Test, John Byrom, Chas. Shackelford.

John Ballard and wife Mary to Jacob Privett. Release of 100 Acres, Aug. 23, 1725. Test, Robert Jeffries, David Ambrose.

John Arthur to Adam Cockburn. 100 acres Land, Aug. 9, 1724.

John White to Thomas Holliday. 50 acres on Long Branch, July 6, 1730. Test, John Jordan, Jean Jordan, Hagar Wathey.

Mary Halsey to John Halsey. My dividend of land, descended to me by will of my father, Daniel Halsey. 50 acres, Dec. 9, 1730. Test, Joshua Hyatt, Esther Hicks.

George Liles to James Costen. Tract of Land purchased of Chas. Ricketts and wife Elizabeth, Jan'y 26, 1725, 8ber 27, 1730. Test, Geo. Allen, John Pagett.

Tunis Van Gelden to William Rhodes, Apl. 19, 1726. Assignment of Patent for 100 acres dated 8ber, 1724. Test, Richard Forster, Thos. Parris.

Stevens Lee of Tyrrell to Edward Moseley. 400 acres South side Albemarle Sound, joining lands of said Lee and Jno. Worley, Augt. 18, 1730. Test, Wm. Downing, Henry Grady, Uriah Jones.

Richard Barnes to Mary Carter (daughter of Alexander and Ann Carter), April 1, 1723. Deed of Gift for 100 acres, part of a survey for 390 acres dated March 22, 1709. Test, Chas. King, Thos. Piland.

Henderson Luten to Mary Luten wife of Thomas Luten, Dec'd,

Relinquishes his interest under the will of his father Thomas Luten, May 19, 1731. Test, Wm. Little, Penelope Little.

John Keaton, Sr., to John Keaton, Jr. Part of 1200 acres, patented by John Keaton, dec'd, and Jno. Keaton, Jr. To Luke Meazell, 50 acres, said land being in Maiden-hair Neck. Test, Matthew Young, Robert Lassiter.

This land lies near the Virginia line in now Gates County.

John Stone to Wm. Morgan, Feb'y 10, 1730. 100 acres in Pagett's Neck, on Rockyhook Creek. Test, Robert Jeffry, Gabriel Cosan.

John Keaton, Sr., and John Keaton, Jr., and wife Hannah to Robert and George Lassiter. 300 acres in Broad Neck, part of 1200 acres Patent on South side of Bennett's Creek, on the Watering Hole and Herring Branch, July 28, 1731. Test, J. Fryard, John Meezle.

Joseph Champion to Thos. Luten, Jr. 50 acres in Green Hall, adjoining lands of Wm. Sadler, Jan'y 18, 1730. Test, Jno. Ballard, Edw'd Howcott.

\*Martha Halsey to her brother John Halsey. My dividend of land left me by will of my father Daniel Halsey, Oct. 28, 1731. Test Robt. Hicks, Esther Hicks.

Frances Harrell, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Richard Baker. 50 acres East side Northwest Swamp, adjoining lands of Richard Parker, Sber 19, 1731. Test, James Parker, John Arline, Thomas Rountree.

John Arline and wife Mary to Michael Ward, Sept. 5, 1731. 250 acres at the head of Katharine Creek Swamp and head of Warrick Swamp. Test, Thos. Rountree, Elizabeth Benton, Wm. Freeman.

Benjamin Small to Thomas Norfleet, of Nansemond Co., Va., Sept. 20, 1731. 100 acres adjoining lands of John King, Daniel Pugh and Benjamin's brother Joseph Small.

Nat. Wright, of Nansemond Co., Va., to George Williams. Lease of land patented by Capt. John Wright, dec'd, late of Nansemond Co., Va., Oct. 5, 1731. Test, Jacob Spivey, Wm. Wright, Jr.

Same to same Deed of Release, Oct. 6, 1731.

Wm. Wright to Jacob Spivey. Deed of Release, Sber 11, 1731. Test, Geo. Williams, Wm. Wright, Jr., James Spivey.

Wm. Wright to Joseph Spivey, Oct. 12, 1731. Deed of Release. Test, Geo. Williams, Wm. Wright, Jr., James Spivey.

John Alston to Edward Vann, July 20, 1730. 263 acres patented by said Alston, March 6, 1723. Test, Wm. Hansand, Richard Bond.

John Oxley to Stephen Archer. 344 acres adjoining land of Jno.

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\* Martha Halsey md 1st — Morney, 2nd Wm. Badham, issue Wm. Badham. She md 3d Jeremiah Mitchener.

Jones and Richard Lewis patented March 3, 1721. Deed dated March 27, 1732. Test, Wm. Harding Jones, Fred'k Jones, Wm. Liles, Jno. Jones.

Christopher Snoden of Bertie to James Ward. 200 acres South side Yeopim River, Apl. 1, 1731. Test, David Butler, Joseph Ming.

James Black and Joseph Black, of Roanoke to James Connier. 640 acres in Tyrrell Precinct on a Reedy Branch, and Round Meadow, adjoining land of Jno. Howell and Whiley, also binding on Blount's Branch, March 30, 1732. Test, Edward Sygers, Peter Young.

William Jordan to John James. 25 acres in Morattuck, adjoining land of Nath'l Everett, July 12, 1729. Test, Richard Swinson, Elizabeth Hawkins.

Wm. Eggerton to Thomas Ming. 300 acres near Wm. Haughton, adjoining land of John Porter, Dec. 22, 1731. Test, Samuel Warren, Thos. Penrice.

Edmundson, Mitchell to John Worley, Jr. 640 acres South-side Chowan River, known as Long's Neck, June 3, 1730. Test, Robt. Stanley, Evan Jones, John Worley, Rich'd Harrington.

John Lewis to Wm. Lewis. Tract of Land at Queen Anne's Creek, being part of tract, where I now dwell on and whereon my father, Richard Lewis, dec'd, formerly dwelt, adjoining lands of Capt. Paggett, 180 acres, Sber 10, 1729. Test, Robert Hicks, Esther Hicks.

John White to Mary Bufkin, 200 acres on East side Chowan River, adjoining lands of Elizabeth Parker and Thos. Holliday, May 17, 1729. Test, Media White, Caleb Elliott, Rich'd Wilson.

Richard Barnes to Edward Hare. 100 acres adjoining land of John Pipkin, Aug. 3, 1731. Test, Moses Odom, Moses Hare, Rd. Barnes.

John Pipkin and wife Sarah to Charles Gaffin. Tract of land adjoining Alex Carter, 100 acres, Feb'y 19, 1730. Test, Samuel Merritt, Henry Williams.

Joseph Milner to John Sumner. A patent granted to Thos. Milner, dated Apl. 13, 1703, who died without a will and by right of inheritance came to me. 300 acres on N. E. side of Cypress Swamp, a branch of Somerton Creek, adjoining John Lee's Land, Feb. 5 1731. Test, Wm. Sumner, Jo. Hare, Jno. Best.

Thomas Wiggins to Richard Wiggins, (both of Nansemond Co., Va.) 50 acres at the Honey Pot, March 18, 1728-9. Test, W. Barsoon, Matt Christian, Jno. Sumner.

Margaret Sparkman (widow) to her son Stephen Sparkman, a certain lot of stock to be given him when 19 years old, Augt. 4, 1729. Test, John Green, John Sparkman, Henry Baker.

Richard Berryman to John Jenkins, Apl. 18, 1732. 100 acres

on North side Warrick Swamp. Test, Thos. Garrett, Thomazin Garrett.

Henry Bonner to George Martin. 320 acres North side Mattacommack Creek, and N. E. side of Filbert's Creek adjoining land of Philbert and Rowdon, Apl. 6, 1732. Test, Geo. Nichols.

John King to John Benton, Jr., Dec. 20, 1731. 374 acres on South side of Bennett's Creek. Test, Henry Bonner, John Williams, Constance Luten.

Same to Same. Release, Dec. 29, 1731.

Media White to Benjamin Small, July 4, 1731. 100 acres on the Herring Gut, adjoining lands of Geo. Allen, in Rockyhock Neck. Test, John White.

Wm. Jones to Chas. Jordan, Dec. 22, 1731. 640 acres adjoining lands of Thos Bray of Perquimans. Test, James Hailes, Edward Williams, Wm. Jones.

Meredith, Joseph and wife Janette, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Wm. Walters. A patent of land dated June 10, 1728. Deed dated Aug. 9, 1731. Test, John Walters, John Walters, Jr.

Joseph Small, of Perquimans, to Olive Morgan (widow), July 27, 1732. 100 acres where Jno. Small lately lived, part of 467 acres patented in 1714 by Jno. Small, sold by said Small to Joseph Small, Oct. 27, 1725. Test, Jno. Walters, Jno. Odom.

Ralph Bozman. Patent for 640 acres, adjoining lands of Capt. Thos. Bray. Isaac Wilson, John Robins and Deborah Halsey, Mch. 9, 1717-8. Assigned by Jessop to Jno. Halsey, Oct. 17, 1732. Test, Edward Mayo, Robt. Hicks.

George White to John Freeman. Assignment of deed for land bought of John Jordan Jan'y 7th, 1717-8. This deed dated Aug. 18, 1729. Test, Robt. Hicks, Geo. Turnedge.

Edward Dowdy of Nansemond Co., Va., to Abraham Odom. 320 acres joining upon land of Wm. Waters and John Hambleton, Sber 10, 1732. Test, John Waters, Wm. Waters.

David Atkins to Gabriel Cosans, Jan'y 16, 1730. 50 acres on Rockyhock Beaver Dam, Jan'y 16, 1730. Test, Robt. Jeffrys, Robert Fullington.

Thomas Mewborn to Thomas Pierce. Assigns deed for 50 acres purchased March 30, 1732, of Wm. Smith. Nov. 2, 1732. Test, Thos. Smith, Cornelius Leary, Wm. Horton

John Braveboy to John Wait. 50 acres South west side Yeopim River purchased of Edward Owendell, Sber 17, 1732. Test, Thos. Pierce, Jos. Barroie, Francis Pettitt..

Edward Hassell and wife Elizabeth of Scuppernong to Abraham Hassell. 200 acres at mouth of Rider's Creek, Nov. 10, 1734. Test, John Hassell, John Pagett.

Sam'l Merritt to Ann Moor, of Nansemond Co., Va. 160 acres adjoining lands of John Duke and John Drury, Nov. 4, 1734. Test, Wm. Gatling, Chas. Morriss.

Same to Wm. Brown. 160 acres on Beaver Dam Swamp, adjoining lands of John Drury and Joseph Ballard, Augt. 22, 1733. Test, Edward Hare, Chas. Morris, Wm. Gatling.

John Adderly to Benjamin Walker. 100 acres back of Coneby Creek, Mch. 12, 1733-4. Test, Hannah Jearkin, Wm. Stilly.

Edward Wood to Robert Chapple and his son Jonathan Chappell and Mary Rutter, 50 acres land and all the movable estate he hath in Chowan Precinct, on the North side of Warrick Swamp, known by the name of Fox Branch, bought by said Wood of John Goodin in 1715. My movable estate to be divided between Robert Chappell and my daughter Mary Rutter, Oct. 12, 1734. Test, Thos. Rountree, Isaac Hunter, Thos. Garrett.

William Rountree and wife Rachel, of Perquimans, to Thomas Hobbs. Tract of land on South side Katharine Creek Swamp. 50 acres. Test, Sam'l Perry, Thos. Rountree.

Thos. Rountree and wife Elizabeth to Samuel Perry of Perquimans County. Assignment Jan'y 15, 1734. Test, Jonathan Clift, Charles Rountree.

James Hambleton to Thos. Piland. 68 acres. Test, Thos. Eccleston, Richard Sparkman, Jno. Garrett.

John Cake and wife Mary and Mary Burkett to Thos. Wallis 130 acres on Stopping Creek, near Catharine Creek, and Warwick Swamp, except 10 feet square where Thos. Burkett late husband of said Mary is buried, Jan'y 15, 1734-5. Test, Benj. Small, Thomas Rountree.

Benjamin Small and wife Mary, to Robert Coleman, of Nansemond Co., Va. 167 acres near the head of Bennett's Creek, adjoining land of Wm. Speirs and Daniel Pugh. 467 acres issued by grant to Jno. Small, of Nansemond County, Va., June 16, 1715. This deed is dated July 16, 1734. Test, Thos. Rountree, Thomas Wallis.

William Mackey, of Edenton, to Joseph Anderson. One half of 640 acres on Indian Town Creek, where James Farlo now dwells, patented by Col. Pollock and conveyed by him to Thos. Bray, by Bray to Rich'd Whedbee, by Whedbee to Paul Bunch and by Bunch to Wm. Mackey, June 5, 1734. Test, Sarah Rowdon, Frances Williams.

David Lawler to Walter Phelps. A tract of land given him by his father, who patented same Oct. 10, 1712. 70 acres on Poplar Branch, Oct. 16, 1734. Test, Thos. Carman, John Phelps.

Gabriel Cosan to Henry Bonner. 15 acres bounded by the Bear

Garden Pocosin, Jan'y 1, 1734. Test, Jane Phillips, Henry Bonner, Jr.

Wm. Hambleton and Stuart Hambleton to our brother James Hambleton. 200 acres patented Nov. 20, 1728, adjoining land of Richard Woodward on Long Branch, Oct. 16, 1734. Test, Thomas Eccleston, John Garrett, Thos. Piland.

Wm. Mackey, of Edenton, to Robert Halton, one-half plantation on Indian Town Creek adjoining other half sold Jos. Anderson, June 15, 1734. Test, Robt. Forster.

James Baker, of Nansemond Co., Va., to John Porter of same place. 117 acres on Cabin Branch, West side Chowan River, Nov. 26, 1728. Test, Robt. Forster, John Ismay.

John Bryan to John Everit. Patent granted me March 26, 1734 for 240 acres South side Roanoke River, May 15, 1734. Test, Jno. Gray, W. Bray.

David Lawler to James Hinton. 30 acres on ye Spring Branch, Feb'y 12, 1732-3. Richard Woodward to John Norris. 100 acres on the S. W. side Sarum Swamp, adjoining lands of Thos. Piland and Jno. Nickols, June 5, 1734. Test, John Green, Thos. Morris.

Bray, Thos., to Alexander Camrill. Assignment patent for 640 acres, adjoining land of Robert Hicks and John Watson, March 30, 1720.

Robert Hicks to John Robertson. 80 acres bounded as per Patent, March 2, 1719. Test, Edward Howcott.

James Fleming and wife Mary to James Maglohon. 150 acres on S. E. Chowan Neck at Stumpy Neck, Apl. 28, 1720. Test, Jos. Glohon, Paul Phillips, John Phillips.

John Wesland to John Rasberry. Assignment of a deed for 350 acres bought of Dennis Macklenden, May 8, 1719; Jan'y 21, 1719-20. Test, Robt. Hicks, Wm. Grosvenor.

Nathaniel Everit to his wife Mary Everit, plantation where I now dwell at Morattuck, to her during her life and at her death to my son Nathaniel, to eldest daughter Mary Everit 100 acres, daughters Elizabeth and Sarah Everit, part of land called Posine Neck, Sept. 2, 1720. Test, Benj. Blount, Rich'd Swinson, John Edwards.

John Lillington to Jeremiah Vail. 100 acres between lands of John Porter and Wm. Wilkinson. Also 300 acres, where I now live bought of Thos. Luten, Nov. 28, 1719. Test, Maurice Moore, Joshua Porter, Sr., Sarah Swain.

John Gray to John Cherryholme. 440 acres, adjoining lines of James Boon and Wm. Maule, July 21, 1719-20. Test, Wm. Maule, Wm. Gray, Peter DeShone.

Jno. Pettiver to Jno. Burkett, March 28, 1720. Balance gone.

John Banks to John Urmstone, Clerk, Apl. 9, 1715, Tract of

land on Albemarle Sound. 300 acres. Test, C. Gale, J. Lillington, Robt. Moore, Edw'd Moseley.

Nath'l Chevin to Thomas Cary, May 7, 1715. Tract of land on Matacomack Creek, where I dwell.

Edward Smithwick to Nathan Moore. 100 acres adjoining lands of Edward Berry, 8ber 20, 1714. Test, Henry Speller, Edward Smithwick.

Same to son Edward Smithwick. Deed of Gift for land on Morattuck.

Wm. Davis to Jacob Lewis, Jan'y 17, 1714. 180 acres adjoining land of John Early on Wicacon Creek. Test, John Brown, Jacob Lewis.

Michael Kearney to Edward Kearney (his brother) of Va., Power of Atty. Aug. 22, 1719.

John Davis and wife Mary to Wm. Branch. 50 acres at the head of Mattacomack Creek, adjoining lands of John Wheatley, July 4 1704. Test, Nathaniel Chavin, Jas. Fleming,

Thomas Luten and wife Mary to \*Thorogood Pate, Apl. 3, 1704. Assignment of a Patent. Test Henry Sutton, Thos. Everit.

William Early and wife Ellinor to John Beverley. 100 acres near Petty Shore, July 4, 1704.

Wm. Duckinfield to Jo. Ardene, \*\*Salmon Creek plantation, 1702,

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LETTER FROM JON ARDENE TO SIR RICHARD DUCKINFIELD.

Hampton Town, Sept. 24th, 1708.

SIR:

I am much surprised to find, the unreasonable jealousies, you entertain of my having obtained too great an interest in your brother. A belief \*\*\* \*\*\* and ungenerous and little in my opinion, altogether unbecoming your birth and quality.

But that which I must wonder at is yt you can affirm a thing so notoriously false to say I ever made to you, any Imprecations or Vows of any kind neither did you ever require any of me.

To worry your family or any one else I would sooner embrace death than do it, but fairly to propogate my own interests I hope it may be allowed me by the Laws of God and Man.

To be plain your writing after such a manner being afflicted with

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\*Thorogood Pate was a nephew of Nathaniel Chevin.

\*\*This plantation of 4000 acres was owned by Seth Sothel, Governor of the Colony, in 1689 he died and bequeathed it by will to Francis Hartley. Francis Hartley's widow, Susannah Hartley, married Wm. Duckinfield, hence his ownership. He conveys to Jno. Ardene, who also took out a grant for the said 4000 acres in 1707; the original grant on parchment is still in existence. The lands are now owned by Dr. W. R. Capehart and his sisters. Seth Sowell is buried somewhere on the estate.



such ungenerous Conceptions is directly against your interests for it was and is my Intentions, if your provocation prevent not, to let your brother's kindness to me, revert to some of your family whom I find best to deserve it, for as your good brother hath been a father to me, I intend to do the same unto one of your family, never having nor ever Intending to have any of my own to provide for.

This is the substance of what I have to write and as I find it accepted, you shall hear further, My humble service to yourself and most Excellent Lady, Col. Neville Hyde and all friends, conclude in exceeding haste, from Hon'd Sir,

Your Most humble Serv't,  
JO. ARDENE.

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NOTE—Refer to Jno. Ardene's will in Vol. 1, No. 1, and you will find that he verified his intention by bequeathing all of his property to "Kinsman Wm. Duckingfield."

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Wm. Copeland and wife Christian to their son-in-law Peter Parker. 200 acres land to him and his heirs born of his wife my daughter Grace. July 17, 1714.

Abraham Hill and wife Judith to Jacob Spivey, Feb'y 7, 1732.

Edward Smithwick and wife Africa, to John Jones, Sr. Assigns patent of Smithwick Warburton, Dec. 1, 1702. Test, Thos. Garrett, Nath'l Chevin.

James Long to Richard Johnson. Conveys Entry of 540 acres, East Side Coneby Creek, Jan'y 5, 1702--3.

Smithwick, Warburton to Edward Smithwick, Oct. 10, 1702. Assigns a patent. Test, Susannah Charlton, Luke Measell.

Richard Burke and wife Mary to ——— Early, Aug. 20, 1702. Illegible. Test, Thomas Marks, James Bush.

Edward Smithwick to Smithwick Warburton, Nov. 1, 1702. Tract of land adjoining land of John Tailers. Test, Susannah Charlton, Luke Measell.

Roger Snell and wife Elizabeth to John Yelverton. Tract of land in possession of Richard Darling, Dec. 1, 1702. Test, John Jones, Henry Lilse.

William Brown and wife Martha to ———. 640 acres on North side Meherrin River. Feb'y 2, 1714--5. Test, George Smith, John Smith.

George Smith to James Curlee, July 6, 1714. Land west side Wicaco Creek. Test, Robert Evans.

Thomas Everit and wife Dorothy to ———. 168 acres in Rockyhook, Oct. 2, 1700.

Elizabeth Fendall widow of John Fendall, to Henderson Walker. 530 acres land 1698.

John Rutland and wife Margaret to \_\_\_\_\_

Thomas Spivey to his son Jacob Spivey, Apl. 18, 1720. 150 acres West side Catharine Creek.

Robert Shirer and wife Dorothy to Patrick Maule. Patent dated June 10, 1706.

James Fleming to Nicholas Crisp and John Jordan. Church-Wardens of Easternment Parish of Chowan Precinct, for promoting the Public Worship and service of Almighty God, do confirm unto the said Church Wardens one square acre of land lying and being at Hunter's Mill, Feb'y 11, 1719-20.

James Long and wife Ann, to Joshua Turner. 100 acres called the River Neck, on the Sound, July 17, 1719. Test, — Hawkins, John Swain.

John Davenport to Thos. Gaylord. 43 acres on South side of Deep Creek, at the head of Spruell's Bay, April 17, 1719. Test, Sam'l Spruell.

John Yelverton and wife Elizabeth to \_\_\_\_\_. 150 acres on Flaggy Run, adjoining land of Henry Rodes, July 18, 1722. Test, John Steward, Henry West, Wm. Jones.

Same to John Steward. 300 acres adjoining lands of Henry Rodes and Jno. Nairn, July 18, 1722.

Benjamin Blount and wife Elizabeth to Thos West. Part of tract of 640 acres on Hawkins' Branch, May, 1719. Test, John Goulding, Wm. Norris.

Martha Brown (widow of William) to Thomas Boon. 380 acres part of patent for 640 acres to Wm. Boon, dated Nov. 29, 17—.

Beal A. Brown to Edward Howcott. 200 acres North side Ahotsky Swamp, Sber 17, 1719. Test, Rebecca Hardy.

### HEAD RIGHTS.

Mr. Nixon proved his Rights; Isaac Page, Damerous his wife, Mary, Damerous and Elizabeth his daughters and Stephen Hanrork, new Rights Zach Nixon, Elliner his wife and Eliz his wife, Robin an Indian.

Solomon Poole proved his rights, himself and 3 pruver.

Timo Mead 2 wives or husbands, Elliner Brown, a young daughter. Will Travers proves his rights; Saray his wife, Francis Wilmot, Sam Morris, Jno. King.

This paper is without date but is very old, probably about 1680.

## THE EDENTON TEA-PARTY.

CONTINUED.

## MRS. JEAN BLAIR.

Jean Duncan Johnston (daughter of Samuel Johnston and wife, Helen Scrymgeoure and sister of Gov. Samuel Johnston and Mrs. Hannah Iredell) married \*George Blair.

The issue of George Blair and wife Jean Duncan Blair *nee* Johnston.

A. Helen Scrymgeoure Blair md. Samuel Tredwell Collector of the Port of Edenton (appointed by Geo. Washington, Presd't) for many years prior and up to the time of his death. Mr. Tredwell md. 2nd Frances Lenox. No issue by 2nd marriage.

B. William Blair never married. He was appointed in 1787, Clerk of the Superior Court of North Carolina for the district of Edenton, the position was filled with ability and credit.

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\* George Blair came from Scotland (North Britain) about the year 1756; he entered the mercantile business with Joseph Hewes and Charles Worth Blount, under the firm name of Blount, Hewes & Blair; they did a large and widely extended business, being importers and owners of several vessels. The port of Roanoke (Edenton) was at that time the most important 'Port of Entry' in the Province. Her commerce extended to nearly all the countries of the Old World, the West Indies and South America. The imported goods were transferred directly from the vessels to flat-boats, which carried them up the Roanoke river to different points, from which they were transported by wagons, through the country to the stores of the smaller merchants doing business in the counties contiguous to the Roanoke River and its tributaries; who, in exchange for these goods, returned in the same way to the merchants of Edenton, the products of the soil and woods, consisting chiefly of furs, tobacco, grain, shingles and staves, (cotton was then unknown, for the first record we have of its production is taken from the records of the Custom House at Edenton in 1772, when *two bags* were exported from Edenton) this trade continued until the building of the Raleigh and Gaston and Seaboard and Roanoke Railroads, the completion of which brought financial ruin upon the mercantile interests of the town, caused by its trade in a large measure being diverted to Norfolk, Va., which became a more convenient and direct port of entry to the business interests of upper North Carolina. The records in the Court House at Edenton show an immense amount of business transacted by this firm (for a period so early in its history).

Mr. Blair died in 1772 and was buried in the Johnston cemetery at Hayes; Mrs. Blair survived her husband for a number of years, she sleeps beside her husband at Hayes.

The will of George Blair is recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Chowan county, at Edenton, and is recorded in Will Book A, page 51; it bears date July 4, 1771 and was probated April Term, 1772; in it he mentions "Wife Jean, sons William, George and Samuel, each of my daughters (not named); wife Executrix; Sam'l Johnston of Edenton, Josiah Granberry of Norfolk, Va., James Gibson of Kelton in Galloway and brother David Blair of Dumfries in North Britain, Exrs. Test. John Green, Will Halsey.

Mrs. Jean Blair's letter to her son, William Blair, dated Sept. 25, 1785, was probated and recorded as her will, it is found in the same office which contains the will of her husband, recorded in Book B, pages 128, 129 and 130. In this letter she mentions her sons William and George and daughters Peggy and Nelly. The son Samuel mentioned by her husband had preceded his mother to the tomb.

C. Margaret Blair md. 1st Dr. Sylvester Hosmer, issue Margaret Hosmer died young. She md. 2nd Dr. Matthias E. Sawyer.

D. Samuel Blair never married.

E. George Blair md. July 3, 1799. Mary King (daughter of Thomas King and wife Mrs. Elizabeth Little, widow of Andrew Little.)

Issue of \*Samuel Tredwell and wife Helen Scrymgeoure Tredwell *nee* Blair.

1. James Iredell Tredwell born Nov. 5, 1799, died July 25, 1846 md. April 10, 1827 in St. Paul's Church, Edenton, N. C., Mary Bonner Blount born April 12, 1808, daughter of \*\* Joseph Blount II and wife Lydia Bonner. Issue,

(a) Margaret Frances Tredwell born Mch. 5, 1828, died Dec. 28, 1851, md. Nov. 28, 1848, \*\*\*Dr. William Trippe Bryan.

(b) Jane Moore Tredwell born Dec. 23, 1831, died July, 1854, md. April, 1854, Dr. Wm. Trippe Bryan.

(c) Elizabeth Mutter Tredwell born Feb. 19, 1834 md. April 28, 1856 Dr. Wm. Trippe Bryan. Issue,

(1) Helen Blair Tredwell Bryan, born Jan'y 25, 1857 md. Isaac

\* John Alden (Pilgrim 1620) and wife Priscilla had issue David Alden, whose daughter Elizabeth Alden, md Deacon John Seabury. (a grand-son thro' his father Samuel, of Dr John Seabury of Duxbury, Mass.) issue Parson Seabury (father of Rt. Rev. Samuel Seabury. 1st Protestant Episcopal Bishop in America) whose daughter, Elizabeth Seabury, md Dr. Benjamin Tredwell (son of Col. Benjamin Tredwell of Great Neck, Queens county, Nassau Island, New York) issue Samuel Tredwell, md 1st Helen Scrymgeoure Blair; 2nd Frances Lenox, daughter of Dr. Robert Lenox and wife Frances Lenox *nee* Pollock (daughter of Cullen Pollock and wife Frances West). Cullen Pollock was the son of Gov. Thos. Pollock (died in 1722) and wife Mrs. Martha West *nee* Cullen (died in 1700) widow of Robert West, Jr. (died 1689) and daughter of Thomas Cullen and wife ——. Thomas Cullen was a member of the Governor's Council in 1670 (See N. C. Historical and Genealogical Record, Vol. I, No. 1, page 135). Governor and Mrs. Pollock were interred at Bal-Gra on the Chowan river in Bertie county, N. C., but were removed some years ago to St. Pauls Cemetery, Edenton, N. C. by the Vestry of the Parish to save their remains from the encroachment of the water.

\*\* Joseph Blount II, was the son of Joseph Blount I, and his 2nd wife Mrs. Elizabeth Scarborough, widow of McRora Scarborough. Mrs. Scarborough was at the time of her 2nd marriage to Scarborough, the widow of Wm. Reed (son of Gov. Wm. Reed and brother of Christian and Jos. Reed) of Pasquotank Precinct, he died in 1737 leaving one son, Wm. Reed. Joseph Blount, I. was the son of John Blount and wife Elizabeth Davis (married in 1695 by Col. John Fendall) daughter of John and Mary Davis and grand-daughter of John Burton (died in 1687). The Davis's and Burtons were residents of Henrico county, Va

Lydia Bonner, wife of Joseph Blount II, and grand-mother of Mary Bonner Blount was the daughter of Thomas Bonner (died 1775) and wife Mary Roberts died 1789, a sister of Jonathan Roberts and Mrs. Mourning Brickell (both of Hertford county, N. C.) and sister of Mrs. Lydia Shepherd.

\*\*\* Dr. Wm. Trippe Bryan was the son of Carney John Bryan and wife Elizabeth Garrett. Carney John Bryan was the son of Jesse Bryan, born July 3, 1744, and wife Mary Carney. Jesse Bryan was the son of William Bryan and wife Ann —, of Craven county, N. C.

Davenport, of Richmond, Va., issue (a) Alice Hathaway Davenport, born Nov. 11, 1878, died July 6, 1879. (b) Edward Courtney Davenport, born May 27, 1880, died July 12, 1882.

(d) Helen Blair Tredwell born Dec. 11, 1835, died May 15, 1837.

(e) Helen Blair Tredwell, No. 2, born Dec. 15, 1837, md. April 13, 1858, John Blount Daniel, of Memphis, Tennessee. Issue (1) Mary Blount Daniel born Mch. 22, 1859 md. Oct. 31, 1883, Daniel W. Shoep, Rocky Mount, N. C. Issue (a) John Shoep born Aug. 31, 1884, (b) Henry May Shoep born July 4, 1886, died May, 1888, (c) Frank Wood Shoep born June 26, 1888. (d) Daniel Wood Shoep born Mch. 3, 1891, (e) Adam Tredwell Shoep born Oct. 3, 1893, (f) Lewis ——— Shoep born Feb'y 5, 1896, (g) Helen Blair Shoep born Aug. 17, '98, died Sept. 17, '98; (h) Isaac Davenport Shoep born July 25, 1900.

(2.) Henry May Daniel born April 7, 1862 md. Dec. 14, 1887, Josephine Roberts, of Norfolk, Va. Issue, Helen Blair Daniel born June 7, 1890, Dorothy Pulaski Daniel born April 21, 1895, Mary Bonner Blount Daniel born April 10, 1897, John Cheshire Daniel, born Nov. 1, 1899.

3. Sarah Littlejohn Daniel born Aug. 9, 1864, md. Nov. 23, 1887 Edward G. Rawlings of Richmond, Va. Issue Edward G. Rawlings born November 22, 1888, Helen Blair Rawlings born Aug. 4, 1890; Susan Pattie Rawlings born Sept. 15, 1892; Lewis Daniel Rawlings born Oct. 22, 1894; Sarah Littlejohn Rawlings, born Nov. 25, 1896; Margaret Muse Rawlings born March 30, 1900.

4. Frances Lenox Daniel born April 11, 1867 md. August 17, 1887 Benjamin W. Hargrave (Wilson, N. C.) Issue (a) Elizabeth Prussia Hargrave born Oct. 30, 1890, (b) John Daniel Hargrave born Sept. 23, 1893; (c) Benjamin W. Hargrave born Dec. 18, 1895; (d) Frances Lenox Hargrave, born March 17, 1898; (e) Helen Tredwell Hargrave born Jan. 29, 1901.

5. John Mutter Daniel born August 23, 1870, died Oct. 24, 1872.

6. Seabury Tredwell Daniel born Dec. 5, 1873.

(f) Adam Tredwell born Feb. 13, 1840 md. Aug. 9, 1866. 1st Annie May Baker daughter of Wm. J. Baker and wife Sarah F. Baker, died Nov. 15, 1886. Issue (1) Sarah Collins Tredwell born Jan'y 20, 1868 md. May 12, 1888 William Holder Kennedy, of England. issue William Holder Kennedy born March 17, 1893:

(2) James Tredell Tredwell born Jan'y 5, 1870 died June 23, 1871.

(3) Mary Blount Tredwell born Feb. 26, 1871. (4) William Baker Tredwell born July 20, 1876, md. Nov. 3, 1897 Mary Evelyn Dalton of Norfolk Va., issue (a) Mary Baker Tredwell born Sept. 29, 1898.

(b) Mary Evelyn Tredwell born Dec. 21, 1901.

Adam Tredwell md. 2nd Dec. 9, 1896, Elizabeth Perkins Roy, of

Washington, D. C., (daughter of Col. James P. Roy and wife Kate L. Roy. No issue by 2nd marriage.

(g) Frances Lenox Tredwell born May 20, 1843, md. Nov. 8, 1865 Edward Courtney Jenkins, of Baltimore, Md. Issue (1) James Iredell Jenkins born Oct. 23, 1866, md. April 12, 1898, Mary Louisa Dobie (daughter of R. A. Dobie and wife Margaret Dobie, of Norfolk, Va.; (2) Emma Courtney Jenkins born Sept. 1, 1870, died April 4, 1872; (3) George Gibson Jenkins born Mch 27, 1873 died Feb'y 25, 1874; (4) William Allen Jenkins born Mch. 6, 1875; (5) Annabel Ravenscroft Jenkins born Oct. 23, 1877; (6) Agnes Burkett Jenkins born April 11, 1880, died April 27, 1883; (7) Frances Lenox Jenkins, born May 17, 1883.

2. Margaret Penelope Tredwell (daughter of Samuel and Helen S. Tredwell) died single.

3. Frances Johnston Tredwell (daughter of Samuel and Helen S. Tredwell) md. Governor James Iredell. Their descendants appear in No. 2 of Vol. II N. C. Historical and Genealogical Register under head of the Edenton Tea Party.

Issue of George Blair and wife Mary Blair *nee* King.

1. George Blair III md. Margaret Frances Sawyer daughter of Dr. Mathias E. Sawyer and wife Margaret Sawyer *nee* Blair. She died at 19 years of age. George Blair III. md. 2nd in Rapides Parish, La., Mrs. Calvit *nee* Cocke.

2. Elizabeth Little Blair born 1802 died 1852 md. Joshua Skinner (son of Joshua Skinner and wife Martha Ann Skinner *nee* Blount), daughter of Charles Worth Blount and wife Mary Blount *nee* Clayton. No issue.

3. Henry King Blair died young.

Issue of George Blair III and 1st wife Margaret Frances Sawyer.

1. James Iredell Blair died young.

2. Mary Louisa Blair md. Jan'y 18, 1848, Thomas Courtland Manning.

By 2nd marriage to Mrs. Calvit *nee* Cocke.

3. George Blair C. S. A. killed in battle at 2nd Manassas, Va.

4. William Alston Blair went with Walker to Nicaragua and was never heard from.

5. Elizabeth Little Blair died in infancy.

6. Samuel Blair died young.

George Blair III died in New Orleans, La., in his 41st year.

Issue of Hon. \*Thomas Courtland Manning and wife Mary Louisa Manning *nee* Blair.

1. Bessie Blair Manning died at 11 years of age.

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\* Thomas Courtland Manning was born in Edenton, N. C., Sept. 4, 1825. and was the 25th and next to the youngest child of his father, Joseph Manning, by his 2nd

marriage to Mrs. Sarah Long *nee* Haughton, (Joseph Manning's 1st wife was Sarah Pell, sister of William Pell and aunt of Rev. W. E. Pell of Raleigh, N. C.). Hon. John Manning, late of the University of North Carolina, was a nephew of Hon. Thos C Manning.

Thomas Courtland Manning received his early education at the Edenton Academy and was there prepared for College, he entered the University of North Carolina but remained only one year when he returned home and commenced the study of law. He soon became qualified to secure his license and began the practice of his profession in his native town; he did not wait long for clients; his maiden argument was made in a very important case and was a masterly effort for one so young in the profession, its clear presentation of the facts to the jury and well prepared and well arranged citations of the law and Supreme Court decisions to the Judge contributed in no small degree to a successful issue of the case. Many were the hearty congratulations of his associates of the bar and friends throughout the district. Shortly after he was appointed Clerk and Master of the Equity Court for the District of Edenton, which position he filled with rare ability up to the time he removed from Edenton. He was a member of the Faculty of the Edenton Academy during the years 1854 and 1855, having in charge the Greek and Latin department; the writer had the good fortune to be under his tutelage, and recalls with kindly and grateful memory the hours he spent under his tuition, his patient and anxious consideration for the welfare and development of those committed to his care can never be forgotten, there was no harshness in his discipline and not a single instance of punishment can be recalled during his entire term. His rules were cheerfully complied with, for his scholars loved, honored and almost revered him.

As we recall him he was a magnificent specimen of manhood, tall but well proportioned, of commanding appearance with a finely shaped head and well developed features, which with his fair complexion and neat, faultless dress, indicated a high degree of culture and refinement; his massive brow and penetrating eye presaged the success he achieved in later life. His dignity of carriage, polished manners and fine conversational powers, without any apparent effort, won the friendship of all with whom he came in contact, he was especially courteous to those in humble circumstances, the humblest citizen was never passed unnoticed, a smile of recognition, a kind expression, or better still an act of kindness, often sent a ray of sunshine into a darkened heart and home. He was a student whose close application manifested its fruit in his public utterances as well as in the social circle. As a public speaker he was deliberate in thought, chaste in language, clear and distinct in enunciation and graceful in delivery. His personal magnetism was wonderful.

He was devoted to his home and family, could always be found there when his business engagements for the day were concluded, and was as true as steel to his friends. Much to the regret of the people of his native town, he removed from Edenton to Alexandria, La., about the 1st of January, 1856, where he at once engaged in the practice of his profession; his rise in the favor and popularity of his new acquaintances was rapid and in 1861 he was elected by his constituents as a delegate to the State Convention of Louisiana; in 1863 was appointed a Brigadier General of the C. S. Army, from which position, in 1864, he was elevated to a seat on the Supreme Court Bench of the State; in 1877 he became Chief Justice, the highest professional honor the State could confer upon him; in 1880 was Elector-at-Large on the National Democratic ticket; elected to the U. S. Senate from Louisiana in 1881, and one of the Trustees of the Peabody Fund. On August 30, 1886, Judge Manning was appointed by President Cleveland, Minister to Mexico, he arrived at his post in the City of Mexico, October 19, 1886; was confirmed by the U. S. Senate February 14, 1887; the volume on "Foreign Relations" for 1887 contains the important correspondence conducted with him during his term of office. While on a leave of absence from his post he died in New York City, October 11, 1887 in the 63rd year of his age. The positions to which he was called by the people were filled with credit to himself and honor to the State. In his death the State of Louisiana lost one of her most valuable citizens and the country one of her brightest intellects. *Requiescat in pace!*

2. Nina Manning md. W. K. Johnson, of Rapides Parish, La., who died leaving one son Charles Manning Johnson now grown. Mr. Johnson's father removed from Oxford, N. C., to Louisiana.

3. Winnefred Alston Manning died at 5 years of age.

4. Thomas Cathcart Manning md. Florence Roberts, of Tennessee and died at 25 years of age, leaving one daughter Lena Maude Manning.

6. Sara Manning md. Hon. Donelson Foster of St. Mary's Parish, La., later removed to New Iberia, La. He is at present Judge of the District Court, composed of Iberia and St. Martin's Parishes. Judge Foster descends from the Hoskins family of this, Chowan co., N. C. They have no issue.

7. Helen Maud Manning md. John W. Compton, of Rapides Parish, La., he also removed to New Iberia where he is engaged in mercantile pursuits. Issue (a) Mary Louisa Compton; (b) Courtland Manning Compton; (c) Bessie Compton (died in infancy); (4) Sara Maud Compton.

Mrs. Thomas C. Manning and her three daughters Mrs. W. K. Johnson, Mrs. Donelson Foster and Mrs. John W. Compton with their families are all residing in New Iberia, La.

Issue of Dr. Mathias Sawyer and wife Mrs. Margaret Hosmer *nee* Blair.

1. \*Samuel Tredwell Sawyer md. Lavinia Peyton (daughter of Francis Peyton, of Alexandria, Va.

2. Lemuel Sawyer md. Louisa A. Cleveland, of Newark, N. J. (This lady descended from the same family from which came ex-President Cleveland.)

3. Matthias Sawyer. (We have been informed he died unmarried.)

4. Margaret Frances Sawyer md. Geo. Blair III. Issue already given in this article.

5. Eliza Ann Sawyer md. Mch. 21, 1821, Wm. D. Lowther (son of Tristram Lowther and wife Penelope Dawson).

Issue of Hon. Samuel T. Sawyer and wife Lavinia Peyton.

1. Fannie Lenox Sawyer.

2. Sarah Peyton Sawyer md. Edward Wadsworth Ayers of Washington City, D. C.

3. Laura Sawyer.

Issue of Edward Wadsworth Ayers and wife Sarah Peyton Ayers *nee* Sawyer.

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\* Hon. Samuel T. Sawyer represented the District of Edenton, N. C., in the U. S. Congress, was for a number of years Editor of the *Norfolk Argus* and later became Collector of Customs of the City of Norfolk. He died some years ago in Washington City, D. C., having removed there from Norfolk, Va.



Gustav Ayers, M. E. Consulting Engineer, Columbian University, D. C.

The address of Mrs. Edward Wadsworth Ayers is No. 1114 New Hampshire, Avenue, Washington, D. C.

Issue of Lemuel Sawyer and wife Louisa A. Cleveland.

1. Dr. James Sawyer died unmarried.

2. Cleveland Sawyer md. Helen Thompson daughter of John Thompson, of Edenton, N. C.

3. Lemuel Sawyer md. his cousin Mary J. Lowther, no issue, and she lives at Killeen, Belle Co., Texas.

Issue of Cleveland Sawyer and wife \*Helen Sawyer *nee* Thompson.

1. Louisa Cleveland Sawyer md. Robert Milton McArthur, of Winston, N. C. Issue

(a) Robert Sawyer McArthur, (b) Helen Elizabeth McArthur. Mrs. Cleveland McArthur's address is 302 Broad St., Winston, N. C.

Issue of Wm. D. Lowther and wife Eliza Ann Lowther *nee* Sawyer.

(a). Dr. Samuel J. Lowther md. Susan Gordon, daughter of John Gordan. No issue. Dr. Lowther lived and died at the old Gordon home near Holly Grove, Gates Co., N. C.

(b) William D. Lowther moved to Texas about 1857.

(c) Margaret B. Lowther md. Sept. 6, 1855, H. G. Jollie. She is dead and Mr. Jollie lives with one of his daughters in Philadelphia. We have written him but reply not yet received.

(d) Charles Lowther.

(e) Penelope Lowther.

(f) Mary J. Lowther md. her Cousin Lemuel Sawyer. No issue.

(g) James Lowther.

(h) Annie Lowther.

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\* Mrs. Helen Sawyer md 2nd Rev. Beverly Waugh Daugherty of the M. E. Church, South, later of the Protestant Episcopal Church; issue, one son, William Daugherty, now grown and living in the West.

## MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

(Original in Court House at Edenton, N. C.)

Isaac Winston, of New Kent Co., Va. (1735).

James Clayton of Edgecomb Precinct, (1735).

Elias Stallings, Nicholas Stallings, Henry Stallings and Simon Stallings, of Perquimans Precinct, (1736).

William Stubbs and Jean Cullen were married in St. Thomas Parish, Beaufort Precinct, Dec., 1733. James Adams and Mary Jewel were married Dec. 19th, 1733. Roger Kearney and Mary St Leger were married Dec. 20, 1735, Rev. Henry Croften officiating.

At a Court held at ye House of Wm. Reed Jan'y 17, 1697-8. Present Henry ———, John Jennings, Wm. Reese, Jno. Hawkins Esqs. Edward Mayo, Clk.

At a Court held at ye House of Richard Pope, Pasquotank Precinct, the 3d Monday in July, 1694. Present, Jno. Hunt, Henry White, Thos. Reese, Jno. Jennings, Jno. Hawkins, John West, Tho. Symonds, Wm. Collings, Justices. Edw'd Mayo, Clk

Edward Grainger suit vs. Rich'd Harrold.

Court held Feb'y 12, 1694, for the Precinct of Chowan. George Branch proved his rights, for himself, wife, William, George, Elizabeth and Phyllis Branch and Margaret Thomas. Assigned to Nicholas Crisp.

Henderson Walker, Gov., May 14, 1694.

Thos. Hogg's will mentions his son and Jno. Dacost to take charge of his estate. No date but about 1696. Test, Dianah A. Halford. Mary Nash.

Schr Fish Hawk Reg. at Newport, John Phillips, Master, arrived at Edenton, N. C. May 1, 1775.

Sloop Little Hester, Daniel Willmot, Master, Reg. at New York, arrived at Edenton, N. C., May. 1, 1775.

Schr. Buncombe, Jno. McCrohon, Master. Reg. at Port Roanoke, Edenton, N. C., Sept. 20, 1775.

Brig Experiment, Hugh Orr, Master, from Glasgow, (Reg. at Sown), Sept. 30, 1775.

Jno. Pettiver's rights, for himself, Wm. Davis, Edward Clarke, Daniel Dyer, Judeth Clark, Mandy Doune, Negro Peter, Indian John, Indian Tom, Negro Nan, Indian Jeanny.

Benedict Arnold, Master of the Brig Harriet at Edenton, N. C., March 2, 1774, and was then bonded.

Sarah Gums sister of Elisha Gums, grand-children of Richard Skinner the emigrant to N. C., (1755).

Jno. Lyell md. a daughter of Wm. Rowdon.

Hannah Sanderson Admr. of her late husband Richard Sanderson, of Perquimans Precinct (Little River), (1737).

Joseph Long, Master of Schr. Polly cleared for Cadiz, Spain, from Edenton, N. C., Oct. 25, 1775.

Sloop Charles of Swansey, Noah Chace, Master, arrived at Edenton, N. C., from Rhode Island, Jan'y 28, 1775.

Dr. Henry Bate, of Bertie Co., (1739).

Wm. Rigsby md. Elizabeth Rigney daughter of John, 1739.

Daniel and Theophilus Pugh, Exrs of John Pugh of Pasquotank Co., (1741).

Sam'l Johnston suit vs. James Galaway, of Bladen, (1738).

Schr. Boscawen, Wm. Allen, Master, arrived at Edenton, from Salem, Jan'y 7, 1775.

Schr. Defiance, John Howard, Master from Plymouth, Mass., to Edenton, N. C., Jan'y 7, 1775.

Ann Shirley, widow and Exx. of James Shirley, New Hanover Co., 1740.

John Walker (son of John) suit vs. Joseph Enniss who married the aunt of his father; there were three children of John Walker, Sr., two sons and one daughter, they all came from Barbadoes to N. C. about 1738.

Schr. Hawk. Ebenezer Sylvester, Master from Plymouth to Edenton, N. C., Feb'y 27, 1775.

Brigantine Johnston, Jno. Dunston, Master, from Jamaica to Edenton, entered Feb. 27, 1775.

John Hecklefield, son of John of Little River was born in 1717.

Sloop, Little Mesler, Daniel Wilmot, Master, from Edenton to New York, May 3, 1775.

Brig, Charlotte, Sam'l Phillips, Master, from Rhode Island to Edenton N. C., Dec. 18, 1775.

Ralph Mason aged 24 yrs in 1724.

Thomas Lowther in Colony in 1724.

Wm. Folk in Bertie in 1725.

George Booth. of Princess Anne Co., Va., suit vs. Jos. Wicker, of Currituck (1712),

William Scolley, of Boston, letter to his attorney relative to a suit in 1724.

Joshua Porter and Catharine his wife, formerly wife of Wm. Glover. 1723. Said Catharine Exx. of Tobias Knight, dec'd, her 2nd husband, 1723.

A Court was held for Bertie Precinct at the Court House on Timber branch Feb'y 10, 1724. Present, Wm. Maule, Nath'l Hill, John Holbrook and John Dew Justices.

Edw'd Moseley and Wm. Downing, Exrs., of Thos. Lee Dec'd, 1726.

Hill Savage in the Colony 1725.

Jonathan Montfort, Joseph York and Elizabeth Mitchell widow of John Mitchell late of Charlestown New England, late owner of the Sloop Hannah and Mary vs. Edward Mayo surviving Exr. of Ann Jennings, dec'd, widow formerly Ann Scarborough 1715.

James Trotter, grand-father of Wm. Coltrane 1747.

Miles Gale applied for administration on the estate of his father Miles, lately deceased 1747.

Zilpha Watson, widow of John Watson, 1747.

Will Jones and Isaac Williams petition as Overseers of the Road leading from the foot of a causeway through a pocosin, which road runs from the Banks of Chowan River to Sarum near John Rogers plantation, where he formerly lived, the whole road is about 14 miles long.

Robert Hicks had only two children living in 1748, Thomas Hicks and Mrs. Mary Halsey.

Wm. Skinner md. about 1752, Sarah the widow of Thomas Corprew, dec'd.

William Ormond and wife Ann Exx of Abraham Adams, 1736.

James Lyons was a merchant in New Hanover Precinct, 1735.

Jno. Yelverton was in Edgecombe Precinct in 1736.

Thos. Eggleston appears in Edenton as early as 1734.

Alexander Campbell was in Bertie prior to 1736.

Robert Hill was in Edgecombe prior to 1736.

Barneby McKinne was living in Edgecombe in 1736.

Rev. Bevil Grenville appears in Numerous Suits 1736.

Jno. Ballard was living in Edgecombe in 1737.

James Catheart suit vs. Aaron Adams in 1737.

John and Richard Billings, Merchants of Boston N. E., in 1735.

Att a Court held for the Precinct of Curratuck, began the 7th day of October 1728. Present, Capt. Jno. Sanderson, Thos. Taylor, Capt. Jno. Woodhouse, Capt. Rich'd Church, Jno. Etheridge and John Mann, Justices.

Suit of Thomas Lowthar vs. Robert Wheatley. Also April 8, 1729. Same Justices except Wm. Parker appeared in the place of Jno. Mann. Also at a Court held for the same Precinct, Oct. 27, 1729. Present, Jno. Mann, Jno. Etheridge, Wm. Parker, Moss Linton, Chris'r Merchant, Ralph Mathan, Esqs., Justices. Again on the 6th day of Jan'y, 1729-30. Present Capt. Rich'd Church, Jno. Mann, Jno. Etheridge, Wm. Parker, Moss Linton, Fras. Morse.

At a General Court for the Province, held at the Court house in

Edenton Tuesday 27th day of Oct., 1724. Present, Thos. Pollock, Wm. Downing, Isaac Hill, Robt. Lloyd, Justices.

It was ordered that the land for the mill be laid off. Notice being given to the heirs of Thos. Lee or their Guardians.

A bond appears signed by Nathaniel Edwards, Thos. Hart and Drury Gee, Northampton Co., dated Dec. 8, 1768, in a suit with Henry Delaney.

John Reed admr of Wm. Reed (grand-son of Gov. Wm. Reed), of Pasquotank Co., 1782. William Reed died after 1776.

Schr Pearl, Joseph Deering, Master, from Piscataqua to Edenton, Feb'y 1, 1775.

John Smith married Ann Jasper, daughter of Richard Jasper prior to 1743.

Thomas Leary and Joshua Worley, Exrs. of John Worley, dec'd, suit with Thomas and Joseph Blount, 1742.

Tobias Oakman, of Boston N. E., Master of Sloop Sally, Jan'y 22, 1774.

Sloop Friendship, of Rhode Island, Peter Techy, Master, from Edenton, N. C., to Rhode Island Sept. 3, 1774.

Schr Elizabeth of Philadelphia, Wm. Brown Master, from Edenton to Phila., Sept. 17, 1774.

Henry Baker, Merchant of Isle of Wight Co., Va., 1703.

Thomas Hill, of Edgecombe, 1740, Robt. Hill of same Co., 1740.

Joseph Howes, of New Hanover Co., married Elizabeth Waters daughter of Joseph. She had a sister Sarah Waters, and brothers Willaim and Joseph, Exrs., of their father Joseph. Joseph died in 1739, left wife Sarah, sons William, Joseph, John and Samuel, daughters Martha, Sarah and Elizabeth md. Job Howes. (All of New Hanover Co.)

Richard Eaves, Jennet Eaves, Wm. Eccleston and wife Elizabeth *nee* Eaves, residuary legatees of Ralph Eaves, who died in August, 1741. Jno. Starkey and John Bryan Exrs.

James Washington, of Bertie, suit vs. Thomas Washington, 1742.

Thomas Slatter and Martha Slatter, Exrs., of Thos. Slatter, 1741.

John Summerell, Exr. of Thos. Summerell, suit vs Wm. West of Edgecombe, 1742.

Zachariah Chancy's house was burnt Mch. 19, 1745.

George Walton, Master of Brigantine Sally. Sept. 13, 1773.

Joshua Worley's grand-father and grand-mother were James Long and wife Elizabeth Long, the latter left sons Thomas and John, a daughter who md. Jacob Blount. Grand-son James Long, Giles Long and John Long also descended from James.

Richard Washington, of Northampton Co., suit vs. John Washington, 1745.

Issachar Branch md. one of the daughters of Wm. Stewart, (1739).

Mary Pagett widow of Samuel II. md. 2nd James Quinn about 1750.

Francis Foy appears in Chowan in 1755.

Thos. Hoskins petitions to build a mill on Bridge Swamp near the Main Road leading from Virginia to Edenton, 1748.

Micajah Hinton, orphan of Wm. Hinton, 15 years of age in 1737.

Elizabeth Hinton, Exx. of John Hinton, 1737.

Joseph Creecy petitioned for Administration Est. Edw'd Standing, dec'd, who left several small children. Said Creecy md. Sarah, widow of said Edward (1738).

Mrs. Jane Fallaw's 1st husband was Edward Parks.

William Wood father of Wm. Wood died and his widow Mary md. — Burdnett. (No date.)

Thomas Leary died in 1760. Cornelius Leary his Admr.

Barbara Harrison widow of Joshua.

William Bonner md. a daughter of Henderson Luten, niece of Wm. Luten, Henderson Luten left 5 children but one died shortly after himself.

Elizabeth Underhill relict and Exx. of Edward Underhill, Atty. at Law, 1757, this family come from New York to N. C.

Henry Bond son of Richard Bond, one of seven children, 1738-9. Sarah Bond his mother md. 2nd James Costen. of Meherrin Neck, 1737.

Henry Bonner had daughters Mary Bonner and Deborah Bonner, md. — Thompson, Pet. of Wm. Lewis and wife Elizabeth (1739).

John Baker, 14 years of age chose his mother Ruth Baker as his Guardian.

Henry Baker's children, Mary, Blake, Sarah, David, Ruth, and Zadock, all minors; (no date.)

Sarah and Mary Standing, children of Edward 1744. Henderson Standing son of Edw'd married a daughter of Luke Gregory, 1754.

Thos. Pugh's bond to keep a Ferry on Chowan River opposite to his lands in Bertie Co., formerly Outlaw's, 1744.

Timothy Yeates md. the widow of Peter Young, 1744.

John Richards, father-in-law of Laws Predy became adm'r of Joseph Boyintone, said Richards died in 1744. His mother-in-law Mary Richards also dead.

Sarah Grosvernor daughter of Sarah Falconer. 1744.

Thos. Burkett md. widow of Wm. Haughton, 1753.

Mary Buncombe daughter of Joseph Buncombe and wife Ann Durant md. Sam'l Sutton prior to 1753.

Sol. King petitions for License for a Billiard Table in Edenton, 1747.

Abraham Van Horn and Cornelius Kortright of New York (City now) fitted out and received letters of Marque and Reprisal, Oct. 19, 1739, for Brigantine Hester, 32 guns, 110 men, Samuel Bayard, Master, in case of his death Nath'l Richards Lt.

Edmund Hatch and Mary Clark Baptist Exrs. of Dr. Benj. Baptist, 1753. The Dr. is buried at Strawberry Hill Farm near Crisp Creek about  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a mile East of the Court House in Edenton. A plough turned up the slab over his grave early in 1901. He died in 1752. (Editor).

Rebecca Yeates and daughter Mary Young, 1753.

Thos. Hobbs in 1753 left six minor children in care of Mary Hobbs.

Henderson Luten's children were James, Ephraim, Henderson and Sarah who md. Henry Bonner, another child died before the father.

Zachariah Chaney became Gdn. to Sarah Baker, 1745.

Dr. Sam'l Pagett left four children, (1) Elizabeth md. Jno. Hodgson, (2) Penelope md. 1st Jno. Hodgson, 2nd James Craven, 3rd Thos. Barker, whose 1st wife was Mrs. Ferebee Pugh *nee* Savage, widow of Francis Pugh, of Bertie Co., N. C. (3) Sarah Pagett md. Joseph Eelbeck.

Mrs. Sarah Corprew widow of Thomas, was the daughter of Miles Gale and grand-daughter of Christopher Gale.

Mrs. Elizabeth Clayton widow of Zebulon of Perquimans, (1737).

John Wallis will Chowan Oct. 26, 1756. Mentions grand-son John Parker son of my daughter Elizabeth Parker, grand-daughter Lydia Parker (daughter of Elizabeth) grand-children James, Samuel and Eurah Parker (children of Elizabeth) daughter Mary Parker, son-in-law Peter Parker Exr. Test, Wm. Boyd, Mary Long, John Simson.

Wm. Branch's widow md. Robert Kingham, 1747.

John Lovick, son of Thomas Lovick, of Bertie County Court, 1750.

Mary Paget widow of Sam'l who md. 2nd James Quinn was under 21 years of age at the death of her 1st husband.

Jno. Edwards was killed in Bertie Co., N. C., Sept. 1, 1750.

Francis and Elizabeth Branch orphans of Wm. Branch II.

Thomas House was living in Bertie Precinct as early as 1728.

Richard Oldner md widow of Tredle Keefe in 1725, (Bertie).

Edward Outlaw suit with Wm. Dowers in 1725, (Bertie).

A Power of Attorney from Geo. Durant to his wife Ann Durant, bears date May 20, 1675; it was probably executed at the time he went to England.

Elizabeth, widow of Thomas Haughton, md. 2nd John Penrice; 3rd Jacob Butler, daughter Mary Haughton md. Thos. Ming. (1778).

Mrs. Elizabeth Brimmage, Gdn. of Wm. West Brimmage, 1778.  
 Frances Pollock wife of Cullen died in March, 1757. Cullen died Feb'y 9, 1750.

Isaac Speight in 1858 had children Mary, Isaac and Elizabeth Speight. Thomas Speight father of Isaac had the following children in addition to Isaac. (1) Ruth Speight md. Joseph Jordan; (2) Zilpha Speight md. Timothy Walton; (3) Mary Speight md. William Benbury; (4) ——— md. Solomon Sheppard; (5) Elizabeth Speight md. Christopher Bunn, of Isle of Wight Co., Va.; (6) Priscilla Speight md. Thos. Jordan, of Va.

George Pollock son of Gov. Thomas Pollock md. Apl. 18, 1734, Elizabeth Whitmell, Geo. Pollock died Oct. 27, 1736, Mrs. Elizabeth Pollock *nee* Whitmell md. 2nd Feb 24, 1736-7, Thomas Blount, who died Sept. 1st, 1745 and Mrs. Elizabeth Blount *nee* Whitmell md. Oct. 2, 1746, Wm. Williams.

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### QUERIES AND ANSWERS.

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Wanted the ancestors of John Wyatt Blake born about 1749, son of ——— Blake and wife Elizabeth Wyatt, also ancestors of Charles Hayes born about 1790 md. Elizabeth House they were connected with the Norfleets and Burchards; the information is desired for a lady in Athens, Alabama.

Mrs. Lytle Buchanan, 1436, 4th Avenue, Louisville, Ky., is a descendant of Barneby McKinne.

A lady of Edgewood, Ga., writes relative to her ancestors, her great-grand father was Joseph Moore md. Jane Evens (daughter of ——— Evens and Elizabeth Lynch according to the family tradition Elizabeth came from the family originating the Lynch Law about 1688) they had at least four children, Joseph Moore, Hugh Moore, Patsey Moore md. Maj. Wm. Smith from Cumberland Co., Penn., an officer under Gen. Washington's command, John Moore, the three first mentioned removed to Greene Co., Georgia from Mecklenburg Co., N. C., about 1785. John Moore remained in N. C., in 1845 one of his descendants Rev. Wm. H. Moore went to Georgia and married his cousin a descendant of Patsey Moore Smith. He was a graduate of Davidson College and a Scholar. Was the Joseph Moore first mentioned a descendant of the emigrant James Moore who had a son John Moore, John had sons James and Joseph? John Moore went to Kentucky and was the first President of Transylvania University, 1799. Joseph Riley Moore and Dr. Vase Stewart were engaged in business in New bern, N. C., in 1810, the Rileys are related to the Moore's referred to above. Any information of the



family will be greatly appreciated. Address the Editor of the Register.

A lady of Swansboro, Ga., asks for information of Burrel Moor-ing who was living in 1830 in N. Carolina. Wanted his ancestors. Can any of our readers assist us?

A lady of Shreveport, La., writes that Maj. Gen. Thomas of the Rev. War, md. Nancy Hathaway. The lady descended from James Wright Alston son of Willis Alston who md — Thomas. James Wright Alston lived in North Carolina at what was known as the "Old Red House" at the time he married his wife, her home was known as the "Winters Place," Mrs. James Wright Alstons' grandfather was Dr. Jessie Falconer, her uncles were Isaac and John who lived near in Halifax Co., her father was D. B. Allen, her mother was Lucretia Faulcon. Who was Nancy Hathaway and where did she live at the same time of her marriage? Was she the same Ann Hathaway member of the Edenton Tea-Party Oct. 25, 1774.

Abraham Hill (son of Abraham Hill and Judeth and grand-son of Henry Hill) md. Jan'y 7, 1756, Christian Walton (the marriage bond in the body says Katharine but is briefed Christian) Thomas Walton surety to bond. Issue, John, Abraham, Henry, Sarah, Judie, Noah, Clara, Miles, Wylie, Polly and Thomas the 2nd son was born Jan'y 14, 1759. Abraham Hill served as a private in Lt. Col. John Croppers command attached to Gen. Woodford's Brigade (See page 286 Records of the Rev. War, by W. T. Raffel; he died in Wilkes Co., Ga., Feb'y 4, 1792, his wife Christian died there July 6, 1808. Abraham Hill son of Abraham and grand-son of Henry Hill sold in 1756 shortly after his marriage his landed estate. He removed to Wake county, N. C. This deed is signed by Abraham Hill and wife Christian and executed to Josiah Granberry; it is recorded in Book H. No. 1, page 101, and bears date 1756.

Henry Hill was probably his nephew, md. about 1773, Sarah Walton, their 3rd son was born 1778. Issue Theophilus, John, Abraham, Elizabeth md. Josiah Woods of Va. Nancy md. Col. Wm. Johnson, of N. C. Sarah md. — Lumpkin; they removed to Wilkes County, Ga., about 1790 and died there. Abraham Hill, Sr., died in Chowan in 1760, his sons were Henry, Abraham, Isaac and Theophilus, Theophilus Hill's son died in S. C. in 1826. Abraham Hill one of the Lords of Trade was born April 18, 1633, died Feb'y 5, 1721, in Kent Co., England (Chalmers Biographical Dictionary).

We insert here from the Conveyances of Chowan Precinct and County as follows: To Henry Hill of Nansemond Co., Va., from John Watson, Apl. 17, 1716. 140 acres land on North East Shore of Chowan or Deep Run. Book B, No. 1, page 253.

To Henry Hill of Nansemond Co., Va., from Jno. Watson Oct.

22, 1729. Assigns Patent. Book C, No. 1, page 617.

To Abraham Hill, of Nansemond Co., Va., from Richard Skinner, July 13, 1719. 200 acres Land near the Punch Bowl (now Centre Hill) Book W. No. 1, page 189.

To Abraham Hill of Nansemond Co., Va., from Richard Benfield, Aug. 5, 1720. 500 acres land in Perquimans Precinct, Book W., No. 1, page 597.

To Abraham Hill from Wm. Jones, of Nansemond Co., Va., Dec. 5, 1727. 640 acres land a Patent in Chowan Precinct. Book C. No. 1, page 547.

To Wm. Hill of Chowan Precinct from Chowan Indians Nov. 4, 1734. 100 acres land on the fork of the Indian Swamp at Aaron Blanchard's, Book W. No. 1, page 251.

To Henry Hill, of N. C., from Chowan Indians, Aug. 4, 1733. 50 acres on Bennett's Creek Swamp. Book W., No. 1, page 216.

Moses Hill from Thos. Spivey and wife Mary, 1720. 100 acres of Land North Side of Catharine Creek. B. No. 1, page 14.

Wm. Hill of the Island of Antiqua, from Basil Sanderson, June 1, 1721. The tract of land whereon his mother Mary Porter then dwelt (in 1717) and also tract where his father Jno. Porter lived near to Bluff Point, 860 acres. Book B. No. 1, page 195.

Wm. Hill from Henry Hill and Chowan Indians, Sept. 19, 1747. 150 acres land on Mirey and Gabriel branches. Book F, No. 1, page 224.

Abraham Hill of Chowan from Jno. Perry, of Bertie, July 26, 1740. 100 acres of land patented by Edward Homes and John Rice of Nansemond Co., Va., 1695. Book C, No. 2, page 122.

Guy Hill of Chowan Co., from Ann Rountree and Francis Rountree Sr., her husband, Meh 30, 1742. 86 acres of Land on North Side Catharine Creek. Book A, No. 1, page 146.

Henry Hill of Chowan County from Chowan Indians, March 22, 1742. 300 acres land on Bennett's Creek Swamp. Book A, No. 1, page 173.

Henry Hill from Chowan Indians June 19, 1744. 640 acres beginning at the lower end of the old Indian town, thence to Bennett's Creek Swamp. Book E, No. 1, page 82.

Guy Hill from Jno. Blitchenden, Feb'y 14, 1746-7. A tract of land now in possession of Abraham Hill on Meherrin Swamp. Book E, No. 1, page 284.

Abraham Hill, Sr., from Daniel Pugh Meh. 25, 1757. Part of a tract of land patented by his grand-father Daniel Pugh, April 26, 1698. 50 acres, on Cypress Swamp, in Chowan Co., Book H, No. 1, page 106.

Abraham Hill, Jr., and wife Christian from Thomas Walton (to

his daughter Christian). Conveys certain Chattel property, Dec. 8, 1756. Book H, No. 1, page 189.

Hugh Hill from Josiah Granberry, of Chowan and Edward Riddick of Nansemond Co., Va., Feb'y 3, 1761. 100 acres of land formerly belonging to — Hill who gave the same to his son Abraham Hill who with his wife Elizabeth, Oct. 14, 1732, deeded same to said Granberry and Riddick. Book K, No. 1, page 190.

Guy Hill from Amos Trotman, Oct. 26, 1765. 10 acres land on North side of Catharine Creek Swamp. Book L, No. 1, page 113.

Micajah Hill from Joab Spivey, Apl. 11, 1763. 75 acres land on Middle Swamp adjoining land of Abraham Hill. Book M, No. 1, page 117.

Solomon Hill, of Bertie, from Luke White, Sr., Oct. 26, 1759. 100 acres land adjoining Joseph Small's land in Chowan Co. Book M, No. 1, page 100.

Henry Hill from Henry Riddick Exr., of Wm. Sumner, Dec'd, Nov. 17, 1766. 320 acres on Mercy Branch, Book N. No. 1, page 33.

Aaron Hill from James Griffin, Dec. 16, 1771. 25 acres land on East side of Chowan Road. Book P, No. 1, page 36.

Henry Hill from Everard Garrett, Aug. 20, 1771. One lot and one half in Edenton, windmill excepted. Book Q, No. 1, page 58.

Guy Hill to his son Kedar Hill, April 8, 1776. 84 acres on the run of Catron Creek. Book P, No. 1, page 253. (Deed of Gift.).

Guy Hill to his son John Hill, June 3. 82 acres of land on North Side of Catron Creek. Book P, No. 1, page 254, (Deed of Gift.).

Guy Hill to Kedar Hill, Oct. 24, 1776. 126 acres land on the South side of Catron Creek. Book R, No. 1, page 9.

Kader Hill to Guy Hill, Oct. 24, 1776. 126 acres land on South side of Catron Creek. Book R, No. 1, page 10.

Moses Hill from his father Abraham Hill, Deed of Gift, Nov. 1, 1777. 50 acres North side Catharine Creek. Book R, No. 1, page 87.

Henry Hill, Sr., from Wm. Littlejohn and Joseph Blount, Nov. 9, 1779. Lot No. 26 new plan town of Edenton. Book R, No. 2, page 313.

Abraham Hill and wife Judah to Jacob Spivey, Oct. 20, 1729. 100 acres land in Perquimans Precinct. Book W, No. 1, page 204.

Abraham Hill, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Wm. Hinton of same place, Jan'y 30th, 1720. 75 acres land at the head of Horse-pool Swamp. Book C, No. 1, page 111.

Abraham Hill, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Edward Bass of Norfolk Co., Va. 100 acres of Land lying at the head of the Horse-pool Swamp—patented by said Hill's father, March 1, 1718—the deed is dated Jan'y 30, 1720. Book C, No. 2, page 113.

Same to John Bass, of Albemarle Co., N. C., Jan'y 30, 1720. 200 acres adjoining above tract. Book C, No. 1, page 115.

Abraham Hill to Samuel Harrell, Feb'y 7, 1740-1. 100 acres of Land taken up and in the possession of his father Henry Hill. Book C., No. 2, page 120.

Abraham Hill, of Chowan Co., N. C., to Richard Briggs, July 19, 1743. 150 acres land lying on Bass' March being part of a tract granted by my father Henry Hill, Book A, No. 1, page 251.

Abraham Hill to John Rice, July 18, 1743. 100 acres lying near the Great Marsh part of above patent. Book A, No. 1, page 262.

Abraham Hill to John Jones, Jan'y 13, 1745-6. 200 acres of land on the Horse-Pool Pocosin. Book E, No. 1, page 64.

Abraham Hill to James Phelps, Jan'y 14, 1745. 100 acres of land lying in Hickory Neck bought by said Hill's father, Henry Hill. Book E, No. 1, page 66.

Henry Hill to Thomas Walton, Feb'y 20, 1747. 142 acres of land with the Islands on Catharine Creek. Book E, No. 1, page 293.

Mary Hill, widow of Henry Hill of Nansemond Co., Va., to Thos. Herman, of Albemarle Co., N. C., April 18, 1720. Genl. Power of Attorney, Book F, No. 1, page 8.

Abraham Hill to Thos. Rountree, Apl. 20, 1720. Power of Attorney to appear in suit vs. John Watson. Book F. No. 1, page 14.

Abraham Hill and wife Judith Hill, of Chowan County to Moses Hambleton, Sept. 26, 1749. 100 acres of land near the head of Gum Pocosin granted to Henry Hill father of sd. Abraham. Book F, No. 1, page 217.

Abraham Hill and wife Judith to Josiah Granberry Dec. 8, 1756. Tract of land purchased of Jno. Perry, of Bertie Co. 100 acres, one other tract sold by Jno. Price to Henry Hill father of said Abraham, who patented same July 11, 1719, on Meherrin Swamp. Book H, No. 1, page 101.

Solomon Hill to Jno. Lewis, Dec. 30, 1756. 100 acres near Rockyhook Creek in Chowan. Book H, No. 1, page 206.

Henry Hill and Abraham Hill to Wm. Hinton, March 3, 1763. 401 acres of land formerly belonging to Henry Hill, adjoining Isaac Harrell's Line. Book L, No. 1, page 135.

Theophilus Hill, of Dobbs Co., N. C., to Elisha Hunter, Nov. 5, 1763. 640 acres land in Bear Swamp granted to Wm. Jones by a patent dated March 20, 1730, which he sold to Abraham Hill father of said Theophilus. Book M, No. 1, page 73.

Theophilus Hill, of Dobbs Co., N. C., to Wm. Speight, Nov. 7, 1763. 150 acres in Cypress Swamp, land purchased from Daniel Pugh by Abraham Hill (Book M, No. 1, page 86.)

Henry Hill to Wm. Hinton, Dec. 21, 1763. 250 acres on Mirey

brook issuing out of Bennett's Creek, (Book M, No. 1, page 90.)

Theophilus Hill, of Edgecombe Co., N. C., to Samuel Hicks, Nov. 8, 1763. 200 acres land in Chowan Co., known as the Punch Bowl, (now Centre Hill) part of a Relapsed patent bearing date 1718. M, No. 1, page 130.

William Hill of Chowan Co., N. C., to Hardy Griffin, of Nansemond Co., Va. 150 acres land on Mirey Branch near Gabriel branch, March 1, 1758. Book N, No. 1, page 37.

Henry Hill to Timothy Walton, July 15, 1767. 150 acres land on Crooked branch issuing out of Bennett's Creek, formerly part of the grant to the Chowan Indians. Book N, No. 1, page 56.

Abraham Hill to Moses Speight, Feb'y 21, 1763. 174 acres of land patented by said Abraham Hill in 1759. Book N, No. 1, page 97.

Micajah Hill to Thomas Trotman, Dec. 28, 1764. 75 acres land on the Middle Swamp. Book N, No. 1, page 118.

Henry Hill to Robt Taylor, July 10, 1767. 160 acres land, part of Grant to Chowan Indians on Bennett's Creek. Book N, No. 1, page 141.

Hugh Hill, of Nansemond county, Va., to James Jones, of Perquimans Co., March 9, 1768. 100 acres land which land formerly belonged to Abraham Hill (his son) who and wife Elizabeth sold the same to Josiah Riddick and Edw'd Riddick and they sold to Hugh Hill. Book N, No. 1, page 167.

Robert Hill, of Pasquotank Co., to Elisha Hunter Dec. 5, 1766. Two tracts of land in Chowan Co., granted to Thos Spivey and by him given to said Robert Hill. Book N. No. 1, page 187.

Abraham Hill, to John Ownley, Reg'd Sept. 29, 1769. 160 acres land adjoining land of Guy Hill. Book O, No. 1, page 137.

Henry Hill to William Coffield, Nov. 19, 1769. 100 acres land on Bennett's Creek Swamp. Book O, No. 1, page 176.

Guy Hill to Abner Eason, Dec. 9, 1769. 50 acres land part of a patent to Thos. Blichenden dated in 1730. Book O, No. 1, page 179.

Henry Hill to Edward Briscoe, Oct. 26, 1771. 25 acres land on Bennett's Creek Pocosin. Book P, No. 1, page 91.

Henry Hill and Thomas Taylor to Everard Garrett, Aug. 20, 1771. 250 acres land on Maple Branch. Book Q, No. 1, page 29.

Guy Hill to Amos Trotman, Feb'y 10, 1775. 250 acres land, part of the Blichenden patent named above. Book Q, No. 1, page 188.

Aaron Hill, of Guilford Co., N. C., to Jacob Bagley, Feb'y 20, 1774. Three tracts of land containing 355 acres on Catharine Creek. Book R, No. 1, page 33.

Henry Hill to Robert Hardy, of Edenton, Apl. 20, 1777. One lot and one half lot in the town of Edenton where the widow Littledale lives formerly belonging to Everard Garrett. Book R, No. 1, page 60.

Henry Hill, of Gates Co., to Thomas Garrett, Aug. 19, 1782. Lot No. 20 in the Town of Edenton, N. C. Book R, No. 2, page 314.

We cannot follow any further from the Chowan Records, as that part of Chowan in which the Hill family resided, was taken in 1779, to form Gates Co., where the rest of their conveyances are recorded.

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### SOME SAVAGE—BARKER DATA.

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The Genealogical MS. Company, of 152 West 46th St., New York, furnishes the following:

"The Ancient and Noble Family of the Savages of the Ards," a work compiled by "G. F. A." published we believe by Marcus Ward & Co., London and New York, under chapter devoted to the Virginia branch, contains the statement that Thomas Savage I. born 1592, arrived in Virginia from Chester, England, in 1607, married Hannah (or Ann) and had a son Capt. John Savage who was born in 1624 and was twice married. First to Ann Elkinton of England. The children of this marriage were: Susanna who married John Kendal and Grace who married George Corbin; Capt. John's second wife was Mary Robbins, and the children of this marriage were Thomas II., John, Elkinton, and Mary. Capt. John died 1678. Thomas Savage II. b. 1669 married Alicia Harmanson. The children of this marriage were Thos. III, George, Margaret, Mary, Zerebee and Sophia.

Suspecting that "Zerebee" was identical with Ferebee, the wife of Col. Francis Pugh and afterward of Mr. Thomas Barker, we proceeded to investigate.

Mr. James Francis Savage, of Lowell, Massachusetts, (Massachusetts branch) informed us that the initials "G. F. A." were those of Professor George Francis Armstrong, M. A., Queen's College, Cork, Ireland, and that Mr. Charles Chauncey Savage, of Philadelphia, was a descendant of the Virginia branch, whereupon we communicated with both these gentlemen and learned from the latter that the data in "The Savages of the Ards" relative to the Virginia branch was supplied by his mother from facts gathered by his father; that "Zerebee" appears in some papers as Ferebee, the name being written both with the "Z" and the "F" and that she married Francis Pugh in September 1722. Later a letter from Professor Savage-Armstrong, who since the death of the last male representative of the Savages of Glastry in the Ards, has assumed the double surname, reassures us of the correctness of our theory.

The lady's name was undoubtedly "Ferebee" read "Zerebe:" through some indistinctness in the early MSS.

The Savages come of noble stock, boasting even royal blood, and it is to be regretted that Professor Savage-Armstrong has not attempted to establish the connection between the different branches of the family. If, however, all continue the search in the right direction whenever opportunities present themselves, we may yet succeed in establishing the line.

By reference to this Register under date of January 1901, at page 28, it will be seen that as late as 1782 there was evidently intercommunication among the connections in Virginia, North Carolina and County Down, Ireland.

It may be of interest to your readers to know that Professor-Savage-Armstrong has attained literary distinction and is known as "The Poet of Wicklow," his latest work being "Ballads of Down."

It will be seen from the above that the statement which appears in Mr. Newhall Barker's History of the Barker Family that Ferebee Savage was a native of Cornwall, England, is therefore conclusively disproved.

\*We would like also in this connection to correct two other errors, one in the North Carolina Historical and Genealogical Register of October, 1900, at p. 515 to the effect that Thomas Barker was born in "Rhode Island"; and the other in an article on "The Historic Tea Party of Edenton in 1774", by Dr. Richard Dillard, published in the Magazine of American History, under date of August, 1892, stating that Mr. Barker was a "Scotch Lawyer".

The branch of the Barker family to which the husband of Ferebee Savage belonged came from England to Massachusetts, settling first in Pembroke, where the old Garrison House, the home of the first Barker, stood from 1640 (we have also seen it stated 1628) to 1894. The immediate family of the subject of these corrections moved to Hingham, Mass., the writer, a descendant, having had the pleasure of visiting both towns and owning some of the wood of the old house. Thomas Barker, afterward distinguished at the North Carolina Bar was undoubtedly born in Massachusetts, most likely in Hingham.

QUERY. PORTER-BROWN.—The remains of "Colonel" Reese Porter, "of North Carolina," lie buried at Pulaski, Tennessee, where the inscription on his tomb states that he was born February 26, 1744, and died February 13, 1821. "He owned a large body of land

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\* Dr. Dillard in his article on the Edenton Tea Party, published recently as one of the series of Booklets, has corrected the statement in his article published in the *Magazine of American History*. The REGISTER received the information from a descendant of the family.

there, probably granted for military services, as he was proud of his scars won in the Revolution." \* \* \* He was undoubtedly a Revolutionary soldier, and is thought to have gone to North Carolina from Pennsylvania, and to have been related to David Reese, a signer of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence." He married Jane Brown, who died August 30, 1806, a woman of haughty bearing, said to have been exceedingly proud of her family. Tradition says that on one occasion she stole through the enemy's camp in war time and liberated her husband, who was confined in a log cabin. Jane Brown was a daughter of William and Margaret Brown, Colonists, who lived in Londonderry, Ireland, at the time of their marriage, and emigrated from there to America, settling in North Carolina. Margaret Brown died in 1801, aged one hundred years."

Wanted, the military record of Reese Porter, land grants to him, the record of his marriage, evidence of his parentage or connection with David Reese. Was he identical with Reese Porter, of Chester County, Pennsylvania, son of William Porter and Mary Price, and mentioned in his father's will, which was proved at West Chester, Pennsylvania, August 3, 1749. This Reese Porter had an uncle Reese Price, and was a grand-son of Thomas and Ann Price.

Wanted also wills, land grants or any other data relating to William and Margaret Brown and their immediate descendants. It was their son Colonel James Brown, whose murder, and the kidnapping and massacre of his family, form a famous incident in the history of the earliest settlement of Tennessee.

Address, Porter Farquharson Cope,  
4806 Chester Avenue, Philadelphia, Penn.

### QUERIES.

Col. Matthew Moore, of Albemarle Co., Va., settled in Stokes Co., N. C., at the foot of Sauratown Mountain, where he owned 1,000 acres of land including "Moore's Knob." He married 1757, (aged 19) his school-mate, Letitia, (aged 15), daughter of Samuel and Nancy (Redd) Dalton. Her father Samuel Dalton, died in 1805 aged 106, at the home of his grand-son Matthew Redd Moore, Jr., and his daughter Letitia, who died in 1838, all buried at the foot of Sauratown Mountain. Can any one tell me, if there are any tombstones at their graves, and if so, give the copy of their epitaphs?

Did "Col. Matthew Moore serve in the Revolution? or was he only one of the Militia? His father Wm. Moore, of Albemarle Co., Va., had two other sons, John and Edward Moore, a daughter who mar-



ried a Martin, one a Bullock, one a Crockett, one Andrew McAlley, whose son John Moore McAlley was in Congress at the same time, his cousin Gabriel Moore was in the Senate, (from Alabama, 1829-35), he was son of Matthew and Letitia (Dalton) Moore. Frances Moore (another daughter of William Moore) married Captain John Henderson, and her great grand-son, Hon. John Wesley Gaines, of Nashville, Tenn., is now a member of Congress.

Was this Captain John Henderson a son of Bennett and Elizabeth (Lewis) Henderson? Captain John and Frances (Moore) Henderson had sons, William, Bennett, Matthew, etc., Henderson. Any information of these families will be gratefully received.

Also any information relative to the ancestry of William Ward, who went from Virginia to Kentucky and settled near Frankfort. From one authority we have it that Colonel Seth Ward, of Virginia, was the ancestor of the Kentucky Wards. George Ward, son of William Ward, once met a cousin of his from North Carolina at Covington, and seeing so many Ward wills, and noting the relationship of the family of William to a North Carolina Ward, we hope to gather some information to enable me to connect William Ward, (who had sons Junius, Matthew, George W. and Robert J., father of the celebrated Sallie Ward, of Louisville, Ky.) with his proper ancestors either in Virginia or North Carolina.

MRS. S. L. C.

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Rev. Adam Boyd, Chaplain, in one of the Ten Regiments of the North Carolina Continental Line, "Rev. War," married in 1774 the widow of Dr. M. J. DeRossett, of Wilmington, N. C. There was no issue by this marriage. The date of his death has been published as occurring during the year 1800, but there are letters in existence written by him from Natchez, Miss., bearing date Dec. 30, 1802, which is positive proof that his death occurred after 1802. Our information was furnished by a descendant of the lady whom he married. (See page 82, History N. C. Society of the Cincinnati.) Who was the 1st Secretary of the Society? A writer in the *News and Observer* of Raleigh, N. C., in an issue of March 16th, claims that Curtis Ivey was. How is this? We had understood it was Rev. Adam Boyd.

THE NORTH CAROLINA HISTORICAL AND GENEALOGICAL REGISTER, will be published quarterly, beginning in January, 1900. It will contain, an abstract of the public records compiled from the originals, in the office of the Secretary of State, at Raleigh, N. C., and those of the Counties of Chowan, Perquimans, Pasquotank, Camden, Currituck, Tyrrell, Washington, Beaufort, Bertie, Northampton, and Halifax, in North Carolina, and the counties of Surry, and Isle of Wight, in the State of Virginia.

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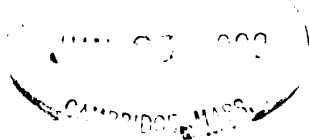
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Now green in youth, now withering on the ground :  
Another race the following Spring supplies;  
They rise successive, and successive fall:  
So generations in their course decay;  
So flourish these when those are passed away.  
—*Pope's Translation Homer's Iliad.***



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## A GROUP OF MY ANCESTRAL DAMES OF THE COLONIAL PERIOD.

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*"In Domino Confido."*

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*Members of the North Carolina Society of Colonial Dames.—Ladies  
and Gentlemen:*

The National Council of the Society of Colonial Dames of America, through its Committee on Colonial Study of Historical Research, has made it obligatory upon each State Society to use every effort to gather from private records and unpublished documents such data of the lives, manners and customs of Colonial Ancestors as may enrich the historian's material or become the basis of interesting biography.

In accordance with this demand the Historical Circles of the North Carolina Dames will endeavor to furnish a series of papers, the initial number of which I am to offer you to-night. It consists of extracts from the unpublished "Annals of the DeRosset Family," put together primarily for the entertainment of the children of our own household. They make so simple a story that I could hardly have ventured to present it to you, but that it tells of some of the earliest settlers of the Cape Fear section and so may not be wholly devoid of interest.

The gifted authoress (a) of a popular historic novel of the day quotes John Rolfe as prophesying thus: "Those who come after us will not look too curiously into the lineage of those to whom a nation owes its birth." From *our* point of view this sounds as though intended as an ironical thrust at that much-storied pioneer of old Virginia,

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(a) "To Have and to Hold," by Mary Johnstone.



whose descendants are as the sands of the sea for multitude; but, if the story be true, our John was indeed a false prophet, or, at best, a monumental example of a prophet without honor in his own country and among his own kindred; for the sons and daughters of his own Virginia are in no wise loath to seek ancestral honors, and among them all, *who* are wont to claim the proudest pedigree, if not that noble host of descendants who sprang from his marriage with the royal Princess Pocahontas! John Alden of those same olden times, is known to fame by the gentle hint of his piquante Priscilla that he *might* "speak for himself"—it might have added another feather to John Rolfe's historic cap, if his lady Rebekah had whispered him a kindly warning not to speak for her posterity.

The age in which we live is one of restless energy and eager rush to satisfy the needs of daily life, or to grasp its passing pleasures, and scant time has been spared for studying the annals of the past—but they who do not think it worth their while *sometimes* to give a thought to those to whom they owe their very being, are like him who, Shakespeare says, had no music in his soul. "The motions of their spirit are dull as Night and their affections dark as Erebus."

But inspired perhaps by love of country, or pride in our material prosperity and greatness, we seem at last to have wakened to the importance of recalling our ancestors, and from all sides comes the question "Who were they who laid the beginnings of so great a Nation?" Genealogical research has shown that long indifference and neglect have shadowed our National honor in that so many of the heroes (and heroines) of those early days lie in unknown graves—their very names forgotten or obliterated from history.

A primary duty of the distinguished Society to which we have the honor to belong, is to share the noble work of preserving ancient landmarks and relics, and of rescuing from oblivion the memory of our ancestors who bore their part in the founding and upbuilding of this Union of Sovereign States—especially of those of our own good Commonwealth. We surely cannot be content simply to trace our own genealogical lines but should contribute to National fame such records as we possess of noteworthy men and women of those olden times of which our own title is a perpetual reminder. It was *their* heroic virtues that made the wilderness they found to blossom as the rose and to become a fair habitation for us who now enjoy its bountiful inheritance. Surely,

"Theirs were deeds which should not pass away  
And names which must not wither."

So, as we enter upon a new Century of our Country's history, let us each bring our sprig of "rosemary for remembrance," and pausing turn

a backward glance down the long vista of past years, if perchance we may catch a glimpse of some of those of the long ago whose *names* at least may be familiar to us through oft-told tales of later generations. We will be surprised to find a most inviting field of retrospect and research ever widening before us. One by one emerging from the dark mists of the past they come before our mental vision until at last we see a stately procession of dames and sires—yet how diverse in appearance, how varied in nationality for “God sifted many nations that He might bring good seed into this wilderness.” The flash lights of legend and tradition illumine them with vivid reality, and they appear to us almost as living pictures. Imagination is tempted to weave around them many a romance of love and devotion—of chivalry and heroism, but our spirit of loyalty and affection glorifies them with interest far exceeding that of fiction and impresses us with a feeling akin to reverent awe. Let us then portray them upon the walls of memory, that fixed there, they may abide with us in perpetual remembrance. \* \* \* \* \*

I am to have the pleasure to-night of introducing to you a group of my own ancestral dames of the Colonial period—promising no dramatic narrative—nor thrilling tale of adventure—nor deeds of glory worthy of the historian’s pen. My records are few and I do not mean to wander into fields of romance. Theirs is a simple story of duty nobly done, and trials bravely borne, and would not be worth the telling but that it may encourage others of you whose family archives if searched into, may bring to light records of more general interest and greater historic value than mine.

But, though acknowledging my subject to be of purely personal interest, I utterly repudiate the charge of egotism, advanced as I am told by some hypercritic, who may not yet have learned the joy of “a worthy pride in worthy ancestry.” I make no apology for my Dames, feeling sure that the half score or more of our N. C. Society, who with me claim lineal descent from them will be interested, while as many more of you allied to them and us by ties of kindred scarce less dear, may find more pleasure than they anticipate in making the acquaintance of these ladies of the olden time.

My story opens in the year 1671—for I may not ante-date the Colonial period, and the scene is in S. Western France. By a striking coincidence of time another ancestor of many of us in a far distant locality, is beginning to lay the foundations of a new country. Sir John Yeamans, a colonist of Barbadoes, had a few years before been Knighted by Charles II. (*b*)—appointed Landgrave and Governor

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(*b*) Sir John was Knighted by Charles II, in 1661 in recompense of services rendered to the House of Stuart by his father, who was High Sheriff of Bristol—in which cause his life was sacrificed.

of the County of Clarendon ("near Cape Fear") and commissioned to explore and plant a colony therein. With his Barbadian followers in the year 1665 he sailed into the Cape Fear, obtained a royal grant of an immense tract of land and established a settlement a few miles below the present site of Wilmington. Tempted however by strong inducements, he shortly left this settlement and afterwards went to South Carolina where, this very year, under the direction of his friend and patron Lord Anthony Ashley Cooper—Earl of Shaftesbury,—he was engaged in laying out the City of Charleston. (c) Later he became first governor of the Province of S. C. and it is believed, he never returned to the Cape Fear. How strangely are the warp and woof of history woven in the mighty loom of Providence—as, witness ourselves, in whose veins flows mingled the blood of this English adventurer and of the Huguenot Lords of Languedoc—representatives of two great nations of the Old World. Can any one say why these *our* ancestors should not be as honorably numbered among the makers of our Nation as are the Pilgrim Fathers' of New England—or Penn's Quakers or the Cavaliers of Old Virginia and Maryland.

The ancestral home of the deRossets was in beautiful Provence—the land of the Melodious Langue d'Oc,—the home of the troubadour and minstrel; of chivalry and romance; whose vine-clad heights and fragrant rose-gardens were types of its valiant Knights and lovely women; that land so beautiful that Greece in her palmiest days could boast no Colony so fair; where Roman legions *fought* bravely for possession; whose soil was trodden by myriad hosts of Crusaders and enriched by the blood of Christian martyrdom and Huguenot persecution.

Let us go back some 230 years and picture to ourselves a scene in its little City of Uzes—(Caesar's ancient Ucetia.) It was the afternoon of February 10th, 1671. The soft blue sky of that sweet land and the balmy breezes of the Mediterranean seemed never so enchanting to the favored ones who wended their way to participate in an occasion of unusual interest to the social world. It was the wedding of two prominent members of society—the one a high-born beautiful woman, the other a military officer of noble birth and rank. The "so-called Church of the Reformed" (so called in the document) was packed with the Elite of the City—many of whom were "followers of the New Religion." The land was at peace, for the Edict of Nantes still held good and as yet there was no rumble of that awful politico-religious upheaval which was shortly to shake the foundations of France and banish from their homes "50,000 families of the

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(c) McCrady's "S. C. under the Proprietary government."—p 162.

best blood of the Kingdom." The Huguenot Priest in sacred vestments and strong in the sanctity of a pure and much-tried faith, stood before the altar waiting the coming of the bridal party.

The youthful Seigneur Louis de Rosset, (or LeRoussay as he would call it) was an officer in the Regiment of Navarre in the service of Louis XIV. Descended from a long line of noble ancestry, "distinguished in the military annals of the kingdom from the days of the first Crusade," he was the son of "the noble Louis de Rosset, Docteur en Droits"—a man of letters, and of legal distinction. The bride was the Lady Gabrielle de Goudin, "grand-daughter and heiress of the late Antoine de Foutfiorde, Treasurer of the King's domain in the Leneschausee of Nîmes." Fathers and grand-fathers had all passed away—but the ladies de Goudin and de Cassagues were present, the latter playing the role of fairy god mother, in endowing her favorite grand-child with abundant worldly possessions. Official authority had sanctioned the marriage quaintly declaring it to be "ordained for the glory and for the increase of the human race."

The ceremony performed, the wedding bells rung merrily, as the gay party accompanied the young couple to their home, doubtless to "dance the happy hours away" in mirth and jollity, for those people of Provence were ever a merry joyous race. The military attendants of the Captain added to the brilliancy of the scene, uniformed in all the pomp and bravery of war, and wearing many a well earned decoration and medal of honor—for France had no more valued and loyal servants than her brave Huguenot soldiers). The striking costumes of the Louis Quatoize period set off to advantage the stately grace and beauty of the ladies—their partners in the courtly dance. For four happy years the newly wedded pair kept honey moon in their baronial home of Perpignan, and then peace and happiness departed, for the clarion of war summoned the Captain again to his country's service in foreign lands and he was seldom at home any more, until at last the great catastrophe of the Revocation forced him into permanent exile. It is not for us now to follow *his* subsequent career—his flight to Holland and service with Wm. of Orange fighting in Ireland for the Protestant succession in Great Britain. The documents show that it was always honorable—that he was a naturalized citizen of England and died in London in 1725. Kindly influences enabled the Lady Gabrielle to dwell in peace at her own home for many years after his departure and tradition tells a pathetic story (well authenticated), of her sight being wept away through much sorrow and constant fear. In total blindness, waiting with ever increasing hopelessness, the return of the long absent husband. Hope at length sunk into despair, and when after near 20 years of separation he was restored to her, her soul still refused to be com-

forted, until at length the assurance of his identity was made plain to her and from excess of joy she fainted in his arms. (The story would not be complete without this conventional ending!)

Gabrielle cannot truly be called a Colonial Dame of *America* for she did not live to know this land of her children's adoption. But she belongs to the Colonial period—being an exiled waif she had no country of her own—and as the wife of the first deRosset Huguenot refugee and the fore-mother of so many of us, I could not forbear relating all that is known of her personality—hoping that I have not presumed too far upon your interest in the brief but touching story of her strangely checkered life.

It was her "only son"—Armand John deRosset I. who was the Huguenot immigrant to Carolina and founder of the American branch of the family. Educated first in "famous schools of England and Belgium," he finally entered the celebrated University of Basel, Switzerland, where in 1720 he was graduated with honor, and the degree of Doctor of Medicine. He married in Switzerland a Lady of the noble House of Ucetia," whose name is lost to us by the destruction of some of the family records—but we have reason to think it was Madeleine. As the Dis diploma—still extant—tells us that he was also "of the same noble house of Ucetia," they must have been kinsfolk and she, like himself, was probably a refugee from persecution. At some period of peace, they returned temporarily to France and two children Gabrielle II and Louis Henry were born to them in Montpellier before they finally bade adieu to their native land and went to England to join his old military father. While in London—in 1726—their third child was born—our ancestor Moses John deRosset I. It was probably in 1735 when the boy was about nine years old, that the Doctor, induced by circumstances unknown to us, set sail with his wife and their three children for these distant shores. Why did not tradition, or records, hand down to us the name of the ship on which that long and perilous voyage was made, and give us details of the trials they must have suffered? Such records do exist—notably a letter of a French Huguenot lady of S. C. —Judith Marigault. (d) That stands to me as an example of what those dear kinsfolk of ours may have endured. She tells of a ten weeks voyage on a wretched little vessel—with untold horrors of pestilence on board, and death at sea—of mutiny and famine—of storm and ship-wreck and of dire poverty and hard labor after reaching port. It makes one shudder to think of all this and contrast it with the luxurious appointments, and safety of the modern Ocean-liner. Landing we know not where our little family at length settled in the

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(d) Ramsey's History of S. C.

hamlet of New Liverpool—an insignificant village of perhaps 50 or 60 families—but incorporated in 1739 by Gov. Johnston under the name of Wilmington in complement to his friend and patron Spencer Compton—Earl of Wilmington.

The province of the Carolinas was fortunate—almost unique—in the character of its early settlers. Unlike those of other Colonial States, our records tell of no bands of needy adventurers—no outcasts of Society—no cargoes of indentured convicts—nor ship loads of women in search of husbands. The immigrants were mostly ladies and gentlemen of education and social rank; many of these from the West Indian Colonies of Great Britain—people of means, seeking still better fortunes in the American El Dorado—with great grants of land and retinues of slaves and retainers, building substantial homes and making them famous far and near for good living and generous hospitality. Here too on the Cape Fear was the palace of the Royal Governors—around whose mimic court gathered all that was best of Provincial Society.

Under such unusual advantages of environment our Rose of Provence was transplanted to the sunny shores of Carolina and Madeleine deRosset became one of the first Colonial Dames of the Cape Fear section. The white plume of Navarre under which our gallant forefathers had fought for God and the right, and the lilies of France won for their shield by loyalty and valor, would henceforth be but sacred memories, but the trustful legend of their escutcheon—"In Domino Confido," none could take away—it would be theirs and their childrens children's for guidance and strength in days of trial yet to come.

Only ten years had elapsed since the grand-sons of Sir John Yeamans (the Moore brothers) had come to the Cape Fear to reclaim the great possessions abandoned by their grand-father near 50 years before. They found the country in 1723 utterly without a white inhabitant. The population increased slowly in the towns. Brunswick (e) was the chief settlement and was surrounded by the extensive estates of wealthy planters.

Dr. deRosset determined on coming farther up the river and fixed his residence in Wilmington on a lot on Second street between Market and Princess, where the old McRee house now stands and where Wm. Hooper, the signer of the Declaration of Independence afterwards lived. (f) How lonely and desolate, how crude and rough and comfortless must all have seemed to the daintily nurtured daughter

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(e) "A Colonial Officer and His Times," by Col. A. M. Waddell.—p. 209.

(f) The unpretentious dwelling picture in Lossing's Field Book as the home of Wm. Hooper, one of the N. C. "Signers," was in all probability the house originally built on the same lot by Dr. A. J. DeRosset.

of la belle France. Could we wonder if she had succumbed to the trials of her situation and pined to homesick longing for the flesh pots of Old World civilization? But the brave Huguenot spirit had learned to endure hardship and to rise to the duties of life and tradition represents her to us as always the refined and cultivated lady—the gentle and courteous friend—the kind and benevolent neighbor—the beloved and admired of all who knew her. She was also of exceeding beauty—her portrait was among the relics saved from the wreck of the Old French home, and was preserved for more than a century. I have been told by some who had seen it, that her beautiful features were reproduced in those of her lovely great granddaughter Polly Toomer. (It may be that some of *her* daughters now with us, may claim their aristocratic type of beauty as part of the inheritance of this fair French ancestress!)

The Doctor's profession was a busy one. A large laborious country practice took him much from home—while his wife was occupied with the varied household cares of domestic life in a new and undeveloped country, striving always for the welfare and happiness of those she loved so well.

She lived to see her husband an honored useful citizen of the infant town—influential in its municipal councils—sitting in its courts as Judge of the quorum—successful in his noble healing art; and respected and esteemed by the whole community.

The eminent position of her eldest son Louis must also have rejoiced her heart. Elected at an early age to the Provincial Assembly he was soon elevated to the King's Council and "continued in that office for 25 years until the end of the Royal Government."

The Colonial Records of N. C. bear ample testimony to the value of his services, in his untiring efforts to promote the welfare and best interest of *Church* as well as State—for during their English sojourn the family had become devoted adherents of the Established Church.) Feeling conscientiously bound by his repeated oaths of office, Mr. deDosset in the Revolution remained loyal to the Crown, was "banished from the Province on pain of death if he returned" and died an exile in London in 1786.

His wife was Maragaret Walker (*g*). She died a year before him, in the grief and loneliness of enforced and prolonged separation. They left no children.

The only daughter of Dr. Armand John and Madeleine deRosset Gabrielle II. married John DuBois and was also a Colonial Dame of N. Carolina—as was her daughter Magdalene (DuBois) Mrs.

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(*g*) James and Margaret Walker were children of Robert and Ann Montgomery Walker—emigrated from Ireland in 1738. They were kinsmen perhaps, if not descendants of the "Fighting Bishop of Londonderry."

James Walker—but I leave it to *their* descendants of our Society to tell *their* story—and there is much interesting material concerning them waiting to engage the interest of some of their numerous daughters.

My great grand-father Moses John deRosset adopted the profession of his father—and was the second of five successive generations of Doctors deRosset who for 175 years adorned the annals of the profession in North Carolina.

All too soon for the happiness of the family the sweet Huguenot mother fell asleep in 1746 and was laid to rest beneath the apple trees in her own home garden. There after many days the beloved husband of her youth was laid beside her and there they still rest in peace, long since mouldered into dust; but ever waiting for the Day of Resurrection!

Dr. Armand was however to have another and far different experience of conjugal felicity before he followed her to the land of Rest. About five years after her death he raised to the dignity of Colonial Dame a second Mrs. deRosset—choosing for that honor Elizabeth Catharine Bridgen—an Englishwoman of masterful mind and character—a striking contrast to the gentle lady of Ucetia, her predecessor: yet a lady by birth, of fine literary attainments, and the intimate friend and neighbor of Mrs. John Burgwin—herself a native of Bristol, England. The Dr. survived this union but a few years and she then retired to her country seat “The Chinese Temple” adjoining the Hermitage, where during the Revolution she enjoyed many a “dish” of the forbidden tea, with which she seemed to have been bountifully supplied by “special permission of the authorities.” She managed her handsome estate with ability and profit and some clever extant letters tell of her doing the same for the Hermitage in Mr. Burgwin’s absence. She died before the war was over at her summer home at Masonboro Sound in 1778, leaving no children to perpetuate her virtues, or to be interested in her memoirs so we will dwell no longer on her.

With the garrulity of age I fear I have already spun out my story to the limit of your patience, but bear with me a little longer that I may introduce the last of my Dames (*h*) the first of English parentage.

About the middle of the 18th century there came to Wilmington from the Island of Jamaica “an eminent lawyer” Marmaduke Jones by name. His wife had been “the widow of a Scotch gentleman of note in the plantations”—a Mr. Ivy—and with her two daughters Mary and Ann Ivy, constituted the family. These young ladies were heiresses in their own right, which, added to the attractions of

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(*h*) Daughter of an Alderman of London, and sister of Edward Bridgen, whose commercial house carried on extensive trade with Carolina.



well-educated and accomplished gentlemen, could not fail to draw many admirers and suitors for their favor. Ann, the younger, married James Moore, son of the Maurice Moore who founded Brunswick, and afterwards a distinguished officer in the Continental line; and Mary the elder sister in 1759 became the wife of Dr. Moses John deRosset. He was then about 33 years of age—his early youth and manhood had been so full of adventure that had it been *his* instead of *her* story I was to tell, I might have given you a thrilling episode. I think he may have won his bride by “oft told tales of moving accidents by field and flood, of being captured by the insolent foe and sold to slavery” (for all this was indeed true) and moving her first to pity—love, so near akin, grew on apace.

He had been an officer in Col. Innes Regt. sent in 1754 by N. C. to aid her sister—colony—Virginia to repel the Indian and French invasions. (These were the first troops raised by any Colony for service outside of its own borders).

The Dr. built for his bride a brick house on the corner of two principal streets—Market and Second—adjoining his father’s residence. The “Unlucky Corner,” as it now appears makes it difficult for us to believe that it was in its day a handsome dwelling—perhaps the finest in the town—but, the fact that after 150 years it has outlived all others of its time, tells at least of honest material and workmanship. Alas! that all our old landmarks should fall into decay!

The oppressive measures of the British government were now beginning to stir the resentful opposition of the Colonies. Public meetings were held for devising means of relief and evading the unjust imposition of taxes. Committees of Safety were organized by the patriot party. Strong men were placed in positions of honor and trust and it was a striking evidence of the esteem and confidence of his fellow citizens, that Dr. deRosset, a peaceable practitioner of a quiet profession, should at such a critical time be elected to the office of Mayor of the town.

The story of resistance to the stamp act at the port of Brunswick by the people of the lower Cape Fear, is well known to us—though the *national* historian has been too apt to under-rate or ignore it. Unlike the far famed Boston tea party, it was no midnight raid of a few men in disguise to destroy a cargo of tea—but eight years before that much vaunted epoch of United States history our men of N. C. rose in their might to assert their rights and liberties as British subjects—in broad daylight, in military array, under the King’s own flag they defied the power of Great Britain—forced the Stamp Master to resign his office and bearding the representative of

the British lion in his palatial den, successfully resisted the landing of the hated stamps from the King's own ships of war.

Wilmington did her part nobly—sent a contingent of troops—prohibited the transportation of supplies needed for the ships—and after all was over addressed a letter to Gov. Tryon protesting against any lack of loyalty to the Royal government, but asserting their right to resist oppression and closing with a sentence which McRee, our local historian says, is worthy of Hampden or Cobham. It runs thus, "Moderation ceases to be a virtue when the liberty of the British subject is in danger."

That letter was indited by Mayor deRosset as Chairman of the Council (i) and his descendants should remember it with pride—for it has North Carolina's first true ring of Liberty which culminated ten years later in the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, May 20th, 1775.

Our lady mayoress must have felt her heart beat proudly at her husband's honorable patriotic fulfilment of the responsibilities of his position. May we not picture her as one of that throng of men, women and children who met the boat of the stamp-ship Diligence as it approached the town mounted on a cart, and in jubliant procession paraded the trophy of victory through the streets. And then at night when that memorable day closed with a general illumination of the town we may be sure the Mayor's house was conspicuously ablaze, and the young wife felt happy and proud in the consciousness that her husband was indeed a hero!

But their married life, beginning so auspiciously was brief—lasting only 8 years. On Christmas day 1767 Dr. deRosset was cut down in the prime of life and was buried two days later on his 41st birthday. The only known male deRosset down to the present generation who did not live to a ripe old age. Only two children blessed their union. My grand-father Dr. Armand John deRosset II. who was only six weeks old when he was left fatherless, and his sister Magdalen Mary—five years his senior—who married Mr. Henry Toomer, and has several representatives in our Society who might well employ their clever pens in recording for our imitation the "unparalleled virtues" for which the family papers say she was distinguished.

Thus early inured to sorrow Mary Ivy henceforth devoted herself to the rearing and education of her children—for this she was eminently fitted by her early opportunities for intellectual culture. Always a student of such literature as the times afforded, her mind was open to grasp the problems of science as well as to enjoy lighter

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(i) McRee's Memoirs of Dr. A. J. DeRosset.

literature. She was from the first interested in her husband's professional pursuits, and under his instructions became so expert that he could, in his absence, safely entrust his patients to her care, and also the use of the surgical instruments. So when his death left the town ill-supplied with competent physicians she was ever ready to respond to calls—especially of the sick poor—taking constantly not only the physician's work but that of trained nurse—little dreaming that her labor of love and charity would develop into one of the noblest professions of the women of the next century. In climatic fevers she was very successful and also in inoculation for small-pox—vaccination being yet unknown. It was doubtless from her lancet that her son received the virus that protected him from the dreaded scourge he so often had to deal with in his long life. It was also to his Mother's surgical skill that he owed the setting and cure of a broken collar bone in his boyhood.

The clouds of war grew more and more threatening and the end of the Colonial period drew near. Lonely and unprotected was the little family and Mrs. deRosset felt that for her children's sake it would be well for her to accept an offer of marriage from Mr. Adam Boyd. He was then the editor of the Cape Fear *Mercury*—the patriot organ—and an accomplished scholar and gentleman. Mr. Boyd took a paternal interest in the children and gave valuable assistance in their education until he was called into military service. After the war he was active in the organization of the North Carolina Society of the Cincinnati—was its secretary, and after his ordination by Bishop Seabury to the Episcopal ministry, was made its Brigade Chaplain. Mrs. deRosset's pre-nuptial contract is on file in the New Hanover Court House, and according to the custom of the time, gives an inventory of her various possessions—articles of household furniture, silver-ware, servants, &c.

Some of us may from our own experience in a measure realize the anxiety and distress of the Mother and her children during the long years of the Revolutionary war. At times they were forced to the refuge of her sister (Mrs. Gen. Moore's) home on the North-East. Once Mrs. Moore's house was bombarded by a British sloop of war, under suspicion of being a harbor for disaffected patriots.

Together they witnessed the cruel treatment of Cornelius Harnett the popular idol of the Cape Fear, when taken from a sick bed in Onslow County by Craig's marauders he fell from exhaustion on the march, and was thrown across a horse's back "like a sack of meal" and thus brought into Wilmington where he died in prison—a lamented victim of an unholy war. Such scenes had an enduring influence upon the lad Armand, filling his soul with the spirit of pure patriotism—so that we are hardly surprised to find him when

only 13 years old shouldering his musket and joining the patriot forces, participating in a gallant fight at the Oaks. Lossing in his *Field Book of the American Revolution* says that "the venerable Doctor" seventy years later related to him the interesting incident adding "it is worthy of attention and the local historian should not fail to put it upon record!"

When at last victory was won and peace brooded over "the land of the free and the home of the brave" though families were broken and fortunes ruined all hearts rejoiced at the birth of the "Young Republic." Thenceforth Mrs. Boyd's home was with her daughter, Mrs. Toomer—dutifully attended by the loving care of that devoted child her last years were passed in peace, though sorely tried by total blindness. (Wonderful it is that sorrow and trouble so often put out the light of those windows of the soul!) She lived to see her beloved son Armand happily married and launched on his remarkable professional career of seventy years of active practice, and in 1798 soon after *his* first-born son came to perpetuate her husband's name, she passed in the odor of sanctity into the rest that remaineth for the people of God. To his dying day my grand-father could not speak of his "venerated mother," as he always called her, but with subdued and reverent tone as of one mourning the recent departure of the best beloved.

As I forewarned you these ancestors of mine left no *glorious* deed to be recorded on the pages of the Nation's history, but none the less they were among the strong foundation stones of integrity and uprightness of social law and order, on which the great fabric of Christian civilization rests and they

"Were not of those who stoop and lie in wait  
For place, or fortune, or for worldly state  
*Their* powers shed round them in the daily strife  
And mild concerns of ordinary life"  
The gracious influence of blameless lives  
And kindly hearts, and duty nobly done!

# ABSTRACT OF BERTIE COUNTY WILLS.

(Original in Court House at Windsor, N. C.)

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Alexander, John, April 4, 1795. August Term, 1799.

*"Da Praecepta, Familiaë, Tuæ, nam Tu Crive Morituruses."*

"For as much as the last scene of life seems hastening on, and the curtain ready to fall," I think it prudent, before I make my final exit off the stage, whereon I have some time acted, to dispose of the few trifles fortune has bestowed me, in manner following to-wit:

Imprimis. I Give and bequeath to my two Daughters, Martha and Rachel, all and every part of my property whatever, to be equally divided between them, and to their lawful heirs forever. On the demise of either, before impowered to make a will, the surviving sister inherits the whole and should both decease, before the laws capacitate to will, then, my remaining property to be wholly converted to Educating the poor children within the counties of Hertford and Bertie; under such regulations as my Executors shall think fit. My body I bequeath to the earth, whence it originated, My Soul Immortal and unalloyed to dust, I commend to the Father of Mercies.

The manly, masculine Voice of Orthodoxy, is no longer heard in our land. Far, therefore, from my Grave be the senseless Rant of Whining Fanaticism; her hated and successful rival—Cant and Grimace Dishonour the dead, as well as Disgrace the living. Let the monitor within, who never Deceives, alone pronounce my Funeral Oration; while some Friendly hand Deposits my poor remains Close by the ashes of my beloved Daughter Elizabeth, with whom I trust to share a happy Eternity.

And of this my last Will and Testament, I constitute and appoint Capt'n George West, George Outlaw, Esq., and Mr. Edward Outlaw, my Executors, On whose Probity, Honor and Disinterested Friendship, I entirely rely for the faithful Discharge of the trust I repose in them, Beseeching them, as they would approve themselves to him who is the Father of the Fatherless, to use all possible means of Inspiring my children with a love of Virtue and an abhorrence of Vice, Restraining them from all plans and persons Dangerous to their Virtue or Innocency—Giving them an Education to their rank in life suitable and becoming. Let their books and their needles be their principal companions and Employ. I could wish the laws enable

me to do more for my wretched and unfortunate slaves than that of recommending them to lenity and mild treatment.

Be to their faults a little blind;  
Be to their virtues ever kind.

JOHN ALEXANDER.

Bertie, Apl. 4, 1795.

Ashburn, Elisha, Mch. 1, 1801; May Term 1801. Wife Mary, two youngest sons Allen and Miles, all my children, wife and Jonathan Jacocks Exrs. Test, B. Nichols, Freder'k Lawrence.

Ashburn, Benjamin, Jan'y 5, 1808; Nov. Term 1808. My brother Thomas Ashburn's children, Michael Capehart and Harry Ashburn, Exrs. Test, Thos. Worley, B. Nicholls.

Ashburn, William, May Term 1809. Wife Frances and sons Baldy and Washington Ashburn Exrs., daughter Clary Nicholls, daughter Elizabeth Worley, and Patsey Allen. Test, John Capehart, Martha Capehart.

Ashburn, Francis, May Term, 1816. Son Baldy, each of my daughters, son Baldy Exrs. Test, Cullen Capehart, James B. Ferguson.

Ashburn, Washington, Feb. 5, 1814; May Term 1816. Niece Adaline Washington Ashburn, mother Frances Ashburn, Frances Ashburn and Baldy Ashburn Exrs. Test, Jo. H. Rasor, J. B. Ferguson.

Askew, Aaron, Sept. 2, 1809; Feb. Term, 1810. Nephews John Askew and Aaron Askew, (sons of David), daughter Polly Askew (daughter of Tabitha Askew), John Askew and Jno. C. Montgomery Exrs. Test, Thomas E. Hare, Zadock Raynor, John C. Montgomery.

Askew, David, April 12, 1811; April Term 1816. Wife Millicent, son David, daughters Celia Holly and Rachel Hare, son John, grand-son David Askew (son of John), sons Aaron and George, children Mary Wynns, John Askew, Elisha Askew, Josiah Askew, Anneritta McGlauchon, Elizabeth Shamble, Aaron Askew, Celia Holly, grand-daughter Patsey Godwin, sons John and David Exrs. Test, Daniel Wynns, Mills Jernagan.

Askew, John, Feb. 3, 1827; Nov. Term 1829. Sons Aaron and George, daughter Martha Harris, grand-son George Thomas Harris, daughters Lary Sessoms, grand-daughters Emily and Levina Sessoms (daughters of Lary), wife Mary, sons Alexander and Andrew Jackson Askew, daughter Mary Eliza, sons David O. and Geo. Askew Exrs. Test, Geo. Askew, E. W. Ryan.

Askew, George, Sept. 7, 1832; Nov. Term 1832. Wife Ann, daughter Mary Ann Hare, son John, David O. Askew and Elisha, A. Chamlee Exrs. Test, John Ward, Aaron Askew.

Askew, Mary, May 15, 1835; Feb. Term 1843. Son Andrew

Jackson Askew, son Alexander O. Askew, my sons Exrs. Test, Jos. H. Etheridge, Martha E. Askew.

Acre, John, Sr., Mch. 17, 1814; Aug. Term 1814. Wife Patience, daughter Elizabeth Vears, son Leonard, and his two sons, sons Henry and William, heirs of my son Edward, grand-son Jeremiah Jillecutt, grand-daughter Patience Dukes, son John, daughters Nancy Mason and Patience Harrell, Thos Norfleet and Wm. Hinton Exrs. Test, Moses Bishop, H. Harrell.

Acre, John, Mch. 4, 1825; May Term 1825. Wife Milly, daughter Elizabeth Pierce, Joab C. Acre, Hardy H. Acre, Patience Acre, Marmaduke Harrell and Arrilly Harrell, wife and Jno. B. Acre, Exrs. Test, Johnston Higgs, Abner Jenkins.

Acre, Ricks, Apl. 10, 1842; Nov. Term 1842. Wife Martha, daughter Mary D. Acre, Harriet V. Britton (daughter of William). Test, Wm. Britton, John Pyg.

Acre, Elizabeth, Aug. 6, 1852; Feb'y Term 1853. Grand-daughter Mary Peele (daughter of James Peele), grand-daughter Mary D. Acre (daughter of Ricks), Martha Veale, Thomas R. Peele, sister Judith Barnes, my grand-children above, Alanson Capehart Exs. Test, Richard E. S. Cox, John W. Acre.

Armistead, Sarah, Feb. 12, 1818; Feb. Term 1818. Sons John and Starke Armistead, heirs of my departed sons William, Robert and Jordan Armistead, daughter Elizabeth Turner, daughter Priscilla Thorpe, grand-sons John S. Armistead, Robert Armistead, Thomas Armistead and Anthony Armistead, children of my son Robert, dec'd, grand-son William J. Armistead, grandsons Nathaniel, John, Jordan and David M. Wright, grand-daughter Sally J. Wright, John Armistead, Stark Armistead and Thomas Turner Exrs. Test, Ben. B. Hunter, Wm. A. Turner.

Armistead Stark, Dec. 1, 1833; May Term 1835. Wife Harriet, Nephew Jordan A. Wright, firm of Bettner & Wright of New York, son Stark, daughter Eliza Plummer (wife of William), daughter Mary Armistead. I appoint Jordan A. Wright and Gavin Hogg her Guardians, son-in-law Wm. Plummer and Gavin Hogg Exrs. Test, Jos. B. G. Roulhac, Wm. W. Pugh, Jos. J. Ryan.

Asbell, Joseph, Oct. 19, 1826; Feb. Term 1827. Wife Fanny, also make her my Exx. Test, Wm. H. Green, Whitmell H. Drew.

Asbell, Solomon, Nov. 1, 1849; Feb. Term 1850. Wife Elizabeth, son D. Sawyer, son Nathaniel, daughter Mary, Exx. Test, Thos. Mizell, Wm. Simons.

Allen, Margaret, March 22, 1847; Aug. Term 1847. Frances Allen (sister of my husband), my husband James Allen, all my children, Jona S. Tayloe and Thomas Bond Guardians to my children. Test, Frances Swain, Jno. R. Gilliam.

Brimage, William, of Gray's Inn, in the county of Middlesex, Nov. 10, 1792; Nov. Term 1799. All my property in England to be sold, son Thomas West Brimage, all my property in North Carolina to be divided among all my children, Wm. Bleamire of Kensington, sole Exr.

Brimage, Elizabeth, May 25th, 1814; May Term 1816. Daughter Elizabeth P. Bate, daughter Mary F. Miller, daughter Harriet Fessenden and her two sons William and Thos. Fessenden, Mary Miller, son Thos. West Miller, Benj. Fessenden and Ephraim Miller Exrs., Humphrey Bate. Test, Rich'd Poindexter, Nath'l Cullipher.

Bond, John, Jan. 17, 1800; May Term 1800. Wife Clarissa, child in esse, sister Sarah Thompson, sister Mary Bond, half brother Lewis Bond, Hezekiah Thompson, and Hardsman Abington Exrs. Test, Thos. Thompson, Hezekiah Thompson.

Bond, Lewis, June 12, 1847; Aug. Term 1851. Wife Mary E. Bond, sister Mary Ashburn, Dr. John T. Rascoe, sons William P. Bond and John T. Bond, daughters Lucinda Wheeler and Esther Sutton, sons Lewis and James, Jno. T. Rascoe, nephew Thomas Bond, Jonathan S. Tayloe and David Outlaw Exrs. Test, Harry Nicholls, T. E. Fanning.

Bunch, Zadock, Jan. 30, 1801; May Term 1801. Sister Nanney Pritchard, sister Milley Bunch, Abisha Pritchard, sister Polly Williams, David Pruden Exr. Test, Ryn Pritchard, Nancy Pritchard.

Bunch, Frederick, Feb. 6, 1810; Aug. Term 1810. Sons Ostan, David, John, Levy and Joshua, daughters Sarah and Penny Bunch, Abner and Joseph Eason Exrs. Test, Nehemiah Bunch, Cader Bunch, Elijah Bunch.

Bunch, John, Sept. 13, 1814; Nov. Term 1814. Child in esse, wife Milly, William Headriser and Lodowick Pruden Exrs. Test, Elijah Bunch, Joshua Bunch.

Bunch, Nehemiah, Mch. 29, 1815; May Term 1815. Wife Elizabeth, daughters Sally, Winney and Eliza, sons Cader and Elisha, grand-daughter Lews Bunch, David Pruden and son Elijah Exrs. Test, Jas. Bunch, Cullen Bunch.

Bunch, William, Jan. 11, 1816; Feb. Term 1816. Wife Absilla, son Cullen, daughter Nancy Bunch, son Jesse, daughter Polly Bunch, David Pruden and Wm. Hendrixen Exrs. Test, Thos. Holder, Micajah Bunch.

Bunch, Joshua, Dec. 5, 1821; Feb. Term 1822. Wife Nancy, wife and Elijah Bunch Exrs. Test, Wmson Hendrixen, James Pritchard.

Bunch, Elizabeth, Oct. 31, 1822; May Term 1832. Son Elijah Bunch, daughter Winney Bunch, son Elijah Exr. Test, Wmson Hendrixen.



Bunch, Alsley, April 26, 1836; Feb'y Term 1841. **James Pritchard**, daughter **Elizabeth Jacobs**. Test, **Jonathan Pritchard**, **Allen Pritchard**.

Bentley, John, Feb. 19, 1802; May Term 1802. Wife **Mary**, sons **Jerry** and **John**, **James** and **Jonathan**, all my children, **Peter Rascoe** and **Wm. Sutton Exrs**. Test, **John Williams**, **Elizabeth Bayley**.

Bentley, William, May 26, 1804; Aug. Term 1804. Wife **Sarah**, daughter **Betsey Bentley**, **Luke Smithwick Exr**. Test, **Edward Yeats**.

Benson, Wm., Jan. 5, 1800; Aug. Term 1800. Wife **Anne**, daughter **Elizabeth Benson**, son **Wm. H. Benson**, **David Turner** and **Col. Hardy Murfree Exrs**. Test, **Walter Hubbell**, **Wm. Hubbell**, **Jno. Rowan**.

Benson, Anne, Oct. 3, 1814; May Term 1818. Sisters **Sarah Humphreys** and **Mary Seat**, **David Young Exr**. Test, **Hy. A. Donaldson**, **Richard S. Bowers**.

Bryan, Martha, Feb. 20, 1808; Nov. Term 1802. Sister **Jennett Pugh**, niece **Martha Pugh**, niece **Mary Pugh** (wife of **Wm. Jordan**), niece **Ann Pugh**, niece **Winifred Pugh**, niece **Penelope Reed**, niece **Maria Reed**, niece **Susanna Baker** (now wife of **Capt. Williams**), niece **Martha Baker**, nieces **Elizabeth Baker**, **Sarah Baker** and **Mary Baker**, nieces **Sarah Sanders** and **Elizabeth Stearns**, nephews **Thos. Ryan** and **Edward Baker**, sister **Sarah Baker**, nephews **West**, **William** and **Lemuel Reed** (children of sister **Winnefred**), **Thos. Whitmell Pugh**, **Jonathan Jacocks** and **Thos. Ryan Exrs**. Test, **Chas. Hardy**, **Aquila Hardy**.

Bryan, Mary, May 16, 1809; Aug. Term 1810. Sons **Simon A. Bryan** and **Jos. H. Bryan**, son **Thomas Coffield**, grand-daughters **Mary B. Outlaw** and **Polly W. Pugh**, my deceased husband **Joseph Bryan**, grand-children **Thomas Tunstall**, **Wm. Turner**, **Harriet Eliza Bryan**, son **Joseph H. Exr**. Test, **J. W. Warburton**, **Jos. Bryan Outlaw**.

Bryan, Elizabeth, Feb. 27, 1832; Feb. Term 1839. Daughters **Frances L.** and **Elizabeth S. Bryan**, son **James L. Bryan Exr**. Test, **J. B. G. Roulhac**, **J. G. Roulhac**.

Bryan, Elizabeth S., Dec. 27, 1838; Feb. Term 1841. Sister **Frances L. Bryan**. Test, **Jas. L. Bryan**, **Susan B. Capehart**.

Bryan, John S., of New York City, Oct. 4, 1838; Nov. Term 1848. Wife and brother **James L. Bryan Exrs**, my children. Test, **Benj. Maitland**, **Seth R. Robbins**.

Bryan, Frances L., Oct. 10, 1841; Nov. Term, 1852. Sister **Ann G. Hyman**, brother **Jas. L. Bryan Exr**, niece **Susan B. Capehart**. Test, **Wm. Lee Gray**, **Geo. Gray**.

Bridger, Patience, Oct. 2, 1799; Feb. Term 1803. Daughters **Peggy Spears**, **Lucy Harris** and **Clotelly Moore**, son **Robert Bridger**,

daughter Jemimah Bridger, grand-son Wm. B. Deans, Jemima Bridger and Wm. Pugh Exrs. Test, Elizabeth Duglas, Jno. H. Powell.

Barrett, John, 1803; Feb. Term 1803. Daughters Sarah and Temperance Barrett, Mary Bentley, Joel Hyman Exr. Test, Robert Temple, Mary Bentley.

Brittain, John, Oct. 11, 1902; May Term 1803. Sons Benjamin, Michael, Daniel and George, wife Elizabeth, daughters Frances, Judith, Elizabeth, Anna and Jemima Brittain, wife and Hardy Freeman Exrs. Test, Hardy Freeman, James Ward, Josiah Holley.

Brittan, Frances, Sept. 11, 1810; Nov. Term 1810. Mother Elizabeth Brittan, brother George Brittan, sister Judith Brittan, sisters Elizabeth Outlaw and Ann Mizell, Frances Mizell (daughter of Ann Mizell), sister Jemima Brittan, brother Michael Brittan's daughter Selah, Hardy Freeman and Daniel Brittan Exrs. Test, Jno. Holley, Jno. Leary.

Brittan, Judith, Feb. 10, 1811; May Term 1811. Brothers George and Daniel Brittan and his daughter Freusy Brittan, sisters Elizabeth Outlaw and Ann Mizell, West Mizell (son of Hezekiah), brother Benjamin and sister Jemima Brittan, Hezekiah Mizell Exr. Test, Hardy Freeman, Jno. Holley.

Briton, Daniel, Mch. 18, 1828; Nov. Term 1831. Wife Ann, son John L. Britton, daughter Frusy Downing. Test, Jos. Freeman, West Mizell.

Britt, Ann, March 5, 1804; May Term 1804. Nancy Holley (daughter of Moore Holley), Anice Wilford, brothers John and Moore Holley, sister Penelope Holley, Moore Holley and James Wilson, Exrs. Test, Jas. Wilson, Jr., Mary Etheridge, Nancy Cady.

Britt, Jesse, Oct. 1, 1807; Feb. Term 1808. Wife Sarah, also my Exx., brothers and sisters, Benage Nicholls also Exr. Test, Wm. Wingate, Polly Cook.

Bazemore, James, Sept. 19, 1804; Feb. Term 1805, sons Elisha, Ebisha, Humphrey, Starkey, James, Allen and Berry Bazemore, daughters Mary and Penny Bazemore, Jesse and Elisha Bazemore, Exrs., wife. Test, John Bazemore, Jr., Turner Bazemore.

Bazemore, Jesse, Jr., Mch. 6, 1807; Aug Term, 1807. Wife Penelope, sons John, Hardy, Thomas, William and Kader, daughter Elizabeth Bazemore, Moses Gillam and Turner Bazemore Exrs. Test, Jesse Bazemore, Sr., Abisha Bazemore.

Bazemore, Jesse, June 17, 1800; Feb. Term 1809. Wife Frances, sons Jesse and Turner, daughters Zilpha, Mary and Susanna, grandchildren Patsey, Nancy and David Griffin (children of daughter Esther Griffin), grand-daughter Penny (daughter of Fanny), daughter Dicey Thomas, and her husband Zadoc Thomas, Moses Gilliam and

sons Jesse and Turner Exrs. Test, David Stone, Phillip Stallings.

Bazemore, Amelia, Nov. 12, 1844; Aug Term 1846. Daughter Nancy Cooper, grand-son Asa Cooper, grand-daughter Milly Ann Cooper, grand-daughters Angelina and Sally F. Cooper, grand-son Horatio Bazemore, daughter Nancy Cooper Exx. Test, Theophilus Cherry, Wm. T. Chapel.

Byrum, James, Jan. 20, 1806; Feb. Term, 1806. Daughters Elizabeth and Martha Cooper, wife Mary Cooper. Test, Katharine Howard.

Byrum, Henry, July 13, 1833; Aug. Term 1833. Wife Margaret, sons Ira and Henry H. Byrum. Test, H. B. Sessoms, S. Odom.

Butler, John., Sr., Oct. 16, 1807; Nov. Term 1807. Wife Winifred, sons John and Silas, daughters Sarah and Dice Butler, daughter Martha Pritchard, wife and Abner Eason Exrs. Test, R. Jenkins, Lemuel Freeman.

Butler, Dolly, Aug. 10, 1808; Feb. Term 1824. Brothers John and Jethro Butler, sisters Rachel and Martha Butler, nephew Levin Butler, Exr. Test, C. H. Bazemore, Daniel Parker of Daniel.

Butler, Martha, Jan. 26, 1842; Feb. Term 1849. Son Leven Butler, also make him my Exr. Test, Henry Mizell, Wm. S. Mitchell.

Burkit, Prudence, Feb. 20, 1808; May Term 1808. Child in esse, Robert C. Watson, Prudence Watson, sister Sarah Perrois children, brothers John and Edward C. Watson Exrs. Test, E. Mason, William Dwyer.

Bowin, Nathan, Sept. 2, 1808; Feb. Term 1810. Wife Patsey, grand-daughters Ann Keeter and Ann Hopkins, grand-daughter Sarah Baker. Test, Thos. Sutton, Rachel Bowen.

Bass, Jacob, Mch. 16, 1810; May Term 1810. Sons John and Thomas, sisters Elizabeth and Isbel Bass, daughter Elizabeth Bass, son John and William Thomson Exrs. Test, Whitmell White, Nathan Miers, James Dorenson.

Baker, William, May 8, 1810; Aug. Term 1810. Wife Nancy, son Asa, daughters Patsey, Sally, Mary, Nancy, Betsey and Rachel Baker, Wm. Perry Ex. Test, Willie Wiggins, John Wynns, Jas. Moore.

Baker, Edward Bryan, Feb. 25, 1818; May Term, 1818. Mother Sarah Baker, sister Susanna Williams, nephews John Baker Williams, Edward B. Sutton and Thos. Baker Nicholls, sisters Susanna Williams, Martha Hardison, Sarah Nicholls and Elizabeth Sutton, sister Susanna Williams and brother-in-law George Nicholls Exrs. Test, John Shaw, B. Nicholls.

Baker, Asa, Jan. 13, 1827; Feb. Term 1827. Daughter Celia Baker, wife Christian, John Williams, Exr. Test, Lemuel Williams, Jeremiah Rawls.

Baker, Joel, Aug. 21, 1830; May Term 1831. Daughter Mary Ann Baker, sister Sally Holland's children, daughter Penelope Hutton, John Williams Exr. Test, Isaac Perry, Jeremiah Outlaw.

Bozman, John, Nov. 13, 1810; Feb. Term 1812. Son William, daughters Frances and Mary Bozman, wife Mary, daughter Elisabeth Satterfield (wife of William), Benj. Williams Exr. Test, Eph'm Weston, George Simons, Catherine Weston.

Bozman, Mary, April, 1838; Feb. Term 1839. Daughter Mary and her husband, Robert Peterson, grand-daughter Mary Elizabeth Johnston, Robert Peterson Exr. Test, Thos. S. Weston.

Burn, Elizabeth Collins, Oct. 18, 1811; Feb. Term 1812. My father-in-law Jeremiah Devan, cousin Colin McKenzie, cousin Mary How, Aunt Sidney Burn and her daughter, uncle John Burn, cousins Nancy, Susan and Sally Burn, brother Levi Burn, friend Mary L. Harramond, Mrs. Mary L. Harramond, Mrs. Margaret Devan, friend Sarah Crook, cousins Nancy and Sally Burn, Jeremiah Devan Exr. Test, Baldy Ashburn, Geo. L. Ryan.

Barnes, Henry, Dec. 18, 1812; Aug. Term 1813. Wife Jemima, son Reuben, son-in-law Thomas Casper, sons Asa and Henry, daughters Jemima Shaw, and Martha Barnes, daughter Edith Casper, son Asa and Thomas Casper Exrs. Test, Sol. Cherry, Jr., Jos. Eason.

Boyce, Hardy, Jan. 20, 1816; Feb'y Term 1816. Wife Nancy, son Hardy, daughter Elizabeth Boyce, daughters Mary Ann and Penelope Boyce, sons William and Thomas, John Jenkins and Capt. Elisha Pender Exrs. Test, James G. Mhoon, George Sholar.

Boyce, Nancy, July 5, 1829; Nov. Term 1829. Daughter Elizabeth Blackston, Catharine Ann Caloways, (daughter of my daughter Penny Caloway), daughter Mary Boyce, husband Hardy Boyce, son George Sholar Exr. Test, L. Raby, Martha Boyce.

Belote, Milly, June 24, 1816; Aug. Term 1816. Whitnell Swain, Betsey Tadlock and her children, William Ward (son of James), Hannah Swain (daughter of Wm. Swain, dec'd), children of James Swain (son of Richard, dec'd), children of James Ward, Wm. Swain, dec'd, Whitnell Swain Exr. Test, Jas. Ross, Nancy Marshall.

Burtonshall, Jacob, October, 1816; May Term 1818. Wife Rhody Eveline, son James Clark Burtonshall. Test, Wm. Griffin, Abraham Cullipher.

Boswell, Thomas, Jan'y 31, 1808; Feb'y Term 1818. Elder Son Rich'd Boswell, sons James and William, daughter Martha Evarts, firm of Boswell and Evarts, children of my daughter Rachel Gregory, dec'd, daughter Sarah Bird, sons Richard and William Exrs. Test, Wm. R. H. Bozman, Edward Boswell.

Belch, Lewis, Sept. 6, 1823; Nov. Term 1823. Wife Sarah, sons

Miles and Ryan, Lewis and Jetty Belch (sons of Jesse), Rachel Belch (daughter of Jesse), Willis Belch's daughter, Sarah Miller, Elisha Miller, Polly Sowell, Rachel Floyd, sons Miles and Ryan Exrs. Test, Lawrence Mizell, Joshua Mizell, R. Hunter.

Brogdon, Aaron, Oct. 28, 1825; Nov. Term 1825. Daughter Elizabeth Combs, wife Sally, children Thomas and Nancy Brogdon. Test, Thomas Gilliam, Simon Turner, Jr.

Burden, William, Mch. 6, 1827; May Term 1827. Nancy Cowan, youngest child William Burden, wife Phebe, son Abraham, Wife Exr. Test, R'd Williford, Jno. S. Mitchell.

Brown, Joseph, July 29, 1830; Nov. Term 1830. Grand-daughter Patsey Bunch, daughters Elizabeth Brown and Nancy Cowand, Elijah Bunch Exr. Test, Wm. Hendrixon, Thos. Corbet.

Brantley, Edward, May Term 1837. Wife Clarissa, son Augustus, daughter Margaret Sorrell, friend Charlton Rogers, step-daughter Mary Cail, Josiah Holley, Edward Hardy and Wm. N. Pierce Exrs. Test, Mich'l J. Wilder, Cullen Askew.

Bains, William, July 24, 1837; Aug. Term 1840. Wife Winfred, also my Exx. Test, John Gaskins, Mary Gaskins.

Bains, Winnefred, Dec. 28, 1843; Feb'y Term 1846. Sally Gregory (wife of David), and her children Alfred Laton (son of Stephen), Ann Nixon, William Gregory (son of David), Jane Perry (daughter of Simeon), Wm. Nixon (son of Edward), Martha E. Perry (daughter of Simeon), daughter Sally Gregory, Edward Nixon and wife Rachel's children, children of Simeon Perry and wife Martha Ann, Alexander, Augustus, John, William and Winnefred Nixon, John Williams, Exr. Test, Reddin Jones, Solomon Miller.

Barber, Ann, Oct. 23, 1843; Aug. Term 1844. Daughter Harriet Barnacastle, Chas. W. Jacocks, son-in-law James C. Barnacastle, Chas. W. Jacocks Exr. Test, Minerva B. Simmons, Harriet Cook, Kezia Simons.

Barnacastle, Beverly, Oct. 11, 1844; Nov. Term 1844. Son Jas. C. Barnacastle, grand-son Uriah Barnacastle, grand-son Henry Barnacastle, son Kenneth Barnacastle, grand-son Lewis Jackson Barnacastle. Test, Chas. W. Jacocks, Thos. Smitbwick.

Church, William, Jan'y 27, 1799; Feb'y Term 1800. Wife Elizabeth, brother Thomas Church and wife Exrs. Test, John Watson, Hannah Dawson.

Church, Thomas, Apl. 22, 1801; May Term 1804. "That a sufficient quantity of good and wholesome Spirituous Liquors be furnished by my Excecutor hereafter named at my funeral as may animate the spirits of all whom may happen to be present," my brother and sisters, Wm. Hubbell Exr. Test, Jonathan Jacocks, Samuel Howell.

Collins, Thos., May 26, 1800; Aug. Term 1800. Wife Hannah, friend John Holliday Hudson, daughter Harriet Collins, nephew Edward Watson, nephew Thomas How, daughter Harriet, my brother's and sisters children, Elizabeth McKenzie, Jonathan Jacocks and Thos. Ryan Exrs. Test, James Rascoe, Sampson Turner, Mary Farrer.

Collins, Luke, Feb. 25, 1802; May Term 1802. Wife Maragaret, her sister Harriet Jordan, son William, John and Edward Watson (sons of sister Sarah Watson), Thomas How (son of sister Molly How), Sister Williamson, niece Sarah Devan (daughter of sister Elizabeth How), Prudence Watson and Elizabeth Church (daughters of Sister Sarah Watson), John Watson, Edward Watson and Thomas Sutton Exrs. Test, John Simmons, Mary Hammond, Eda Scott.

Collins, Joseph, June 2, 1799; May Term 1802. Sons Bennet, David, Joab, Jesse and Henry, daughter Ann Wilson, son Williby, Humphrey Hardy and Geo. West Exrs. Test, Josiah Thomas, Turner Bazemore, Wm. Johnston.

Cherry, William, Dec. 18, 1802; Feb'y Term 1803. Wife Susanna, sons William, Solomon and Willie, daughters Sally Dunnin. Phebe Cherry, Polly Cherry, Betsey Cherry and Martha Baker, brother Solomon Cherry and son William Exrs. Test, Wm. Standley, Jonathan Standley, Jos. Eason.

Cherry, Thomas, Sept. 28, 1812; Nov. Term 1812. Wife Rachel, sons Aaron, James, Theophilus and Thomas, daughter Milly Cherry. son Docton, wife and Lodowick Pruden Exrs. Test, Saml. Hobs.

Cherry, Susanna, Mch. 5, 1813; May Term 1814. Daughter Elizabeth Baker property formerly belonging to Rich'd Baker and wife Elizabeth, grand-children Luzzza Baker, Jonathan and David Baker, heirs of Lewah Howard, heirs of Larry Baker, heirs of Clarissa Standley, son Larry and Richard Baker Exrs. Test, Jos. Eason, Jos. Eason, Jr.

Cherry, James, Feb. 3, 1825; Feb'y Term 1826. Wife Elizabeth, my children, Wm. Spivey, Wm. Hendrixon and Jas. Robbins, Exrs. Test, Jno. Robbins.

Cherry, William W., Nov. 21, 1840; May Term 1845. Wife Mary H. Cherry, niece Mary Eliza Holder, Hannah Maria Holder, wife Exx. Test, Solomon Cherry, Jos. B. Cherry.

Cherry, James, Dec. 11, 1853; Feb'y Term 1854. Son James, daughter Mary Eliza Cherry, Elizabeth Outlaw (daughter of David), sister Amelia Spivey (wife of William), my brothers and sisters, David Outlaw, Exr. Test, J. H. Bunch, J. Bunch, Jr., Jas. B. Spivey.

Cotten, Jesse, Nov. 25, 1802; Feb'y Term 1803. Wife, sons

Lewis and Cullen, daughters Elizabeth Caroline, Polly and Dolly Cotton, sons Jesse and Godwin, wife and wife and son Lewis Exrs. Test, Jos. Benthall, Catharine Hayse, Nancy Kinchan.

Cherry, John, Oct. 25, 1807; Aug. Term 1808. Wife Elizabeth, daughter Sarah Cherry, Thos. Cherry and Wm. Thompson Exrs. Test, Noah Thompson, James Donerson, Mary Donerson.

Clark, Christopher, Sept. 15, 1800; Aug. Term 1803. Son James, Capt. Geo. West and daughter Sarah Clements, son James Exr. Test, S. Dickinson, R. A. Squire.

Clark, Wm. M., Nov. 27, 1836; Feb'y Term 1837. Wife and children, Reuben Carnal of Louisiana and Lewis Thompson of Bertie Co., Exrs. Test, Geo. Cobb, Jno. S. Smallwood.

Capchart, George, May 16, 1803; Feb'y Term 1804. Brothers Michael and William Capchart, also appoint them my Exrs. Test, David Gaskins, Elizabeth Gaskins.

Capchart, George, Oct. 18, 1810; Nov. Term 1810. Sons William and Thomas, daughters Ann Harden, Elizabeth Hopkins and Sarah Fleetwood, grand-son Cullen Capchart, son John, grand-son Cullen Capchart and Benj. Hardy Exrs. Test, Cornelius Williams, Wm. Williams.

Capchart, Michael, Feb'y Term 1811. Wife Margaret, brother James Capchart, children Ann, Penelope, Charles, Sarah and child in esse. Test, Benajah Nicholls, Wm. H. Speight, Benj. Hardy.

Capchart, Celia, Feb'y 29, 1832; Nov. Term 1832. Sons West and Joseph Leary; son William Leary, West and Joseph Leary Exrs. Test, Stephen Thach, Mary Eliza Thach.

Capchart, Michael, Apl. 2, 1838; May Term 1838. Sisters Nancy, Harriet, Mary and Eliza Capchart. Test, Benjamin Coffield, Henry E. Coffield, Martha A. Cobb.

Cox, Benjamin, Jan'y 13, 1804; Feb'y Term 1804. Wife Mary, son Ezekiel Smith Cox, daughter Sarah Cox, sons George and John, son Ezekiel S. Cox Exr. Test, Jos. Horn, John Coffield, Benj. Coffield.

Cox, Mary, Sept. 8, 1822; Nov. Term 1822. Grand-daughter Mary Cox (daughter of John Cox) sons John, George and Ezekiel S. Cox, daughter Sarah Cox, sons George and Ezekiel Exrs. Test, Turner Horne, Isaac Horne.

Carter, Cullen, Apl. 20, 1804; May Term 1804. Wife Peggy, my children, wife Exx. Test, Benjamin, Carter, S. Turner.

Carter, William C., May 26, 1826; Nov. Term 1826. Wife Temperance, Elisha A. Rhodes, Exr. Test, Isaac J. Kittrell, Henry Castellow.

Carter, Turner, Sept. 28, 1834; Aug. Term 1835. My mother, wife Sally, daughter Ann Hasseltine, niece William Temperance

Carter, Jonathan S. Tayloe, Exr. Test, Jos. B. Outlaw, Temperance Carter.

Carter Temperance, Dec. 29, 1835; May Term 1836. Daughter William Temperance Carter, Cullen Capehart, Jonathan S. Tayloe and brother George Holley Exrs. Test, Jonathan S. Tayloe, Geo. Standley.

Carter, Margaret, June 24, 1836; Nov. Term 1836. Son Turner Carter, grand-daughter Margaret Eliza Ryan, Wm. Turner Ryan (son of Marcus), grand-daughters Wm. Temperance Carter and Ann Hasseltine Carter, Jonathan S. Tayloe Exr. Test, Wm. W. Cherry, L. S. Webb.

Coffield, David, Oct. 24, 1805; Nov. Term 1805. Sons Benjamin and John, wife Absala, son John Exr. Test, Jos. Horne, John Tyler, Sabra Jones.

Coffield, William, Dec. 6, 1811; Feb'y Term 1812. Sons Jethro, William and Josiah, son-in-law Nath'l Miller, sons Frederick, Isaac and Benjamin, daughter Elizabeth Gaskins, grand-son William Coffield (son of Josiah), daughter Christina Coffield, all my children, son-in-law David Gaskins and Benj. Hardy Exrs. Test, Margaret Capehart, Ellenor Miller.

Coffield, Isaac, June 29, 1812; Aug. Term 1812. Wife Alif, children Candis and John Coffield, brother Jethro Coffield and David Gaskins Exrs. Test, Lewis Bond.

Coffield, Mary, Dec. 13, 1813; Feb'y Term 1814. Grand-son Slaughter Coffield Harrell, grand-children Richard Wright, Carney Harrell, Nancy Powell Harrell, Henry Harrell, Mary, W. Harrell, Sylvester C. Harrell, Stephen W. C. Harrell, Celia W. Harrell, Emilla Elizabeth Harrell, Martha Maddrea and Slaughter Coffield Maddrea, Robert, Polly, Nancy, Patsey and Emily Coffield (children of Charles Coffield), Richard K., John and Mary K. Powell (children of Kedar Powell and wife Nancy), Moses Bishop Exr. Test, Benj. Hempsted, Powell Harrell, Henry Harrell.

Coffield, Jethro, June 2, 1821; Aug. Term 1825. Children of sister Mary Miller, brother William Coffield, children of brother Josiah Coffield, brother Frederick Coffield, children of brother Isaac Coffield, sister Christian Lassiter, children of sister Elizabeth Gaskins dec'd, brother Benjamin Coffield, wife Elizabeth, wife and John H. Cobb Exrs. Test, C. Williams, Wm. Williams.

Coffield, Elizabeth, Sept. 7, 1830; Nov. Term 1830. Sister Charlotte, Curry Butler, Augustin Coffield (son of Benjamin), Nancy Speight (daughter of William), Thomas Morgan (son of Seth), Othniel Morgan, Sally Coffield, Wm. Speight Exr. Test, Henry Francis, Charles B. Francis.

Coffield, Olive, Apl. 16, 1840; Aug. Term 1840. Children Candis



Smith, (wife of Lewis), son John Coffield, son Wm. Talton Coffield, Jos. H. Etheridge and son William, Exrs. Test, Wm. J. Hardy, Wm. D. Etheridge.

Cook, Benjamin, May Term 1806. Brother Charles Cook, sister Peggy Cook, mother Winnefred Lawrence, Jonathan Jacocks and Benj. Devan Exrs. Test, Henry Peterson, George Outlaw.

Cook, William, Mch. 25, 1837; Feb'y Term 1838. Wife Elizabeth, sons Guilford, Josee and Timothy, daughter Jennet Early, Asa F. Early Executor. Test, Asa F. Early, Jas. T. Harmon. (He had other children not named in his will.)

Carkut, Benjamin, Feb'y 3, 1808; Feb'y Term 1808. Wife Elizabeth, Nancy and Joseph Mays, my children, Thos. Stewart Exr. Test, Jno. Warburton, Levy Johnston.

Crickett, Lucretia, Jan. 3, 1809; Feb'y Term 1809. Sister Anna Griffin, Wm. P. Hardy, Exr. Test, Sarah Fleetwood, Sarah Britt.

Cobb, John, Sept. 8, 1809; Nov. Term 1809. Wife Sarah, sons Charles and John, daughter Polly Cobb (wife of Henry Cobb), daughter Cloe Gaskins, children Nancy, Mourning and Fanny Cobb, Benjamin Hardy and son Charles Exrs. Test, Geo. Gaskins, John W. Castellow.

Cobb, Joseph, Apl. 2, 1821; Augt. Term 1821. Wife Emmetia. Test, Jas. H. Moore, James Cobb.

Clarkson, Samuel Russell, of Windsor, N. C., Augt. 8, 1809; Feb'y Term 1810. I desire to be buried near my relations in Edenton in Masonic Style and Wm. Cherry to deliver a discourse on the occasion, H. A. Donaldson his son and William Donaldson, Elizabeth Donaldson (wife of Henry A.) their next oldest son, Aunt Dolly Skinner, cousins Elizabeth Donaldson, Frances and Elizabeth McDonald, William Skinner (son of Dolly Skinner), Ann Benson, my father-in-law Daniel Young and H. A. Donaldson Exrs. Test, J. W. Warburton, Wm. Law.

Clifton, Gervan, July 24, 1810; May Term 1812. Wife Sarah, also Exx. Test, Baldy Ashburn, Turner McGlaughon.

Callum, Willis, Meh. 5, 1816; May Term 1816. Son Edward Austin Callum, son Hezekiah W. Callum, daughter Polly G. Callum, Perry C. Tyler Exr. Test, Richard Tyler, Asa Peele, Thos. Bullock.

Castellow, John, Dec. 11, 1813; May Term 1816. Daughter Charlotte Castellow, sons Thomas, Bartholomew, John D. and Henry D. Castellow, daughter Nancy, wife Margaret and Benj'n Hardy Exrs. Test, Wm. Steel, Henry Francis.

Conner, William, Sept. 18, 1814; Aug. Term 1818. Sons Wright and William, daughters Cloe Wright and Ann Conner, grand-son

and his sister Nancy Conner, daughters Martha and Levinia Conner, Wright Conner, Wm. Conner, Jos. W. Horn Exrs. Test, John Jinkins, Sr., Jno. Jinkins, Jr., Saml. Jinkins.

Copeland, Anthony, Nov. 23, 1817; Feb'y Term 1818. Nephew Albert S. Daughtrey, brothers Benjamin and Wm. E. Copeland, Jos. H. Bryan, Geo. Outlaw and Gavin Hogg, Exrs. Test, Whitmell H. Pugh, Geo. L. Ryan.

Caswell, Samuel, Nov. 8, 1817; Feb'y Term 1818. Son Samuel Freeman Caswell, child in esse, wife Zachariah Ellison Exr. Test, Jos. Holley, Dorcas Coffield.

Casper, Thomas, Mch. 2, 1827; Feb'y Term 1828. Wife Edith, daughter Elizabeth Casper, sons Henry, William, Cullen, Kenneth, Thomas and Asa, John Thompson Exr. Test, Archelaus Carter, Kenneth Casper.

Cooper, Jonathan, Aug. 15, 1825; Nov. Term 1831. Wife Nancy, leaves 100 acres land to Trustees to erect an Academy, and devotes the remainder of his estate for employment of teachers, the children of the County, as many as the fund will provide to be admitted free of charge, he states that he never received an education, he knows the value thereof, John Cooper and Nancy Cooper Exrs. Test, Daniel Futrell, Wm. H. Heckstall.

Cowand Nathan, Nov. 4, 1833; May Term 1836. Wife Nancy, children Phebe C., Robert A. and Nancy A. Cowand, wife Exx. Test, Shadrack Moore.

Cowand, Winnefred, Oct. 27, 1837; Feb'y Term 1842. Son Starkey, daughter Debby Cowand, son Alsey, grand-daughters Phebe Catharine and Nancy Ann Cowand, grand-son Robert Alford Cowand and grand-sons Wm. G. Coggin and James Winneford Coggin, son George, daughter Delilah Cowand, son Starkey Exr. Test, Martin White, Demore White.

Cowand, William, Feb'y 2, 1840; August Term 1843. Daughter Margaret Mizell, grand-son Wm. Cowand, children Ruth Cobb, Elizabeth Bentley, Rachel Wilson, Keddeh White, Thomas Cowand, Matthew Morriss and Jonathan Tayloe Exrs. Test, David White, Aquila Castellow.

Cullipher, Nathaniel, Mch. 5, 1837; May Term 1837. Wife Nelly, my children, Thomas Redditt and son Miles Exrs. Test, John R. Gilliam, Wm. Capchart, Wm. W. Pierce.

Curry, Malachi, Nov. 28, 1844; Nov. Term 1845. Daughter Margaret Mizell, children of daughter Christian Pugh, daughter Jennett Pugh, brother James Curry Exr. Test, Shed'k M. Moore, Wm. J. Mitchell.

Curry, James, Apl. 20, 1846; May Term 1849. Peggy (wife of Aaron S. Mizell) wife Frances, George Mitchell (son of Wm. J.

Mitchell), wife Exx. Test, Jonathan S. Tayloe, Wm. J. Mitchell. Copelin, Frusa, Aug. 17, 1847; Nov. Term 1847. Maria Thomas, Emily Thomas, brother James Copelin, uncle John Thomas Exr. Test, Chas. Capehart, Lidy Lawrence, John Peele.

Cole, Anna, June 3, 1844; Nov. Term 1847. Son Joseph J. Cole, also my Exr. Test, H. H. Hardy, John H. Powell.

Corbett, Thomas, July 5, 1848; Aug. Term 1848. Sisters Winnefred and Elizabeth Hendrixen, Lurana Hendrixen, Wm. D. Mitchell and Richard T. Harmon Exrs. Test, Elijah Bunch, Jethro Moore.

Duning, Samuel, Mch. 6, 1802; Nov. Term 1802. Wife Sarah, sons John and Samuel; daughters Demrick Floyd, Milly Bruce, Polly Askew and Millbury Pinner, daughter Redina Sanford, my grandchildren, grand-son David Stallings, daughter Elizabeth Jones, son John and Willis Sanford Exrs. Test, Sol. Cherry Jr., Moses Howard, Elizabeth Cherry.

Devan, Sarah, May 11, 1803; August Term 1803. My husband Jeremiah Devan, daughter Elizabeth Burn, my father's estate at the death of Mrs. How, son Levi Burn, husband Exr. Test, W. Clements, John Sowell.

Devan, Jeremiah, Sept. 2, 1812; Nov. Term 1812. Wife Margaret Devan, Joseph Blount, Elizabeth Bryan (daughter of William), daughter-in-law Mary Lee Harramond, property from will of Elizabeth Collins Burn, eldest daughter of Wm. Sutton, wife and Wm. Sutton Exrs. Test, Husted Reynolds, Wm. H. Ruffin.

Devan, Margaret, Nov. 25, 1834; Nov. Term 1835. Niece Eliza Jordan, nephew Alfred Jordan, niece Clarissa Goodman, nephews Jno. P. Jordan and Geo. R. Jordan, nephew Jno. J. Ryan, Miss Rebecca Powers, Margaret Peck (daughter of Jno. Peck of New York), Mary Elizabeth Outlaw (daughter of George and wife Mary Eliza), niece Mary Eliza Outlaw (wife of George), Elizabeth Burn for use of Sarah Burn (now Peterson), Geo. B. Outlaw Exr., revokes clause referring to Jno. P. Jordan. Test, Jon. S. Tayloe, L. S. Webb.

Daughfin, Isom Swain, Oct. 28, 1807; Feb'y Term 1808. Mother Winnefred Daughfin, Whitmell Swain also appoint him Exr. Test, Starkey Skiles, Jos. Bentley.

Dunstan, Edmund, May 16, 1814; Aug. Term 1814. Daughters Nancy Jordan, wife Martha, children Martha H. and Edmundson Dunston. Test, Luke Smithwick, Edmund Weston.

Douers, John, May 20, 1808; Feb'y Term 1815. Son James, wife Nancy, daughter Esther, Wm. Thompson and James Douers Exrs. Test, Josiah Thomas, Jno. Thompson, Noah Thompson.

Douers, Anna, Apl. 4, 1817; May Term 1817. Daughter Eliza-

Leth Cherry, grand-son Edward Swain, son James Douers, daughter Esther Cherry's children, son James Exr. Test, Geo. Outlaw, Geo. P. Harrell.

Davidson, Elizabeth, Oct. 2, 1822; Feb'y Term 1827. Son John F. Davidson, also appoint him my Exr. Test, Edward Hardy, Jos. Holley.

Drizzle, John, July 2, 1836; Nov. Term 1836. Wife Mary, sons John, Thomas and William, children of Henry Bate, dec'd, viz: Humphrey, James and Mary Bate, Jas. G. and Wm. S. Mhoon Exrs. Test, Jno. Cooper, Jos. Cooper.

Drizzle, Mary, Dec. 14, 1836; Nov. Term 1838. My children Humphrey, James and Mary Bate, sons Humphrey and James Bate Exrs. Test, Jas. G. Mhoon, H. H. Hardy.

Devereaux, Geo. P., (who died at Suffolk, Va.), May 5, 1837; Nov. Term 1838. Wife Sarah Elizabeth Devereaux, daughter Elizabeth Johnson Devereaux, child in esse, wife Exx. Test, Henrietta F. Whitney, Elizabeth F. Whitney, Frances E. Whitney, (these witnesses resided in the City of Newthorn, Conn.)

Duers, James S., June 29, 1853; Nov. Term 1853. Son James R. Duers, daughter Winfred Ann Valentine, Wm. A. Ferguson (now a widower), after his marriage or death to my grand-son Wm. F. Ferguson (son of my daughter Mary C. Ferguson), son James and sons-in-law Wm. A. Ferguson and Daniel Valentine Exrs. Test, Jno. S. Tayloe, Thos. C. Watson.

Early, Benjamin, Feb'y 23, 1815; May Term 1815. Wife Millicent, sons Seth A., Justin and Isaac W. Early. son James, daughters Penelope Mitchell, Anna Harmon, Elizabeth Harmon, Patsey Holloman and Polly Minton, sons Justin and Isaac Exrs. Test, Rich'd Williford, John Early.

Early, Justin, Sept. 9, 1817; May Term 1819. Brother Isaac Early, Penelope (daughter of brother James Early), Mandrick's Early (son of brother Seth), mother Millicent Early, brother James Early, cousin Jason Early, brother Isaac Early and Lodowick Jenkins Exrs. Test, Rich'd Poindexter, John Early.

Eason, Abner, Jan'y 10, 1815; May Term 1815. Sons John, Joseph, Abner, Solomon and Thomas, daughters Penelope Gardner, Absilah Powell, Rachel Watford and Elizabeth Eason, sons Joseph and Abner Exrs. Test, Jos. Eason, Jos. Bunch.

Eason, Joseph, Jan'y 29, 1816; Feb'y Term 1816. Son Jesse, daughters Rachel Miller and Jenet Eason, Sol. Cherry, Jr., Wm. Miller and Jane Eason Exrs. Test, Wm. Standley, Wm. King.

Eason, Solomon, Aug. 18, 1816; Feb. Term 1818. Wife Amelia, son unmarried, Jarrod Young Exr. Test, Richard Baker, Tempy Holks.

Etheridge, William, Dec. 9, 1836; Feb'y Term 1837. Wife Martha, my five oldest children by my first wife, viz, Mary Etheridge (now Cherry), Harriet Etheridge (now Simons), Martha Etheridge now Askew), Joseph and William Etheridge \*my youngest children, wife Exx., he mentions Josiah Holley a trustee for the above named children. Test, Jas. S. Mitchell, Moses Spivey.

Evans, Meedy, Nov. 12, 1842; Feb'y Term 1843. Wife Celia, son Noah, sons Aaron and Jeremiah, daughter Mary Evans, sons George and Freeman, daughters Sally Evans and Rachel Thompson, Michael J. Wilder and son Noah Exrs. Test, Henry Fareless, Simcon Fareless.

Freeman, Sarah, Jan'y 25, 1807; Nov. Term 1807. Son Benjamin Norfleet, daughter Mary Freeman, son Isaac Norfleet, son John Freeman, daughter Elizabeth Freeman, daughter Elizabeth Foreman, daughter-in-law Elizabeth Parker, my two sons and sons-in-law Jeremiah Freeman, Isaac Norfleet and John Freeman Exrs. Test, Willie Outlaw, S. M. Sessoms, Elisha Sessoms.

Freeman, Jeremiah, Jan'y 4, 1810; Feb'y Term 1810. Daughters Christian Freeman and Sarah Spivey, son Jacob, wife Mary, Hardy Freeman and Aaron Askew Exrs. Test, Joshua Outlaw, James Outlaw.

Freeman, Martha, Nov. 1, 1815; Aug. Term 1818. Daughters Susanna Nicholls, Winaford Spivey, Silvia Ward and Sarah Williford, son James Freeman, daughter Martha McGlauchon, granddaughter Martha T. Spivey, grand-son James Ward (son of Joshua and wife Silvia), grand-son Hosea Newson, grand-son Wm. Dunning, son James and Geo. McGlauchon Exrs. Test, Irvin Jenkins, Elizabeth Jenkins.

Freeman, Timothy, June 27, 1823; Nov. Term 1827. Wife Fanny, Josiah Freeman. Test, Catharine Rayner, Elizabeth Rayner.

Freeman, William, July 9, 1824; Feb'y Term 1831. Wife Celia, sisters Christian Mourning, Mary Copeland and Sally Sutton, John Campbell's heirs by his wife my sister Celia, heirs of Celia Daughtie, Celia Ann Sessoms (daughter of Samuel Sessoms), John Sessoms (son of John), Isaac Freeman (son of Joshua), Isaac P. Freeman (son of Jacob), William Mourning (son of Sister Christian), Richard Freeman (son of Joshua), John Freeman (son of Jacob), Nancy Weston (daughter of Joshua), nieces Celia Nixon and Adaline Ashburn (daughter of Baldy), Isaac P. Freeman and Harrell Sessoms Exrs. Test, Starkey S. Harrell, Aaron Askew, Jas. Ward.

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\*Wm. Etheridge's grand-son E. E. Etheridge, Register of Deeds for Bertie Co., N. C., says the names of the children by the last marriage were James, Horatio, Randolph, Thomas, Elizabeth, (md Dr. Fent of Texas), and Isabella, (md ——— Pressly of Ala.)

Freeman, Celia, Apl. 1, 1837; Feb'y Term 1838. Nancy Shaw, H. B. Sessoms, W. W. Sessoms, Daniel V. Sessoms, John and Nathan Sessoms (sons of John), Anne Holly (daughter of Jno), Celia Dowdy (wife of John), J. P. Freeman, Sally Askew (daughter of Aaron), nieces Eliza E. Sessoms, Catharine Jane Sessoms, Harriet Bell Sessoms and Ophelia Sessoms, Wm. Sessoms (son of Elisha), brother Nathan Sessoms' children, brother Elisha Sessoms and nephew H. B. Sessoms Exrs. Test, Aaron Askew.

Freeman, Nicey, Oct. 30, 1846; May Term 1848. Eldest son James Freeman, son Wm. H. Freeman, daughter Martha H. Freeman, son James Exr. Test, Noah E. Green, B. B. Williams, G. N. Green.

Freeman, Christian, Feb. 13, 1840; Spring Term 1854. Grandson-in-law John B. Freeman (son of Josiah), Isaac P. Freeman, John L. Britton, Nancy Freeman, Eliza West, Mary Russell, Isaac P. Freeman Exr. Test, Wm. Raynor, Charney Cale.

Fryer, Willis, 1814; Feb'y Term 1816. Wife Sarah, all my children, wife and Noah Thompson Exrs. Test, Jno. Thomas, James Donerson.

Floyd, Randall, Sept. 13, 1818; Nov. Term 1818. Wife Rachel, daughters Elizabeth, Patsey and Nancy Floyd, my five children by my present wife, Jennet, Samuel G. Mary, Caroline and Lewis Floyd. Test, Saml. Ladd, Whitmell Wilkins, Aquila Hyman, Wm. Hollowell.

Floyd, John, Sept. 15, 1809; May Term 1831. Wife Jemima, daughters Catharine and Jemima Floyd, grand-daughter Polly Leroy, daughters Elizabeth, Patsey and Sally Floyd, daughter Rachel Outlaw's children, James Outlaw and Polly Lerry, John Lerry and Wright Nicholls Exrs. Test, Willie Dunning, Titus Moore, Wright Nicholls.

Fleetwood, Edmund, Nov. 6, 1818; Feb'y Term 1819. Wife Winnifred, sons Charles, Aquila and William, daughter Sarah Leget, grand-children Martha and Edmund Dunston, son Edmund, wife and Benj. Hardy Exrs. Test, Henry Francis, Charlotte Oxley.

Fleetwood, Winnefred, July 4, 1839; Feb'y Term 1840. Grandchildren Martha and Edmund Dunstan, sons William and Charles Fleetwood, grand-son David James Freeman, daughter Sarah Leggett, grand-son-in-law William Hyman, daughter Martha Hyman, Wm. Hyman Exr. Test, Wm. Mourning, Gabriel Pender.

Folk, Sarah, Sept. 12, 1734; May Term 1835. Daughter Harriet, sons Benjamin and Henry, children Eliza P. Garrett, Nancy Pierce, Caroline Spivey, Harriet Garrett, Benjamin and Henry Folk, brother Wm. S. Mhoon guardian for my sons, also appoint him my Exr. Test, J. B. Mhoon, F. R. Pugh.

Francis, Elizabeth, Jan'y 8, 1844; May Term 1844. Sister Ann and her husband Willie Todd, nephew Samuel Jackson Todd. Test, Robt. Peterson, Sealy Boswell.

Frasier, John, Oct. 7, 1843; May Term 1845. Wife Edith, daughters Martha Worley (wife of Wm. A.) and Mary Hodges, grand-sons John G. and James W. Frasier, wife Exx. Test, Justin Askew, R. H. Cox.

Gray, William, Mch. 2, 1799; August Term 1801. Daughters Ann Blount, Elizabeth Bryan, Frances Roulhac, Jennett Grey and Ellenor Gray, son George, daughters Margaret Gray and Penelope Gray, son William Lee Gray, Samuel Johnston, nephew Wm. McKenzie, John Roulhac and sons George and Wm. Lee Gray Exrs. Test, Wm. Burlingham, John Clark.

Gray, George, Feb'y 11, 1806; May Term 1806. Brother Wm. Lee Gray, sisters Ann, Elizabeth, Frances, Jennet, Elenor, Margaret and Penelope, John Roulhac, Kenneth Clark and brother Wm. Lee Gray Exrs. Test, Jos. B. Littlejohn, Wm. M. Clark.

Gray, William Lee, May 22, 1808; Feb'y Term 1846. Sister Penelope Gray, wife and child or children, Kenneth Clark, David Clark, William M. Clark and nephew Joseph Blount Exrs. Test, Rich'd Jones, Ann Clark, codicil mentions Frances Ann Pugh, Geo. Gray and Wm. Gray, codicil dated Apl. 10, 1834.

Giblin, Sarah, Nov. 8, 1802; May Term 1805. Milly Rhodes, Henry Hunter, Sr., Penny Rhodes, Norfleet Harris' three children, Lemuel Burkett, Henry Hunter, Sr., Exr. Test, Henry and Nancy Rhodes.

Gaskins, David, Sept. 23, 1793; May Term 1806. Sons Thomas, David and John, wife Sarah, son George, all my children, son-in-law Wm. McGlauchon and Wm. P. Hardy Exrs. Test, Thos. Lackey, David Curry, Esther Curry.

Gaskins, Benjamin, Jan. 21, 1840; Feb'y Term 1840. Brothers Starkey and John Gaskins, sister Elizabeth White, Lorenzo D. and Medieus Gaskins, John Thomas and L. D. Gaskins. Test, James Davison, John Peele.

Gaskins, Lorenzo D., Oct. 1, 1840; Nov. Term 1840. Wife Deborah, my father and brother Benjamin Gaskins estate, children Mary Charlotte, Justin Adaline and Alethea Elizabeth Gaskins, wife Deborah and George Outlaw Exrs. Test, Wm. Mardre, Americus Gaskins.

Gaskins, Starkey, Natchez, Mississippi, July 22, 1840. Brother David Gaskins. Test, Wm. Garrett, G. W. Thrift.

Gaskins, David, Jan'y 1840; Fall Term 1843. Sons Starkey, John, David, Benjamin and Meticus, daughter Elizabeth White, grand-children (children of son John in Cumberland Co.), sons Ben-

jamin and Lorenzo D. Gaskins and A. M. Mebane, Exrs.

Gaskins, Ameticus, Mch. 18, 1845 (late of Jackson Co., Fla.), niece Justina Adaline Gaskins, children of John Thomas, viz, Maria, Martha, Mary, John, Emily and George Thomas. Test, Chas. Capehart.

Grover, James Swinhow, Mch. 13, 1807; May Term 1807. Wife Elizabeth, children John Rutland Grover, Susanna Levina Grover, and James Swinhow Grover, Wm. Granberry, Kenneth Clark and Saml. Williams Johnston Exrs. Test, Moses Bishop, Whitmell Rutland, Jas. Swinhow Grover, Sr.

Grover, James Swinhow, Apl. 19, 1817; Nov. Term 1818. Wife Absilla, grand-children John Rutland Grover, Susanna Swain Grover and James Swinhow Grover, Jr., wife and Turner Horne Exrs. Test, Benj. Coffield, Blake D. Raby.

Grover, Absilla, Feb'y 19, 1831; May Term 1831. Grand-son James Coffield, also my Exr. Test, Turner Horne, Olive Job.

Gilliam, Moses, Oct. 18, 1822; Feb'y Term 1824. Wife Winfred, daughter Elizabeth Pugh, sons William, Thomas, Wilie J. and Benjamin Gilliam, daughter Penny Pearce, John Bond and Gavin Hogg Exrs. Test, E. A. Rhodes, James Duers.

Gillam, William, July 15, 1827; Aug. Term 1827. Mother Winfred, Cousin Benj. Folk, Rev. Reuben Lawrence, sister Penelope Pearce, brothers Thomas and Willie J. Gillam. Test, John Ramsey, Jas. C. Jones.

Gillam, Thomas, Jan'y 25, 1844; Feb'y Term 1844. Wife Frances, sons Thomas, William and Francis Gillam, Wm. Folk Exr. Test, Jno. P. Rascoc, Lewis Bond.

Garrett, Mary, Nov. 24, 1820; Nov. Term 1823. Son William Sparkman, daughter Clary Baker, son Everett Garrett, daughters Winfred Leary, Elizabeth Outlaw and Mary Bateman, son Martin Garrett, daughter Patsey Fleetwood (wife of Edward), grand-daughter Martha Garrett, (her father Everett), my grand-children, Mary Leary, Rebecca Bateman and David Baker, sons Wm. Sparkman and Everett Garrett, Exrs. Test, B. Hardy, W. Williams.

Griffin, Elizabeth, Sept. 4, 1824; Nov. Term 1825. Son John Edwin Griffin, Humphrey H. Hardy Exr. Test, Eleanor Hardy, Jno. Hardy.

Gale, John Delona, Dec. 13, 1825; Feb'y Term 1826. Cader Bird youngest son of my present wife, Richard Bird, wife Lond Bird. Test, Wm. Hoggard, Rich'd Bird, Benj. Bird.

Gardner, Isaac, June 5, 1826; Feb'y Term 1827. Wife Parah, children Alfred, Temperance and Miles Gardner. Test, Rion Butler, Edward Bosull.

Gill, Sarah, Oct. 5, 1838; Aug. Term 1839. Nephew David E.



Mason, grand-son James Gill, Jr., daughter Sarah and her children, son James Exr. Test, Henry A. Raynor, Reuben McFarson.

Gregory, Lemuel, Dec. 3, 1845; May Term 1846. Son David L. Gregory, daughter Mary Gregory, daughter Seely Gregory, or Newborn, daughter Margaret N. Gregory, sons Job and James W. Gregory, wife Margaret. Test, Henry White, James Culipher.

Hayse, Joshua, May 3, 1800; Aug. Term 1800. Wife Nice, sons Solomon and Sampson, daughters Silvah, Sarah and Ciddah Hayse, Patsy Robertson, Lewis Thompson Exr. Test, Jos. Horne, Temperance Hayse, Judith Hayse.

Hayes, Ruth, Sept. 18, 1817; Aug. Term 1818. Daughter Rutha Jenkins, son Benton H. Raby, Joab Deanes, grand-children Noah and William Williford, Simon Turner Exr. Test, Jno. A. Caudle, Simon Turner.

Hayes, Samuel, July 18, 1828; May Term 1831. Wife Jemima, children Edy Fraim, Penny and Hardy Hayes. Test, Jos. Andrews, Mary Higgs, Thomas Andrews.

Hayes, Hardy, July 13, 1843; Feb. Term 1845. Wife Susan, Mary Hodges, Martha Worley, Jos. B. Lee, Thos. J. Pugh Exr. Test, Wm. A. Pugh, John L. Tyler.

Hayes, Susan, Jan'y 22, 1845; Feb. Term 1845. Sylvia Hayes, Eliza Hayes now in Florida, Caroline Norfleet's children in Tennessee, Lucy Norfleet (daughter of James). Test, W. S. Brown, J. P. Carter.

Hayes, Silvey, Sept. 20, 1849; Nov. Term 1851. Lewis Cotten. Test, W. S. Brown, Wm. A. Pugh.

Harrell, Hezekiah, Feb. 24, 1801; Nov. Term 1801. Sister Ann Harrell, my brothers and sisters. Test, Wm. Higgs, Jeremiah Harrell.

Harrell, Margaret, Jan'y 20, 1803; Feb'y Term 1803. Daughter Mary Churchwell my interest in the estate of Wm. Harrell, my deceased husband. Test, Henry Pugh, Dennis Lenton.

Harrell, Amos, Sept. 16, 1805; Feb'y Term 1806. Wife Elizabeth, children Betsey, Parthenia, Sally and Nancy B. Harrell, daughters Renna Peele and Charity Powell, wife, Jose Horne and Jesse Powell Exrs. Test, Jos. Horne, Elijah Daughtry, Catharine Kenehorneher.

Harrell, William, Sept. 10, 1806; May Term 1807. Wife Jemima, daughter Mary McClellan, Elizabeth and Priscilla Harrell, son Josiah, grand-daughter Leedey Harrell (daughter of Hughs Harrell), my daughter-in-law formerly Polly McDowell, then Harrell now Mizell, son Josiah and son-in-law George McClellan Exrs. Test, Jesse Bird, Mary McClellan, Elizabeth Harrell.

Harrell, Benjamin, June 30, 1809; Nov. Term, 1809. Sons

George, Henry and Powell Harrell, daughters Rachel Harrell, Celia Carney and Winnefred Carney, my mother-in-law Ann Powell, grand-son Right Harrell, wife Jemima, brother Reuben Harrell, son Henry Exr. Test, Jo. Horne, John H. King.

Harrell, Joshua, June 26, 1810; Aug Term 1810. Son Jesse Bryan Harrell, sons Josiah and Elisha, son Josiah and John Ruffin Exrs. Test, Jas. Sw. Grover, Sr., Wm. Hollowell, Eliz Hollowell.

Harrell, James, Sept. 27, 1809; Nov. Term 1810. Sons James, Cader and Reuben, my two daughters, son James and Jos. Horne Exrs. Test, Moore Higgs, Christopher Harrell, Bennet Bruce.

Harrell, John, Oct. 6, 1814; Nov. Term 1818. Wife Winnefred, sons Thomas, Joshua, James and Reddick Harrell, Martha Harrell (daughter of Ephraim), daughters Ritty Hughs and Zilpha Harrell, son John, daughters Penelope, Mary and Cynthia Harrell, Jas. S. Hunter Exr. Test, Charlton Hobbs, Riddick Hunter.

Harrell, Isaac, Apl. 13, 1815; May Term 1815. Wife Patience, daughters Jemima, Sally, Betsey and Jennett Harrell, grand-sons Noah, Isaac, Thomas and George Harrell (sons of Job), grand-son John Harrell (son of Amos), grand-sons Samuel and Henry Harrell (sons of Joseph), son Meredith Harrell, Miles and Elijah Rayner Exrs. Test, Josiah Harrell, Elizabeth Rayner.

Harrell, Jemima, Sept. 19, 1822; Aug. Term, 1826. Daughters Rachel, Winnefred and Celia, son Henry Exr. Test, Mary Harrell.

Harrel, Powell, June 14, 1837; Aug. Term 1837. Wife Harriet, daughter Ann P. Harrell and son Jno. P. Harrell (children by Celia Willoughby), daughter Mary P. Harrell and son Powell A. Harrell, Wm. Bishop Exr. Test, Perry C. Tyler, Wm. Britton.

Harrell, Mary, Mch. 11, 1840; Nov. Term 1840. Daughters Lavinia, Milly and Eliza Harrell, brother Thos. Ward dec'd, children Noah, George, Lawrence, Milly and Eliza Harrell, son Noah Exr. Test, Wm. J. Hardy, Sarah A. Dukes.

Harrel, Arthur, Nov. Term 1850. Daughter Rhoda Peele, son-in-law Exum Peele Exr. Test, Benj. Hempstead, Isaac Horne, Turner Horne.

Harrell, Penelope, Feb'y 3, 1853; Nov. Term 1853. Daughter Sarah Harrell, daughter Martha (wife of Jos. Hoggard). Test, Jos. W. Cowan, Stephen Williford.

Hughs, George, Jan'y 14, 1797; Feb'y Term 1802. Sons David, Solomon and George, daughter Mary Outlaw, wife Mary, sons David, and George Exrs. Test, Sparkman Stone, Abs'm Pritchard, Wm. Todd.

Hughs, James, July 31, 1804; May Term 1805. Eldest son Cornelius, son Stephen, wife Elizabeth, son Obed, daughters Anna, Martha, Rebecca, Kerrenhappuch, Delila and Charlotte, Cornelius Craus

and Benj. Hardy Exrs. Test, Abm. Pritchard, Sarah Pritchard.

Hughs, William, March 6, 1823; May Term 1823. Wife Alea, brother Morris Hughs, sister Synthy, heirs of brother Zadoc, brother Thomas, sisters Selia Hoggard and Rhody Hughs, brother Moses, mother Ritta, brother Merila Sexton Hughs, Jno. D. Castellow and Williford Smith Exrs. Test, Henry Francis, Jno. H. Cobb.

Hughs, Cornelius, Nov. Term 1823. Wife Mary, son Johnston, daughter Peggy, Winefred, Milly and Kedath Hughes, Ezma Yeates and Martha Morris Exrs. Test, Barnaby Hughes, Equella Todd.

Hughs, Ann, Feb'y 7, 1821; Nov. Term 1823. Daughter Senath Harrell, son Riddick Hughs, son Miles Hughs, daughter Nancy Hughs, son James Hughs, daughter Martha White, sons Allen and Whitmell Hughs, son Hillery, daughters Frances Sparkman and Charlotte Mizell, Matthew Morris Exr. Test, Solomon White.

Hill, John, Dec. 16, 1801; Feb. Term 1802. Wife Polly Hill, nephew Jos. Hill Anthony, sister Elizabeth Anthony, nieces Elizabeth, Martha and Henrietta Anthony, John Hill Pugh (son of William), Merina and Harriet Bryan and their mother, cousin Wm. Pugh (son of William), cousin Whitmell Pugh brother Thos. B. Hill, if child in esse, Sam'l Johnston, Thos. B. Hill and Jos. Brayn, Sr., Exrs. Test, Jas. Tunstall, John Ruffin, Arnold Milburn.

Harmon, Nicholas, Feb. 4, 1802; May Term 1802. Sons Nicholas, Joshua and Michael, daughters Betsey and Nelly Harmon, sons Abraham and Jonathan, sons Abraham and Nicholas Exrs. Test, Jas. Tayloe, Christian Tayloe, Winnefred Douglas.

Hagan, John, Sept. 18, 1793; May Term 1803. Sister Margaret Hagan of Maryland, brother-in-law Robert Crolin, for his daughter whose name I forget, John Wolfenden, brothers Alexander and James Hagan, David Stone and Edward Bryan Exrs. Test, Alex Ferguson, Zed Stone.

House, Thomas, 1802; Oct. Term 1803. Brother Wm. House, sister Sally Moore, nephew John House (son of brother William), niece Patience Young, brother Wm. House and Titus Moore Exrs. (Contested but approved by the Jury and ordered recorded).

Hinton, Noah, Nov. 9, 1794; Nov. Term 1803. Nephew Noah Thompson, brother William Hinton, sister Mourning Sumner, niece Elizabeth Bond, nephews Miles and Uriah Blanchard, Wm. Hinton (son of my nephew William), Micajah (son of Wm. Hinton), brother William and Noah Thompson Exrs., brother William Hinton's three children, Noah Hinton, William Hinton and Elizabeth Thompson (wife of Lewis Thompson). Test, Geo. House, Titus Moore, Lewis Thompson, Aquilla Long, Reuben Norfleet, Thos. Thompson, Hezekiah Thompson.

Hallum, John, Sept. 26, 1804; Nov. Term 1804. Son Jeremiah,

daughters Elizabeth and Hester, child in esse, wife Kiddah, Wm. Copeland and Jno. Capehart Exrs. Test, Abs'm Pritchard, Dempsey White.

Hunter, Humphrey, Oct. 4, 1804; May Term 1805. Brother Cader Hunter, sister Sally Codman, Edward C. Watson Exr. Test, Will Cherry, Jos. Blount.

Hunter, Rachel, Oct. 24, 1807; Nov. Term 1807. Daughter Christian Hunter, grand-sons Timothy and Lassiter Freeman (sons of Hardy Freeman) son William Hunter, grand-daughter Mary Freeman (daughter of Hardy), grand-son John Hunter, son Timothy Hunter's children, grand-son Cader Hunter, daughter Sarah Perry, grand-son Josiah Freeman, son William and Hardy Freeman Exrs. Test, Will Sparkman, Etheldred Perry.

Hunter, Josiah, Nov. 20, 1811; Feb'y Term 1812. Wife Ann, if child in esse, Timothy Hunter and Wm. Sparkman Exrs. Test, John Leary, Leah Leary, Wm. Leary.

Hunter, James S., Mch. 28, 1816; May Term 1816. Wife Susan D. Hunter, if child in esse, Wm. Sparkman and Stephen Thach Exrs. Test, Job Leary, Riddick Hunter.

Hunter Timothy, June 26, 1822; Aug. Term 1823. Sons Henry and Riddick, daughters Penelope Hunter and Cynthia Wilson, sons Henry and Riddick Exrs. Test, Lawrence Mizell, Joshua Mizell, Rian Belch.

Hunter, Cader, April 11, 1826; Nov. Term 1826. Sons Augustus and Thomas Hunter, £500 for benefit of Colerain Academy if my sons should die, Wm. Hunter (son of John), William Newborn (son of Thomas), Thos. Newborn and Thomas Holley Exrs. Test, Augustus Bass, J. White.

Holder, Elisha, Sr. Son Aaron, son Shadrach, daughters Edv Bunch and Sarah Holder, son Aaron and David Pruden Exrs. Test, Isaac Hendrixon, Thomas Corbet, Winifred Hendrixon.

Holder, Elisha, Dec. 26, 1823; May Term 1826. Son Soloman, daughter Polly, son John, wife Winny, all my children, Jno. Holder and Wm. Hoggard Exrs. Test, James Tayloe, John Williams.

Henry, Robert, Sr., Nov. 24, 1805; Feb'y Term 1806. Wife Elizabeth, sons Robert and James, daughter Nancy Freeman, son William, grand-daughter Selah Freeman (daughter of Nancy), James Wilson, Sr., Lewis Outlaw and son James Henry Exrs. Test, Geo. McClellan, John Downing, M. Rayner.

Hardy, Sarah, July 20, 1808; Aug. Term 1809. Orphans of son Lamb Hardy, son Charles, son Benjamin, sons Wm. P. and Benjamin Hardy Exrs. Test, Cornelius Williams, Sarah Williams.

Hardy, Humphrey, July 31, 1809; Feb'y Term 1810. Wife Martha, daughter-in-law Nancy (wife of Chas. Freeman), son John,

sons Charles, Miles, Jonathan and Joseph (and his son Humphrey). Joseph Hardy's wife Elizabeth daughter of Abraham Shepperd, Jarsey Brown (wife of Jeremiah Devan), sons Charles and Miles Exrs. Test, Jonathan Jacocks, Ephraim Miller. Benj. Hill, of Hertford, county bought a little negro of me named Pheby for 25£ which negro died, I desire that sum be paid back to his estate. H. Hardy.

Hardy, Martha, Nov. 12, 1812; Nov. Term 1813. My step-sons Charles Hardy and Miles Hardy (of Washington County), Henry Hardy (son of Miles), Harriet Lee Hardy (daughter of Miles), niece Polly Collins, Eleanor Hardy (wife of Benjamin), Martha Hardy (infant of Charles), niece Patsey Collins, Polly Capehart (wife of William) cousin Angelica Collins, Miles Hardy and Aaron Spivey Exrs. Test, David Redditt, Jesse Yeates.

Hardy, Charles, Apl., 1817; Feb'y Term 1818. Benajah Nicholls and Jonathan Hill Jacocks, Exrs., children of my brothers. Test, Malachi Weston, Thos. Thompson.

Hardy, Benjamin, Apl. 19, 1819; Aug. Term 1821. Wife Eleanor, all my children living at the division of my estate share and share alike, wife, Josiah Holley and son Humphrey Exrs. Test, Will Sparkman, Wm. Blanchard, B. Nicholls.

Hardy, Wm. J., Oct. 17, 1840; May Term 1841. Wife Cleopatra, all my children, wife Exx. Test, H. Wilson, John Wilson.

Hardy, Eleanor, June 5, 1849; Aug. Term 1852. Son Thomas B. Hardy, also my executor. Test, H. H. Hardy, Willis R. Warren, George D. Reed.

Harden, Thomas, Oct. 14, 1809; May Term 1813. Wife Nancy, sons Aquila and Thomas, son-in-law Wm. W. Pierce, sons William, Asa and Robert, Daniel Pierce, Thos. Harden and David Lawrence Exrs. Test, Wm. Pierce, Geo. Pierce, Priscy Pierce.

Hollowell, Elizabeth, Jan'y 1, 1814; Feb'y Term 1814. Mother Bishaba Sharrock, children Winnefred S., William D. and Noah R. Hollowell, Wm. Hinton Exr. Test, Wm. Britton, Moses Bishop.

Hollowell, Euridice, June 19, 1822; Nov. Term 1822. Daughter Elizabeth Hollowell and her daughter Mary Eliza Hollowell. Test, Will Hinton.

Howe, Mary, June 13, 1813; Nov. Term 1814. Grand-daughter Mary E. C. Howe (daughter of my son Thomas), Colin McKenzie (son of George), Eliza Sutton (wife of William), Wm. Sutton Exr. Test, Luke Smithwick, Amelia Sutton.

Higgs, John, May 28, 1815; Aug. Term 1815. Sister Jennett Higgs and her heirs, cousin Patsey Higgs. Test, Jesse Brown, Moses Bishop.

Higgs, Johnston, May 12, 1834; Feb'y Court 1839. Wife Polly. Test, Jas. Walton, Wm. Bishop, Humphrey H. Hardy, Thos. Ruffin.

Hyman, Joel, Jan'y 12, 1816; Feb'y Term 1817. Wife Mary, son Samuel G. Hyman, all my children, wife and friend Samuel Hyman Exrs. Test, Wm. Davis and Wm. Pender.

Hyman, Samuel G., Feb'y 20, 1847; May Term 1847. Wife Tempe, Wm. Hyman, Wm. South, Sarah Champion, Elizabeth South, Samuel Gill (son of James and Elizabeth Gill) James Gill and Wm. Hyman Exrs. Test, Henry Riddick, Jno. H. Gillam, James Smithwick.

Holliday, John, Jan'y 10, 1817; May Term 1818. Sister Hannah Rayner, niece Nancy Simson, nephew James Rascoe, wife Mary, Wm. More, Jr., and Jeremiah Leggett Exrs. Test, John Smithwick, George Leggett.

Howard, Rebecca, Feb. 3, 1819; Nov. Term 1819. Elizabeth Rutland, Wm. Lancaster Exr. Test, John I. Lancaster, Asa Peele.

Howard, Elijah, Sept. 4, 1820; Nov. Term 1820. Wife Dice, daughter Margaret, son Elijah, children James and Nancy, my other heirs, Elijah Howard and Edward Wilson Exrs. Test, Benj. Howard, James Baker.

Hoggard, William, Oct. 30, 1822; May Term 1823. Sons Elisha and James, daughter Tempe Bunch, grand-children Harriet Matilda and Betty Penny Hoggard (children of daughter Patsey) son John, daughter Susanna Hoggard, sons Elisha and John Exrs. Test, Zacheus Champion, David Rice, Solomon Rice.

Harris, Amos, May 7, 1796; May Term 1796. Daughter-in-law Rachel Walston. Test, Allen Knott, Elizabeth Harris.

Holley, Thomas, Aug. 27, 1823; Aug. Term 1827. Wife Celia, son Benjamin, children Augustus, James, Rebecca, Mary, David, William, child in esse, brother Josiah Holley Exr. Test, Stephen Thach, David Outlaw.

Holley, Nancey, Mch. 23, 1828; Feb'y Term 1829. Mary Cherry late Etheridge, Martha Etheridge (daughter of William and Mary Etheridge). Test, Elizabeth McDonall, Susan Baker.

Holley, Celia, Jan. 14, 1849; Feb'y Term 1849. Son Thomas I. Holley, son David A. Holley, my grand-children (children of son James Holley), son Augustus, son Wm. J. Holley, daughter Mary E. Parker, son Augustus Exr. Test, S. B. Spruell, Sam'l A. Bernard.

Holley, Josiah, Mch. 29, 1845; May Term 1846. Half-brother Henry Ward, nephew Augustine Holley, niece Martha Askew (wife of David O. Askew), niece Mary Cherry (wife of W. W. Cherry), nephew Wm. D. Etheridge, niece Mary Holley (wife of my nephew William Holley), nephew David Holley, three nieces (daughters of deceased brother James Holley) residing in Kentucky, great niece Josephine Simons (daughter of niece Harriet Hardy by her first

husband) nephew Jos. H. Etheridge, Sister Mrs. Elizabeth McDowell, Augustine Holley, David O. Askew and W. W. Cherry Exrs. Test, Josiah White, Andrew Northcutt, C. R. Kinney, Will H. Battle.

Holley, Penelope, May 9, 1852; Nov. Term 1853. Nephew Geo. S. Holley, Wm. B. Holly's estate, Mary Landram (daughter of Moore Holley and wife Catharine), Penelope and Margaret E. Harrell, Mary Todd and her daughter Temperance Ann Todd, Nancy C. Bryant, Geo. S. Holley Exr. Test, J. L. Britton, Wm. Dunning.

Horne, Joseph, Jan'y 28, 1828; Aug. Term 1829. Wife Winne, daughter Elizabeth Horne, sons Isaac and Turner, daughter Mary Bishop, son Turner Exr. Test, Jno. B. Acree, Whitmell Rutland, E. S. Cox.

Hodges, John, Aug. 18, 1827; May Term 1829. Son Whitmell, daughter Elizabeth Rhea, youngest children William, Sarah, Jesse and Mary Hodges, son William Exr. Test, John Fraim, Edward Power.

Hendrexen, Isaac, Feb. 16, 1839; Feb. Term 1840. Daughters Winafred, Lavinia and Elizabeth, son Williamson dec'd, his children, Aaron Cherry and Thomas Corbet Exrs. Test, Jas. L. Bryan, R. T. Harmon.

Hutson, Mary, Oct. 15, 1841; Nov. Term 1841. Margaret Shaw, Nancy and Sarah Hoddar, Reuben Lawrence Exr. Test, Reuben and Frances Lawrence.

Hubbard, Helen (nee Pender), nephews Gabriel and Wm. Bird Pender, nieces Mary, Lucinda, Helen and Nancy Pender, nephew Gabriel Pender Exr. Feb'y 15, 1838; Nov. Term 1842. Thos. Bond.

Harrison, Winafred, Sept. 12, 1844; Nov. Term 1844. Sons George and Reuben, Jonathan White Exr. Test, M. White.

Horton, Sally, Apl. 22, 1842; Aug. Term 1847. Grand-daughter Sally M. Powell, son Abner J. Perry, grand-son Wm. L. Powell, grand-daughters Frances, Mary and Josephine Simons, son Abner J. Perry Exr. Test, Peter Slade, West T. Rutland.

Heckstall, Wm. H., July 30, 1847; May Term 1848. Wife Elizabeth, sons John, William and Theodore George Heckstall, sons Thos. I. and James H. Heckstall, daughter Mary M. Tadlock (wife of William), Annette and Deborah Heckstall, son Thomas I. and Chas. W. Jacocks Exrs. Test, Joseph Cooper, James Wood.

Hambleton, Emily, Oct. 21, 1848; Nov. Term 1849. Judy and Litha Curry, Hester King, Thomas Gregory and his wife, Thos. Gregory Exr. Test, Jona S. Tayloe, Mary Ann Harris.

Jernigan, Benjamin, March 20, 1800; Aug. Term 1800. Wife, daughter Nancy. Test, Arthur Jernigan, James Jernigan.

Jernigan, Godwin, Jan'y 17, 1817; Nov. Term 1820. Two youngest children Nathan and Faley Jernigan, sons William and George, daughters Martha Outlaw, Penny Jernigan, Elizabeth Jernigan, Mary Outlaw and Sarah Jernigan, Geo. Wynns Exr. Test, Matthew Morris, John Mizell.

Jernigan, Samuel, Mch. 7, 1825; May Term 1825. Wife Rachel, children Ryan O., Marina and Pheriby Jernigan, son Allen, youngest daughter Reney Jernigan, wife and son Allen Exrs. Test, Jonathan Pritchard, Martha Pritchard.

Johnston, John, Mch. 30, 1801; May Term 1801. Daughter Frances, wife Anne, all my children, Thos. Ryan Exr. Test, Benj'n Williams, Thomas Vose.

Johnston, Samuel W., Sept. 13, 1807; Nov. Term 1807. Wife, my children, brother William W. Johnston, William Thompson, cousin James Johnston to settle my business. Test, John Johnston, John Dye.

Johnston, William W., Nov. 12, 1818; Feb. Term 1819. Wife Mary, sons John G, William and James H. Johnston, daughter Mary Eliza Johnston, son Alexander S. Johnston, daughter Anna S. Johnston, sons Peter B. and Gabriel C. C. Johnston, brother Alexander Johnston, Henry Johnston, James Iredell to have care of son James H., Wm. Britton care of son Wm. W.; Cousin James Johnston balance of my children, James Iredell, Wm. Hinton and Wm. Britton Exrs. Test, Wm. Hollowell, Wm. Pugh.

Johnston, Thompson N., (Hillsboro, N. C.), Feb. 6, 1826; Nov. Term 1826. John Webb, (son of Dr. James Webb), two younger brothers William and Samuel, brother John Exr. Test, Noah Thompson, Wm. A. Armistead.

Jenkins, Mary, Aug. 30, 1798; Nov. Term 1802. Son James Jenkins and wife Winnie, also my Exr. Test, Wm. Cherry, Abraham Jenkins, Irvin Jenkins.

Jenkins, Winborn, Nov. 27, 1810; May Term 1811. Wife Polly, daughters Betsey, Nancy and Sallie Jenkins, son King, wife and brother John Jenkins Exrs. Test, Abraham Harmon, Wright Nicholls, A. Gaston Jenkins.

Jenkins, James, Aug. 28, 1817; Feb. Term 1820. Wife Winnie, James Mitchell (son of William and wife Renny), Wright and Reddin Mitchell (sons of William), Lodwick Jenkins, Elizabeth and Sarah Mitchell (daughters of Wm.), William and Riddick P. Mitchell (sons of Wm.), Zachariah and James Mitchell (sons of William), Patsey Oliver, Wm. Mitchell and Lodwick Jenkins Exrs. Test, Zadock Mitchell, Edward Wilson, Josiah Wilson.

Jenkins, Josiah, July 23, 1817; Feb. Term 1823. Drew Whitmell Jenkins (son of Amelia Jenkins), wife Elizabeth, Solomon



Cherry Exr. Giles Driver and Nancy Mitchell. Test, Sol. Cherry, Zaddock Mitchell.

Jenkins, Martha, May 8, 1823; Aug. Term 1824. Jane King (daughter of Benton), Martha Williams, (daughter of Cornelius), Elizabeth Wimberly (daughter of Frederick), nephew Richard King, Justin Askew Exr. Test, Nancy Thomas, John Robbins.

Jenkins, Winafred, Dec. 1, 1827; Feb. Term 1828. Lodowick Jenkins, Henry Mitchell, Winafred Caroline Mitchell and her children Sam, Winney, Worley and Eason, Wm. Mitchell, Reney Jenkins (wife of Lodowick), Lodowick Jenkins and Wm. Mitchell Exrs. Test, Jno. J. Hoggard, Jno. Early.

Jenkins, John, Sr., Dec. 13, 1828; Aug. Term, 1829. Wife Rachel, daughters Milly Jones (wife of Thomas), and Betsey Nicholls, sons John and Samuel, grand-sons King and Jno. Wynne Jenkins, grand-daughters Penny and Rachel Jenkins and Mary Ann Jones, grand-son Winborne Jenkins (son of Samuel), wife and son-in-law Wright Nicholls Exrs. Test, William Dunning, John Dunning, Wm. Minton.

Jenkins, Elizabeth, Oct. 3, 1843; Nov. Term 1843. Son Giles Driver's children Lotty, Tony and Jenny, daughters Nancy Mitchell, grand-children Harriet, Giles D. and Zaddock D. Mitchell, James M. Macken, Benton K. Moore Exr. Test, J. H. Bunch, Reddin Bazemore.

Jenkins, Elizabeth, April 1848; Feb. Term 1848. Children Lodowick, Joseph and George Jenkins, Winnefred Early, Elizabeth Early and Mary Hale (six). Test, Riddick H. Howard, Henry Wilks.

Jernigan, Fereby, Mch. 11, 1801; Feb. Term 1804. Niece Winnefred Jernigan. Test, Jas. Samper, Chas. Ward.

Jordan, James B., Sept. 13, 1814; Nov. Term, 1804. Wife Frances, son William Hill Jordan, John Wheeler, Peter Rascoe and Jonathan Jacocks Exrs. Test, Luke Smithwick, John Rascoe.

Jordan, James, May 29, 1835; March Term 1836. Wife Mary, son Iredell S. Jordan, daughters Patsey Williford, and Nancy Baker, Maria Williford and her son James R. Williford, Marina Dawson's children, children Theophilus, Iredell, Patsey, Merina, Nancy and Maria, son Iredell Exr. Test, Johnston Higgs, Cader Powell.

Jordan, Mary, Aug. 5, 1844; May Term 1849. Grand-son Thomas J. Baker, grand-daughters Georgeanna Rhodes and Sally Ann Dawson, daughters Marina Dawson and Nancy Baker, son-in-law Dickerson Baker Exr. Test, Jno. H. Grimes, Jos. B. Lee.

Jones, Asha, Aug. Term, 1805. Daughter Nancy Jones, daughters of Chloe Mizell viz: Sally, Penny and Hannah Mizell, Amos Raynor Exr. Test, Robert Riddick, David Craft.

Jones, Jesse, Mch. 20, 1805; May Term 1806. Wife Sinner, Belsom Kittrell Exr. Test, Alex. Hooks.

Jacocks, Jonathan, Mch. 19, 1806; Feb. Term 1811. Jeremiah Devan and William Lee Gray Executors, wife Elizabeth, all my children. Test, Amos Raynor, Robt. West, Benajah Nicholls proved the handwriting.

Jolliff, John M., Jan. 20, 1844; Feb. Term 1847. Wife Emily. Test, Chas. E. Ballard, John Watson, Wm. S. Mullens.

Kittrell, John, Nov. Term, 1801. Wife Mary, wife and Standley Kittrell Exrs. Test, Henry Speller, Jr., Nancy West.

Kail, John, Aug. 30, 1803; May Term 1805. Wife Selah, son Isaac, sister-in-law Katherine Kail, son John, daughters Judith, Jerusha and Penelope Kail, wife and brother-in-law Willis Parker Exrs. Test, Demsey Kail, Jacob Morgan, Walter McFarlane.

King, Kader, Nov. 17, 1806; May Term 1815. Wife Polly, sons William and Noah, wife Exx. Test, Aaron Spivey, John Allen.

King, Charles, Oct. 28, 1817; Feb. Term 1818. Grand-sons Jos. Jarrod and Isaac King, son Willie, daughters Ann Williams, Lotty Wimberly and Sally King, son Henry, children Martha Jenkins, Benton King and Polly Wimberly, Solomon and James Cherry Exrs. Test, J. A. Gardner, Henry King, Worley D. King.

King, Charles, Jr., Sept. 23, 1819; Nov. Term 1819. Wife Elizabeth, sons William, Henry, Charles, John, Timothy, James, Richard and George, daughters Judath Caudle, Sally King and Alse King, grand-daughter Elizabeth Caudle, Moses Gillam, Sr., sons Charles and Timothy Exrs. Test, J. A. Gardner, Benton King.

King, Elizabeth, Dec. 6, 1820; Aug. Term 1821. Son George, daughter Sarah King, sons James and Richard, Wm. H. Pugh Exr. Test, J. A. Gardner, John Robbins.

King, Mary, Nov. 27, 1823; Feb. Term 1824. Son Noah King, son Noah and John B. Mhoon Exrs. Test, Josiah Miller, Jona G. Spivey.

King, Richard, June 2, 1825; Aug. Term 1825. Sister Sally King, wife Harriet, James G. Mhoon and John Ruffin Exrs. Test, Justin Askew, Whit. B. Ruffin.

King, Thomas C., June 21, 1827; Feb. Term 1828. Son Joseph H. King, wife, all my children, Wm. B. King Exr. Test, Humphrey H. Hardy.

Kington, Bathia, Oct. 24, 1807; Nov. Term 1815. Daughter Frances, grand-son Jesse Cobb, son-in-law Cullen Currie and wife Sarah, grand-children Nancy and Henry Cobb, brother Michael Capehart Exr. Test, James Capehart, Elisha Thomas.

Keeter, Lemuel, Dec. 22, 1849; Feb. Term 1850. Humphrey Keeter (son of John), Charles Keeter (son of John), James Keeter

(son of John), and his brother William Keeter, Nancy Keeter (daughter of John), Thomas Cullipher's children by my daughter Ann, son John and his children, Wm. H. Pearce Exr. Test, Jno. N. Hoggard, Calvin Hoggard, Daniel Pearce.

Lawrence, Robert, Dec. 11, 1806; May Term 1808. Wife Nancy, daughters Celah and Winnefred, children David, Nancy, Francis and Temperance. Test, Wm. H. Lawrence, Matthew Pearce.

Lawrence, William, Sr., Mch. 31, 1816; May Term 1816. Children Joseph, Patsey and Prudence, daughter-in-law Priscilla, son William Lawrence's children, Cornelius, Mary and Elizabeth, son Joseph and Jonathan H. Jacocks Exrs. Test, Daniel Pierce, Nimrod S. West, Wm. P. Hardy, Jr.

Lawrence, Jonathan, Aug. 25, 1823; Feb. Term 1824. Mother Mary, mother and Wm. Worley Exrs. Test, Benj. Bowen, Frances Bowen, W. W. Oxley.

Lawrence, Frederick, June 9, 1823; Nov. Term 1823. Son Reuben, grand-son Humphrey Lawrence, daughters Judeth McGlauchon and Elizabeth Rhodes, son Reuben and Wm. Worley Exrs. Test, Robt. E. Edens, Reuben Lawrence, Sr.

Lawrence, Alpheus, Dec. 14, 1843; Feb. 1844. Alex. W. Mebane Exr., wife Mary Eliza Ann, all my children equally. Test, Rich'd P. Freeman, Wm. G. Worley.

Laughton, James, Oct. 31, 1807; May Term 1813. Wife Mary, sons James and Thomas, daughter Elizabeth Laughton, children Ann Sowell, Zilpha Morris, Polly Mizell, Esther Hughes, Sally Hughs and William Laughton, son William and son-in-law Zadock Morris Exrs. Test, Matthew Morris, Henry Ray.

Leggett, Jonathan R., Feb. 7, 1814; Feb. Term 1814. Wife Harriet, daughter Margaret Eliza, son George Thomas Leggett, father-in-law George Outlaw Exr. Test, Jos. H. Bryan, Peggy Turner.

Leggett, Alexander, Jan., 1818; Feb. Term 1818. Wife Nancy, sons Jeremiah, William and George, four youngest daughters, Peggy, Polly, Clarissa and Tempe Leggett, sons Jeremiah and William Exrs. Test, A. Raynor, John Rhodes.

Leggett, Thomas B., Mch. 4, 1815; May Term 1816. Mother Margaret Carter. Test, E. A. Rhodes, Jesse Averit.

Leggett, John, Oct. 15, 1817; Nov. Term 1817. Wife Elizabeth, sons William and Nazareth, Wm. D. Rascoe and Wm. S. Rhodes Exrs. Test, A. Rayner, Jno. West.

Leggett, Clarissa, Nov. 3, 1842; Nov. Term 1842. Niece Sally Weston, sister Tempe Hyman, Martha Hyman, nieces Martha Webb and Mary Skiles, nephews Samuel, William and Alexander Leggett, sister Peggy Weston and her children Sally, Clarissa, Mary and Jor-

dan Weston, Sam'l G. Hyman Exr. Test, Jos. J. Rascoe, Chas. E. Johnson, Jr.

Leary, Thomas, June 23, 1814; May Term 1815. Wife Selah, all my children, Wm. Leary and Wm. Sparkman Exrs. Test, Cader Hunter, Charlton Leary.

Leary, William, July 19, 1821; Aug. Term 1822. Selah Capehart (widow of Thomas Leary), grand-daughter Penny Hunter, Sally Leary (widow of Job), grand-daughter Levinia Hunter, West Tynes, Wm. Sparkman, daughter Ann Britton, Charlton Leary for use of daughter Seneth Hunter, daughter Fransey Freeman, grand-daughter Ann Mary Hunter, son John Leary, son Charlton Leary Exr. Test, Hezekiah Mizell, West Mizell.

Leary, Rachel, Dec. 15, 1838; Aug. Term 1859. Edward Hardy Exr., daughters Sally Ann Northcutt and Priscilla Smith, grand-son Joseph A. Northcutt, daughter Martha P. Smith. Test, Mich'l J. Wilder, Ann Davidson.

Lane, James, Aug. 26, 1819; May Term 1820. Grand-daughters Nancy, Patty and Millicent Lane, grand-sons George and James Lane, daughter Mary Lane, Moses Ward Exr. Test, James Freeman.

Lee, Henry, Mch. 12, 1821; Nov. Term 1822. Wife Anne, daughter Elizabeth Powell, sons Freeman, John, Henry, William and Joseph Lee, John Ruffin Exr. Test, Benj. Hempsted, Wm. Britton.

Lee, John F., Nov. 16, 1842; Feb. Term 1847. Ann Eliza Powell, John Henry Lee, mother Anne Lee, brothers Henry, Wm. H. and Joseph B. Lee, brother Wm. H. Lee Exr. Test, Lewis Thompson, Humphrey H. Rogers.

Linton, Julia, April 28, 1824; May Term 1824. Daughter Emily Linton, Wm. Pugh Exr. Test, James Walton.

Loyed, Mary, Sept. 30, 1823; Nov. Term 1826. Jonathan Outlaw, Martha Freeman (daughter of John, dec'd), sister Nancy Loyed, Jonathan Outlaw Exr. Test, Jonathan Smith, Sarah West.

Langdale, Sarah, July 22, 1842; Aug. Term 1843. Son William T. Langdale, George, James, Wm. T. Langdale and Mary Webb. Test, J. R. Rayner, John Stedeaes.

Miller, Mary, Sept. 27, 1796; May Term 1800. Grand-children Sarah and Hezekiah Green and Cader Lamb, daughter Edy Green, son Solomon Miller and Michael Ward Exrs. Test, Henry Mizell, Winnefred Mizell.

Miller, Solomon, Ap'l 7, 1802; May Term 1802. Sons Benjamin, Elisha, Charles, Nathaniel and Solomon, wife Sarah, daughters Nellie, Nancy and Christian Millar, Lewis Outlaw and Timothy Walton Exrs. Test, John Owen, Judah Boyce, Timo Walton.

Miller, Malachi, March 13, 1814; May Term, 1815. Wife Charlotte, daughter Dicey Miller, son Edward, sons Josiah and Benjamin, John Nicholls and John Webb Exrs. Test, David Goodman, Edw'd Nicholls, B. Nicholls.

Miller, John, Feb. 28, 1815; May Term 1817. Joseph Jordan (son of Joseph), from estate of Wm. West, Wm. West, son of Josiah, Jos. Jordan Exr. Test, Eliza Smithwick, Sarah Harris, Edmond Weston.

Miller, William K., Jan. 19, 1816; May Term 1816. Daughter Sally Ann Miller, wife Rachel, daughter Barsheba, E. Miller, all my children, Thomas W. Miller and James Cherry Exrs. Test, Jos. Eason, Wm. King.

Miller, Jonathan, Dec. 15, 1815; Feb. Term 1817. Wife Mary, daughters Winifred Barnes, Mary Morris and Susanna Smith, son Reuben Miller, daughter-in-law Susannah Miller, daughter Elizabeth Miller, grand-sons Reuben and Jonathan Miller (sons of Lewis), grand-daughters Elizabeth Miller, Mary and Fanny Miller (d. of Lewis), son John and his son Riddick Miller, daughter Cynthia, grand-son John Miller (son of Reuben), Cader Meezles and Zadock Morris Exrs. Test, R. B. Williams, Joshua Ward.

Miller, Ephraim, Sept. 11, 1826; Nov. Term 1826. Grand-daughters Sally Ann and Barsheby Miller, children Eveline Watson, Frederick Miller and Malvine Miller, wife Mary F. Miller, son-in-law Wm. Watson Exr. Test, James C. Jones, W. R. Minor.

Miller, Mary F., July 1849, Nov. Term 1851. Grand-daughter Maria Robert Newby, grand-children Victoria, Edward, Sarah Jane and David Outlaw, Jr., son Frederick C. Miller, daughter Emeline R. Watson (wife of Dr. Wm. Watson), grand-sons Thomas Edward and William Robert Watson, grand-daughter Mary Eliza Miller, Fred. C. Miller Exr. Test, John Cooper, R. Robertson.

Miers, Nathan, April 7, 1800; May Term 1800. Wife Elizabeth, daughters Patty Asbell, Mary Jernagan and Winney Jernigan, sons Samuel, Nathan, David and William, sons Miles and Ralph, daughter Elizabeth Hoggard, Wm. Watford and Wm. Morris Exrs. Test, James Barradail, Sarah Barradail.

Miers, Samuel, Jan. 1, 1834; May Term 1834. Sons Nathaniel and John G. Miers, son Wm. Jackson, sons George W. and Samuel D. Miers, wife and all my daughters, Nath'l Miers Exr. Test, G. Wynne, M. White.

Miers, Nathan, July 27, 1839; Nov. Term 1839. Wife Elizabeth, Sally Cobb (daughter of Henry), Mary Hoggard (daughter of Drew and wife Martha), Edward Bowen, Thos. Miers, Elizabeth Lawrence, Thomas Bowen (son of Edward and wife Harriet), Thos. Miers Exr. Test, Jas. Mardre, Wm. F. Francis.

Maer, Samuel, April 10, 1801; Feb. Term 1802. Son Abraham, grand-father Joseph Jordan dec'd, sons William, sisters Margaret and Frances, brother Wm. Maer, sister Mary Spivey, brother William and Aaron Spivey Exrs. Test, Benj. Folks, Belsom Kittrell.

Mizell, John, Dec. 31, 1801; Nov. Term 1803. Sons Henry and Cader, daughters Bersheba, Hannah and Leah Mizell, wife Winefred, sons Lawrence and Joshua, daughter Amelicent Mizell, son Cader and Lewis Miller Exrs. Test, Stephen McDowell, Sam'l Rayner.

Mizell, Aaron, July 11, 1808; May Term 1809. Sons Thomas, Isaac, Joseph, Moses and John, daughters Margaret Phelps, Milly Cowan and Judith Currey, heirs of son William, sons Thomas, Joseph and Moses Exrs. Test, Wm. Copeland, Hardy Oxley, Jas. Loughton.

Mizell, Jeremiah, March 5, 1816; May Term 1816. Wife, Hardy Miller (son of Ruling), Jeremiah Mizell (son of Wm.), William Mizell (son of Aaron), James Henry and Aaron Mizell Exrs. Test, M. Mardre, Monica Morgan.

Mizell, Hannah, June 29, 1820; May Term, 1823. Brothers Cader and Henry Mizell, Lawrence Mizell, Millicent Ward, James Freeman and Joshua Mizell Exrs. Test, Zadock Morris, Ryan Belch.

Mizell, Moses, Mch. 18, 1840; Feb. Term 1845. Wife Mary, daughters Elizabeth White, Judeth Mizell and Lavinia Todd, sons Moses L., Aaron, S. and Jos. A. Mizell, all my children, wife Mary and sons Moses, Aaron and Joseph Exrs. Test, Jno. Hoggard, Jr., Wm. J. Mitchell, Isaac Mizell.

Mizell, Lawrence, Nov. 2, 1846; Feb. Term 1847. Daughters Martha Perry (wife of George), and Christian Perry (wife of Isaac), sons Turner and Timothy, brother Joshua, wife Penelope. Test, West Mizell, Jos. J. Freeman.

Mizell, John, July 5, 1852; Feb. Term 1854. Son Jonathan, daughters Elizabeth Mizell, Sally Hoggard and Penelope Mitchell, sons Thomas and George, son Jonathan Exr. Test. Wm. Boswell, Jas. Evans.

Minton, Thomas, Feb. 8, 1803; Aug. Term 1804. Wife Sarah, sons Cader, Willis and Joshua, daughters Mary, Sally and Polly Minton, wife Exx. Test, Jos. Horne, Luke Parker, Jas. Minton.

Minton, Mary, Feb. Term, 1854. Reuben Thomas Minton and Mary Elender Minton, children of Marcella Minton. Test, Peyton Bazemore, Penelope Baker, Harriet Minton.

Milburn, Alexander, June 24, 1805; Feb. Term 1806. Wife Sally, wife and Geo. Outlaw Exrs. Test, Wm. Hawkins, John Rowan.

Milburn, Sarah, June 11, 1819; Feb. Term 1820. Grand-children, Sarah Ramsey, Frank, George, William, Mary, Harriet and Sally Myers, daughters Winney, Hewett, Betsey Connell and Polly Stewart, son Maximilliam Stewart, Joshua Tayloe Exr. Test, Tristram Capelhart, Robt. C. Watson.

Murray, William, Oct. 30, 1804; Aug. Term 1806. Wife Mary (daughter of Jeremiah and Judeth Everet), daughter Caroline, sons Joseph, William, Thomas, Wilson Murray and Silas Murray, daughter Sarah Murray, wife's daughter Judeth Gandy, wife and John Nichols Exrs.

Morris, William, Sr., Aug. 5, 1806; Nov. Term 1807. Sons Abraham, John and William, daughters Winney Miers, Milly Best and Elizabeth Best, sons Moses, Matthew and Jacob, wife Susanna, Anne Farmer nee Harman, Abraham Harman Exr. Test, Wm. Morris, Teresa Harman.

Morris, Zadock, Aug. 15, 1838; Nov. Term 1838. Wife Zilpha, sons Joseph, William S. and James L. Morris, son-in-law Lawrence Mizell and his daughters Martha and Christian Mizell, daughters Mary Outlaw, Charlotte Mizell, Christian Perry, Sally Mizell and Temperance Morris, grand-daughter Ann Perry, son Joseph, and Joshua Mizell Exrs. Test, Wm. S. Morris, Christian Perry.

Morris, Matthew, June 5, 1849; Aug. Term 1849. Daughter Mary M. Perry, sons Gervis Blount Morris, Alonzo Beach Morris and Alfred Jackson Morris, daughter Penelope Eli Morris, Joseph Morris, grand-son William Morris, grand-children Belinda Layton, Matthew H. Morris, James and William Morris, Martheny Hoggard, sons Gervis and Alfred Exrs. Test, Bryant Mitchell, Jona Evans.

Mardre, James, Jan. 17, 1809; May Term 1809. Wife Elizabeth, child in esse, sons John, William and Michael, daughter Nancy Mardre, son John, brother Joseph Mardre and Benj. Hardy Exrs. Test, Dempsey Boyce, Jesse Stone.

Mardre, Elizabeth, June 15, 1825; Nov. Term 1832. Nephew Thos. S. Weston, also appoint him my Exr. Test, Thos. I. Purdie, Mehelebel B. Purdie.

Mullen, Greenbury, March 22, 1811; Aug. Term 1811. Wife Harriet, daughter Sarah Mullen, son William, Sarah Walston, wife, Turner Watson and Wm. Lee Gray Exrs. Test, Elizabeth Walston, Wm. Lee Gray, Turner Walston.

Mitchell, Cader, June 3, 1811; Nov. Term 1813. Sons Jeremiah, William, Thomas and Right, daughters Millicent, Patsey and Elizabeth Mitchell, sons Jeremiah and William Exrs. Test, Jos. Whitehead, Elisha Mitchell.

Mitchell, Elisha, Mch. 27, 1827; May Term 1827. Wife Charlotte, daughters Sally, Penelope and Polly Mitchell, sons John H.

and Elisha Mitchell, sons Giles, Freeman and Wm. M. Canna Mitchell, brother Zadock Mitchell Exr. Test, Wm. Miers, Nathan Harrell.

Mitchell, Mary, Nov. 24, 1832; May Term, 1833. My husband John Mitchell, my brothers and sisters, Turner, Etherton, Bartrey, Cleopatra, Henderson, John and Caroline Wilson, brothers Henderson and John Wilson Exrs. Test, Thomas Ward, Penny P. Mizell.

Mitchell, Zadock, Feb. 26, 1831; Feb. Term 1834. Daughters Mary Burden (wife of Abram), son James L. Mitchell, wife Polly, son Wm. D. Mitchell, wife and son William D. Mitchell Exrs. Test, Jno. J. Hoggard, Wright Mitchell.

Mitchell, Rachel, Feb. 23, 1844; May Term 1847. Grand-son Gavin W. Mitchell, daughter Rachel Cowand, grand-daughter Lavinia Mitchell, son King Mitchell Exr. Test, Charney Cole, Matthew T. Mizell.

Mitchell, King, Jan. 8, 1849; Nov. Term 1849. Wife Rebecca, son Darius, Daughters Mary, Betsy and Frances, sons Henry Clay and Bryan Mitchell, daughter Lavinia, son Jeremiah, son Darius and daughter Mary Exrs. Test, H. Nicholls, Jona S. Tayloe, Thos. E. Fanning.

Mitchell, William, Sept. 7, 1847; May Term 1854. Wife Renny, daughter Elizabeth Jane Mitchell, nephew Alfred Mitchell, son Henry S. Mitchell, sons William W. and Henry S. Mitchell Exrs. Test, Willie Dunning, Lod Jenkins.

Moring, Christian, May 28, 1814; May Term 1816. Son William, son John E. Wood and Baldy Ashburn Exrs. Test, Wm. Mebane.

Morgan, Thomas, Feb. 18, 1818; May Term 1816. Wife Sarah, child in esse, Jos. Blount Exr. Test, P. Gray, Jno. M. Slade.

Morgan, John, Nov. 7, 1826; Feb. Term 1827. Wife Martha, sons Seth, John and Peter, daughter Patsey Morgan, Polly Cobb (wife of Charles), Penelope Cullipher. Test, J. D. Castellaw, Harry Phelps.

Moore, Moses, Nov. 1, 1817; Feb. Term 1818. Wife Sarah, daughters Penelope Granberry, Tabitha Moore, Nelly Culpepper, Polly Rutland and Elizabeth Lewis, grand-son Samuel Granberry (son of Langley), grand-daughters Sarah Rhodes and Sarah Granberry (daughter of James), Whitmell Rutland and Turner Horne Exrs. Test, Benj. Coffield, John Jones, Polly Baker.

Moore, Sarah, June 11, 1816; Aug Term 1817. Sons William, Thomas, James, Samuel and Jeremiah Moore, daughters Sarah Harrison and Elizabeth Mohun, Jonathan H. Jacocks Exrs. Test, Thos. L. West.

Moore, Moses, Nov. 1, 1817; Feb. Term 1818. Wife Sarah,



daughters Penelope Granberry, Tabitha Moore, Nelly Culpepper, Polly Rutland and Elizabeth Lewis, son Samuel Granberry (son of Langley and wife Sarah), daughter Sarah Rhodes, grand-daughter Sarah Granberry, (daughter of James), Whitmell Rutland and Turner Horne Exrs. Test, Benj. Coffield, John Jones, Polly Baker.

Moore, Joseph, Dec. 21, 1821; May Term 1822. Priscilla and Eliza Rawls, Aseneth Moore, wife Mary, sons Zacheus, Charles and John, Joseph, David and Solomon, daughter Mary Moore, Abisha Rawls and Thomas Purdy Exrs. Test, Wm. R. H. Bozman, Jere Leggett, Thos. Davis.

Moore, Esther, Sept. 13, 1834; Feb. Term 1837. Niece Julia P. Holder, Josiah Holder Exrs. Test, Richard R. Tayloe, Jethro Holder.

McGlauchon, William, Feb. 28, 1826; May Term 1826. Daughters Sarah Oxley and Elizabeth Davidson and her children James and Martha Davidson, sons James and Jeremiah McGlauchon, Jno. H. Cobb and Wm. Worley Exrs. Test, W. H. Speight, Elizabeth Thomas.

McGlauchon, James, Oct. 6, 1829; Nov. Term 1829. Wife Judith, also make her my Exx. Test, John Thomas, John H. Cobb.

Mhoon, Mary, Aug. 10, 1832; Feb. Term 1839. Sons Jas. G., Jno. B. and Wm. Mhoon, grand-daughter Mary Ann Pugh, grandson Jno. P. Rascoe, son Humphrey Bate, daughter Sally Folk, children of deceased daughter Elizabeth Cratch, sons James G. and Wm. S. Mhoon Exrs. Test, Th. Ruffin, Delly Pritchard.

Mhoon, Wm. S., July 29, 1844; Feb. 3, 1845. Wife Lucinda A., my children, brother James G. Mhoon and Eggleston D. Towns Exrs. Test, Jas. E. Mhoon, J. B. Mhoon, J. J. Mhoon. He died in Franklin county, Alabama.

Mebane, A. W., Oct. 30, 1846; Feb. Term, 1847. Wife Mary E. C. Mebane, my children, brother John H. Mebane and Wm. Moring Exrs. Test, Thos. Cobb, Wm. A. Turner, Jona S. Tayloe.

McDowell, Stephen, Nov. 1, 1815; May Term, 1817. Wife Sarah, grand-sons Perry and Miles Mizell (sons of Timothy), grand-daughter Rachel Mizell, daughters Winifred Layton and Sarah Newbern, daughter Rachel McDowell, grand-daughter Lurany Harrell, Elizabeth McDowell, Hughs Harrell, Stephen and Riden Jones (sons of Lydia Jones), James Freeman and Wm. Perry Exrs. Test, Geo. Mizell, Lawrence Mizell.

McDowell, Elizabeth, Meh. 30, 1849; May Term 1849. Augustus Holly and Daniel V. Etheridge, niece Mary's (wife of Wm. J. Holly), children, niece Mary's (wife of Job Parker) children, children of brother James Holly in Kentucky, niece Mary H. Cherry, great niece Mary E. Askew (daughter of niece Martha Askew, and

husband David O. Askew), great niece Josephine Simons, John Nowell, Isabel Parker (daughter of niece Mary Parker), Joseph Etheridge (son of Daniel), nephew Jesse Garrett's children, brother Henry Ward, Daniel V. Etheridge and Augustus Holly Exrs. Test, Willie D. Hayes, J. H. Etheridge.

Martin, John, Aug. 26, 1816; August Term 1819. Daughters Elizabeth and Celia Martin, sons Samuel and Joseph, my children Nelly, Wood, Nancy Barnes and Winnie Pritchard. Test, Richard Baker, James Cherry.

Nichols, John, April 15, 1799; Nov. Term 1800. Niece Elizabeth Nicholls (daughter of Osborne), brother Osborne Nicholls, brother Benajah Nicholls, sister Fanny Ashburn, cousin John Nicholls, Jehu Nicholls, Frederick Lawrence and John Webb. Test, Grizzell Nicholls, Benj'h Nicholls.

Nicholls, Thomas, Dec. 17, 1811; Feb. Term 1812. Sister Mary Knight, sister Sarah Langdale, brother George Nicholls, niece Barbara Bentley, brother Jehu, sisters Anna and Peggy Nicholls, brother Jehu Nicholls and nephew John Webb Exrs. Test, Fred'k Jennings, B. Nicholls.

Nicholls, Benajah, July 12, 1834; Feb. Term 1835. Wife Margaret, son Thomas O. Nicholls, daughter Sally Frances Webb (wife of Thos. B. Webb), son Harry, daughter Patsey R. Nicholls, son Joseph B. Nicholls, H. Reynolds and Charles W. Jacocks Exrs. Test, Aquila Morris, John Oden, Sarah A. Capehart, Penelope B. Capehart, daughter-in-law Martha Nicholls (wife of son Thomas O.), Penelope B., Sarah A., and Elizabeth Capehart.

Nicholls, Jehu, Dec. 19, 1837; Nov. Term 1838. Sister Anna Nicholls, sister Sarah Langdale, brother George Nicholls (of Plymouth, N. C.), niece Mary Langdale, John N. Webb, John N. Langdale (son of James), George Langdale, sister Sarah, Thomas B., Lorenzo S., James L., William and Lewis Webb, Martha B. Sanderson (daughter of brother George), Ann Maria Nicholls (daughter of brother George), Jehu Nicholls (son of brother George), Mrs. Mary E. Norcom, Charles W. Jacocks, Thomas Lawrence of Tennessee (son of sister Sarah), Barbary Zoelmer (daughter of sister Elizabeth and husband Geo. Peter Zoelmer), Thos. B. Webb, Jehu N. Webb and Charles W. Jacocks Exrs. Test, G. W. McGlauhan, F. C. Miller.

Nicholls, Miss Anna, Dec. 19, 1845; May Term 1849. Nephew Jehu N. Webb and children Jehu and Anna J., family Bible to them, brother George Nicholls and his daughter Ann Maria, \*Sarah Ann Sanderson, daughter of my deceased niece Martha B. Sanderson,

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\* Sarah Ann Sanderson married John Humphrey Small, their son John Humphrey Small is the present Representative of the First Congressional District of North Carolina in the National Congress.

nephew Jehu N. Webb and son Jehu N., and daughter Anna I. Webb, George, James and Wm. Langdale, James R. Rayner and Jehu N. Webb Exrs. Test, Jas. W. Williford, Wm. P. Gurly.

Norfleet, Reuben, April 3, 1799; May Term 1801. Son Marmaduke, wife Mary, son Thomas, children Mary, Rebecca and John Norfleet, son James Norfleet deceased, speaks of the Andrews line in describing land, grand-daughters Lucy, Louisa and Nancy Norfleet, son Marmaduke Exr. Test, James Swinhow Grover, Sr., Moses Bishop, Dempsey Peel.

Norfleet, Thomas F., Jan'y 10, 1838; Feb. Term 1838. Daughter Mary R. Urquhart (wife of Dr. Richard Urquhart), wife Margaret, children Louisa, Stephen, Margaret, Frances and Thomas, Richard A. Urquhart and Whitmell J. Hill Exrs. Test, Wm. Bishop, W. L. Rhodes.

North, Richard, Nov. 13, 1804; Aug. Term 1805. Son Aaron, sister Ann Smithwick's children, in case of no heirs left me at the end of 21 years, the whole estate to be expended in maintaining a Free School. Amos Rayner and Belsom Kittrell Exrs. Test, Joel Hyman, Eldred Curl, Charney Curl.

Newsom, Daniel, Feb. Term, 1811. Sons Wriggen and Benjamin Newsom, daughters Polly King and Lucy Newsom, my sons Exrs. Test, Thos. Brogdon, Hardy Jones.

Newbern, Elizabeth, Sept. 27, 1823; Nov. Term 1823. Sons James, William J., Nicholas A., and Thomas J. Newbern, daughters Elizabeth and Winnafred Newbern. Test, Hardy White, David Hoggard.

Oxley, John, Jan. 8, 1805; Aug. Term 1805. Wife Elizabeth, sons John and Hardy, daughters Martha Henry, Elizabeth Oxley and Sally Redditt, son-in-law, George Ward, and wife Nancy, my daughter, daughter Charlotte Oxley, son Quilley, brother Geo. Oxley, Wm. Copeland, son Hardy and son-in-law George Ward Exrs. Test, Samuel Caswell, Miles McDowell.

Oxley, Hardy, Feb. Term, 1826. Wife Sarah, Aquilla Oxley Exr. Test, J. D. Castellow, Geo. Davidson.

Oxley, Sarah, Jan. 2, 1830; Feb. Term 1830. Son William, children Nancy, Elizabeth, John D., Jonathan H., and Sally Ann Oxley, John H. Cobb and Wm. Steel Exrs. Test, Jas. Mardre, W. J. Castellow.

Oxley, Elizabeth, Mch. 6, 1839; Nov. Term 1840. Brother Aquila Oxley and his children Elizabeth, Mardry, Anjackline and Dice, niece Nancy Ward. Test, John and Henry White.

Outlaw, Edward, Aug. 16, 1798; Feb. Term 1808. Eldest son Aaron, sons Lewis, James and Joshua, daughters Milly Askew, Rachel Cherry, Mary Askew and Anna Taylor, grand-daughter Selah

Askew (daughter of Milly), grand-daughter Mary Outlaw (daughter of Lewis), sons Aaron and Lewis Exrs. Test, Thomas Outlaw, James Outlaw, Walter McFarlane.

Outlaw, James, Nov. 16, 1807; Feb. Term 1808. Brothers Aaron, Lewis and Joshua, John Alexander Outlaw, nephew James Cherry (son of sister Rachel), wife Mary, brothers Joshua and Aaron Outlaw Exrs. Test, Jeremiah, Freeman, Sam'l Sessoms.

Outlaw, Timothy, Aug. 15, 1812; Nov. Term 1814. Friends Joshua Rayner and Matthew Morris, James Outlaw, Timothy Walton Exr. Test, David Outlaw, Judeth Sewel.

Outlaw, Aaron, Mch. 23, 1815; May Term 1815. Daughters Selah Evans and Sally Britton, sons Wilie, Levi and Jeremiah, daughters Christian Downing, Polly Baker, Kincey Green and Millicent Green, Joshua Outlaw and Hardy Freeman Exrs. Test, Sam'l H. Sessoms, Jas. Freeman.

Outlaw, George, Jan. 12, 1825; Nov. Term 1825. Wife Frances, daughter Polly Dossey, sons Geo. B. Outlaw and Joseph B. Outlaw, daughters Margaret, E. Leggett (her grand-mother Carter), Frances E. and Julia E. S. Outlaw, son William T. M. Outlaw, son George B. and Joseph B. Outlaw Exrs. Test, Elijah Raynor, Jona S. Tayloe.

Oliver, Mary, Jan. 24, 1808; Feb. Term 1808. Daughters Winfred and Dicey Oliver. Test, Charlotte Baker, Lary Baker.

Oliver, John, Jan. 24, 1816; Feb. Term 1816. Wife Amelia, son Allen, daughters Patsey, Mary, Edith, Amelia and Elizabeth Oliver, wife and John Robbins Exrs. Test, Sam'l Hobbs, H. Pritchard, Jno. Bond, Jr.

Owens, Alee, Feb. 16, 1814; Nov. Term 1814. Daughter Delia Page, grand-daughters Penny and Patience Page, daughters Patience, Esther, Edith and Kesiah Owens, Simon Pearce, son-in-law Nathan Page and daughter Patience Owens Exrs. Test, Selah Smith, Jas. Jordan.

Overton, Christopher, Nov. 30, 1817; Aug. Term 1819. Wife Rachel, son Christopher, James Freeman and Sam'l H. Sessoms Exrs. Test, Sparkman Stone, James Lewis.

Pender, Solomon, Feb. Term 1800. Cousin Solomon Cory, sister Prudence Cory, brothers John, Elisha and William Pender, sister Mary Hyman, brother Stephen Pender, John Pender and Nottingham Monk Exrs. Test, Bellson Kittrell, Thos. E. Hare.

Pender, John, Jan. 17, 1805; Nov. Term 1805. Brothers William, Elisha and Stephen Pender, Solomon Penny and Polly Corry, brother-in-law Joel Hyman, sister Mary Hyman, brother Elisha and Joseph Jordan Exrs. Test, Nottingham Monk, Strevenhorn Monk.

Pender, Stephen, June 30, 1812; Feb. Term 1813. Wife Mary,

son Riddick and all my children, brother William and Joel Hyman Exrs. Test, James Swain, Sr., Thos. Corbit.

Pender, Elisha, July 23, 1822; Nov. Term 1830. Jos. Griffin and Durham Davis Exrs. Test, Micajah Griffin, Thos. Davis.

Pearce, Jeremiah, Mch. 4, 1801; May Term 1801. Son William, Sinlea Ellerson, sons John and Henry Ellerson, grand-children Whitmell and Mary Pearce, son William and Jno. Douers Exrs. Test, Zed. Stone, John Standley.

Pierce, Mourning, Aug. 6, 1806; Nov. Term 1807. Daughter Charity Bryant, sons Blount and William Pierce, Kenneth Clark Exr. Test, Wm. Peele, J. E. Turner.

Pierce, George W., July 6, 1842; May Term 1844. Wife Betsey, James Umphrey, son of Geo. W. Pierce and Elizabeth Pierce (wife, to said Umphrey Pierce, my son), daughters Susanna, Frances and Matilda Pearce and Sintha Byrum (wife of Thomas), Wm. W. Pierce and son Geo. Washington Pearce Exrs. Test, Edward Leicester, Aquila Harden.

Pierce, W. G. F., Aug. 1, 1849. Sister Edy. G. Compton, sister Elizabeth Pearce, Kader Biggs Exr. Test, H. B. Hardy, H. A. Giliam.

Pugh, Thomas Whitmell, Aug. 29, 1802; Nov. Term 1802. Daughters Winefred and Nancy, wife \*Jennet Pugh, daughter Polly Jordan (wife of Wm. Jordan), daughter Patsy Sanderson, grandson Whitmell Sanderson, son-in-law Richard Sanderson, granddaughter Harriet Jordan, sons-in-law Richard Sanderson and Wm. Jordan and Jonathan Jacocks Exrs. Test, Martha Bryan, Elizabeth Jacocks.

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\* Mrs. Jennet Pugh was, before her marriage, Jennet Bryan (daughter of Edward Bryan and wife Martha *nee* West, daughter of Thos. West and wife Martha Blount). Jennet Bryan married 1st Hardy Hill (son of Michael Hill and wife Elizabeth Collins; Michael Hill was the son of Nathaniel Hill and wife Elizabeth Hardy (daughter of John and Rebecca Hardy), Nathaniel Hill was the son of Isaac Hill; issue Elizabeth Hill, married Jonathan Jacocks III; among their issue daughter Mary Caroline Jacocks married James Van Pelt Reed; (A) Richard Oscar Reed in Texas; (B) Margaret Grizzell Reed married, January 23, 1861, J. R. B. Hathaway, issue (a), Dr. B. W. Hathaway married Annette Preet, issue Margaret E; Arnette Preet and Elizabeth Hammet Hathaway; (b) Lorena Bent Hathaway died December 11, 1897, unmarried. (C) Eliza Skinner Reed married first W. C. Butler, issue Maggie Reed Butler married J. K. Rea, issue (a) Lucille Rea (b) William Rea, (c) Judson Rea; Mrs. Butler married, second, Miles C. Brinkley, issue (1) Irma Hope Brinkley, married Mack Green, issue Eliza Brinkley Green; (2) Mary Brinkley, married A. L. Baumgardner, issue Josie and Evelyn Baumgardner; (3) Carroll Warren Brinkley, unmarried. (D), James Van Pelt Reed, married in Texas. (E), Hill Jacocks Reed married his cousin Bettie Jacocks, no issue. (F), Daniel Whitmell Reed married first, Lucy Harrell; second, ———, they live with a large family of children in Jackson, Miss. (G), Winefred Anna Reed married Joseph A. Latham, issue Rowland Hill Latham, late of the faculty of Bridgewater College, Va., now an Alumnus University of Virginia. The Pugh descendants will begin later.

Pugh, Thomas, Jan'y 1, 1804; Nov. Term 1806. Son William, grand-sons Francis, Joseph and William Pugh, grand-sons John H. Pugh, Esther Pugh (widow of Thomas) and her children, grand-son Whitmell, James and Augustin Pugh, Elizabeth Pugh (daughter of Theophilus, dec'd), Martha Coleman, children of son Francis Pugh, dec'd, children of my son Thos. Pugh dec'd, son William, Sam'l W. Johnston and grand-son John Hill Pugh Exrs. Test, Jno. King, Cullen Cook, Turner Carter.

Pugh, Joseph H., Mch. 12, 1807; May Term 1807. Brothers Augustine and James Pugh, whom I also appoint my executors. Test, Sam'l W. Johnston, John Ruffin.

Pugh, Francis, Oct. 17, 1807; Nov. Term 1807. Wife Ann, Wm. Magruder Pugh, child in esse, son Frances, brother Joseph Pugh, sister Penelope Gale, sister Nancy Harrell, Joseph Pugh and John Mhoon Exrs. Test, Hardy Boyce, Wm. Wilson.

Pugh, William, Apl. 8, 1808; Feb. Term 1809. Wife Elizabeth, son Thomas, grand-son Thomas Pugh, sons Augustin and Whitmell Hill Pugh, daughter Sarah Tunstall, son Henry Pugh, son James Pugh, sons William, Whitmell H. and Augustine Pugh Exrs. Test, Henry Lee, James Powell.

Pugh, Elizabeth, Mch. 9, 1818, May Term 1818. Brother Jonathan Standley, grand-daughter Martha Elizabeth Magruder Pugh, daughter Penelope Irvin, daughter-in-law Elizabeth Magruder Pugh, grand-son Francis Munroe, grand-son Francis Pugh, son Jos. S. Pugh, daughter Nancy Munroe, son Jos. S. Pugh Exr. Test, John Mhoon, Margaret Bond.

Pugh, Joseph S., Dec. 14, 1826; Feb. Term 1827. Sons Joseph W. and Thomas T. Pugh, daughters Sarah E. and Penelope A. Pugh, brother Frank Pugh's estate, John E. Wood and Wm. Blanchard Exrs. Test, John Haywood, Francis R. Pugh.

Pugh, Frances S., Dec. 28, 1843; Feb. Term 1845. Son Augustus Pugh, daughters Laura and Frances, sons Joseph and Whitmell Pugh, Humphrey H. Hardy and Thos. P. Smallwood \$1,000 in trust for the erection of a church for the worship of Almighty God according to the form of the Methodist Episcopal Church, to be within one mile of my present residence, \$500 in trust to purchase a lot and build a parsonage for the Minister, son William Augustus Pugh Exr. Test, Lewis Thompson, David Outlaw.

Parker, Joseph, Mch. 15, 1798; Feb. Term 1803. Elizabeth Parker (widow of son Richard) and her eight children, sons Joseph and Thomas, daughter Elizabeth King and Sarah Parker, sons Reuben and James, daughter Ann Parker, wife Amelia, son Thomas and son-in-law John Hobson King Exrs. Test, John Clark, Jacob Garrett, Allen Williams.

Parker, James, Feb. 1, 1805; Feb. 1805. Mother Amelia Parker, brother Thomas, sisters Sarah and Ann Parker, sister Elizabeth King, brother Rich'd Parker's children. Test, Rich'd Arnold, Allen Williams, Joshua Rhoades.

Parker, Thomas, Sept. 16, 1807; Nov. Term 1807. Wife Sarah, daughter Mary Parker, James Allen and James Penny Exrs. Test, Jos. Moore, Turner Carter.

Parker, Amelia, April 16, 1816; Aug. Term 1816. Son Reuben Parker, daughters Sarah King and Ann Sutton, grand-son Thomas Barnes King. Test, Ann Clark, Ann B. P. Clark.

Parker, Reuben, Jan. 8, 1850; Feb. Term 1850. Sons Thomas and John, grand-children John and Elizabeth Parker, son Wm. G. Parker, daughter Hester Ann Parker, son William Exr. Test, Theophilus Cherry, Littleton Todd.

Parker, Ann, July 6, 1852; August Term 1852. My mother and I do request her to live with my husband and do a mother's part for him. Test, E. P. Hargrave, Eliza B. Clay.

Pritchard, James, Jan. 19, 1807; Nov. Term 1807. Wife Absilla, son Solomon, James and David Pritchard, Elizabeth, Tabitha and Absilla Pritchard, wife and Jonathan Pritchard Exrs. Test, Christopher and Tabitha Pritchard.

Pritchard, Rigdon, Mch. 24, 1810; May Term 1810. Wife Nancy, children Hudson, Jason, Paten and Amelia Pritchard, son Abisha, Jos. Eason Exr. Test, Jas. Ruffin, Jesse Eason.

Pritchard, Delitha, Nov. 28, 1832; Feb. Term 1833. Mother Absilla Bunch, brother James Pritchard, sister Elizabeth Jacob's children, James Pritchard Exr. Test, Levin Spivey, Wm. Hendrixen.

Pritchard, Jonathan, Nov. 8, 1837; Feb. Term 1838. Wife Martha, sons Allen, Jonathan and Reding, daughters Winny Pritchard, Martha Thompson, Dilly Gardner and Mary Pritchard. Test, Shade Moore, James Pritchard.

Pritchard, Reddin, Feb. 7, 1847; May Term 1847. Sister Mary Pritchard, mother Martha Pritchard. Test, John Freeman, Allen Pritchard.

Pritchard, Alsey, Aug. 26, 1852; Nov. Term 1852. Daughter Jane Butler, son Outlaw Pritchard, sons, William and Alsey High Pritchard, two youngest sons Thomas Henry and Geo. W. Pritchard, daughters Harriet, Louisa, Elizabeth, Levena, Milla E. and Sally F. Pritchard, son Thomas H. Pritchard, Allen Pritchard and William D. Mitchell Exrs. Test, Henry S. Mitchell, Wm. Spivey.

Peterson, Martha (Northampton Co.), Jan. 30, 1805; Feb. Term 1808. Sons Jacquelin and Robert Peterson, sons Henry and Thos. Peterson, sons Jacquelin and Robt. Exrs. Test, J. Lockhart.

Peterson, Henry K., Oct. 16, 1811; Nov. Term 1811. Wife Elizabeth, son Henry, Chas. Freeman and Robt. Peterson. Test, Solomon Bunch.

Peterson, Robt., Sept. 19, 1846; May Term, 1848. Martha R. Peterson, Maria R. Miller and Mary O. Peterson. Test, L. S. Webb, Thos. O. Nicholls, Wm. G. Worley.

Peterson, John W., June 20, 1850; May Term 1854. Wife, daughter Martha R. Peterson, Mary O. Shields and her children, her husband Robt. H. Shields, Susan Bayly (daughter of William H. Bayley.) Test, H. J. Butt, J. N. Webb.

Pervis, Moses, Jan. 26, 1808, Feb. Term 1812. Son Moses, daughters Elizabeth, Pheriby, Milly, Grace and Penoneet Pervis, grand-sons Jecomiah and Joshua Harrell, Joseph Horne and Moses Bishop Exrs. Test, Jo. Henry and Anne Horne.

Page, Molly, Nov. 19, 1813; May Term 1814. Solomon Page, (son of Sally Page), Wm. Page (son of Joshua), Meredith and Sally Page Exrs. Test, Benj. Jones, Lewis Thompson.

Powers, Henry, Feb. 14, 1815; May Term 1815. Sister Margareta Brogdon, sister Dorothy Harrodd, nephew Powers Skiles, land that came from my father and Thomas and Charles Powers, John Mhoon and Wm. King Exrs. Test, Thos. Hunter, Hardy B. Hunter.

Pruden, Lodowick, Oct. 25, 1815; Nov. Term 1815. Wife Anna, sisters Elizabeth Thomas and Mary Tarte, Rachel Rice (daughter of John), grand-daughter of brother Abraham Pruden, son-in-law David Tayloe, Wm. Hendrixen, all my brothers and sisters, wife, brother David Pruden and Williamson Hendrixen Exrs. Test, Christopher Pritchard.

Pruden, Anney, Aug. 30, 1830; Feb. Term 1831. Sally W. Outlaw, Emilia Cherry, Rachel Cherry, nephew Wm. H. Tayloe, Thos. Cherry's heirs, David Outlaw, James Cherry Exr. Test, John Holder, John Rice.

Pruden, Martha, Feb. 7, 1839; Aug. Term 1839. Niece Sarah LeFellier and her mother.

Phelps, Micajah, Sept. 20, 1816; Nov. Term 1816. Wife Susannah, sons Micajah and John, daughter Ann Gill, daughters Elizabeth and Muntrandy, son Robert, John Nicholls and Reuben Lawrence Exrs. Test, Edward Gill, Wm. Fleetwood.

Phelps, Henry, Aug. 3, 1817; Nov. Term 1818. Wife Margaret, sons Luke L., Henry and Joseph M. Phelps, daughter Nancy, grandson John Anthony Phelps, grand-daughter Elizabeth Phelps (son and daughter of son James), if child in esse, son James and John Webb Exrs. Test, David Lawrence, James Cobb.

Phelps, James, April 21, 1849; Nov. Term 1849. Wife Nancy, sons Charles D., John, Joseph and William, Trustan Castello, daugh-



ers Sally and Margaret, son John Anthony Phelps, Edward Leicester and Joseph Phelps Exrs. Test, Samuel Barnacastle, John N. Hoggard.

Perry, Josiah, June 3, 1820; Nov. Term 1821. Son William, daughters Sally Stephens and Christian Walton, sons John and Josiah, grand-son Samuel Jenkins, daughter Bersheba Garrett, daughter Mary, grand-daughter Sally Odum, grand-son Jeremiah Perry (son of James, dec'd), grand-children Josiah Balfour, Jos. J. Means, L. P. Sessoms and Jos. Jenkins, daughter Celia Rayner, son Freeman Perry, grand-children (children of Freeman Perry), daughters Nancy Balfour and Frusanna Mercer, daughter Penelope Sessoms and her children, daughter Amilicent Simmons and her children, wife Amelicent and John Simons Exrs. Test, Jas. Ward, Benj. Hill.

Perry, Millicent, Oct. 18, 1822; Nov. Term 1823. Grand-children Emily, Alanson Penina Harrell, Selah and Laura Sessoms (children of Penelope Sessoms), Millicent Simons, grand children Levina Catharine, Elizabeth Millicent and Millicent Louisa Simons (children of daughter Millicent Simons), son Freeman Perry, Jeremiah Perry (son of James), children of Miles Rayner, son-in-law John Simons Exr. Test, Isaac Perry, James Ward.

Perry, Isaac, July 15, 1833; Aug. Term 1834. Wife Charlotte, daughters Rachel, Judy and Hatty Perry and Barsheba Daniel and Edy Smith, sons John, Jeremiah, Wright and Isaac Perry, sons Wright and Isaac Exrs. Test, Miles Hughes, Nathan B. Miller.

Patterson, Moses W., Mch. 4, 1825; May Term 1825. Brother-in-law Starkey Smith, wife Marina, child in esse, Simon Turner Exr. Test, Jas. Walton, Jas. P. Carter.

Peele, William, Oct. 28, 1829; Nov. Term 1829. Wife Sarah, sons Jarred and William, all my children, Humphrey H. Hardy and Jesse Averit Exrs. Test, Balis H. Bond, Jonah Wilson.

Peele, Josiah, Sr., Nov. 6, 1841; May Term 1843. Sons Josiah and James, heirs of Dempsey and William Peele; Mary Elizabeth and Lydia Cox, Josiah Peele and Allen J. Cox Exrs. Test, Rich'd Cox, Geo. W. Cox.

Powell, Mary, Sept. 20, 1829; Nov. Term 1833. Son James Brickell's children, son John Stalling's children, sons Richard and Daniel Powell. Test, G. Wynns.

Peters, Theodore G., June 18, 1827; Nov. Term 1849. Friend Jonathan S. Tayloe, sister Seraphine A. Whittoner, Elisha A. Rhodes Exr. He died in New Orleans, La.

Rhodes, James, Oct. 12, 1799; Nov. Term 1800. Wife Anne, if child in esse, nephew Jonathan Rhodes, father-in-law Edward Outlaw and George Outlaw Exrs. Test, James Rhodes, Jr., Bathsheba Rhodes.

Rhodes, Sarah, May 5, 1803; Aug. Term 1803. Son Theophilus Rhodes, my brother's children Wm. Edwards and sister Polly Oliver, Malachi Oliver and Wm. Edwards Exrs. Test, John Allen, Winnifred Oliver.

Rhodes, Joshua, March 7, 1805. Father Henry Rhodes, Sister Mary Rhodes and children Wm. P. King, Elizabeth Lynch, John Hobson King Exrs. Allen, Williams, Rachel Spivey, Henry King.

Rhodes, Robert, Oct. 30, 1807; Feb. Term 1808. Wife Martha, daughter Euridice Howard, my son's daughters, son Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Ephraim, Elizabeth Gliston, sons Elisha and Henry Rhodes, my children Robert and William Rhodes, son Robert and Solomon Cherry Exrs. Test, Sam'l Sherrock, John Parke.

Rhodes, Milly, Sept. 20, 1809; Aug. Term 1815. Daughters Sarah Rutland, Elizabeth Lightfoot, Nancy Josey and Sarah Rutland, grand-son Theophilus Rhodes, son Thomas Rhodes, Arthur Brown Exr. Test, Langley Granberry, Elizabeth Tyler.

Rhodes, John, June 16, 1825; Nov. Term 1826. Wife Nancy, son William, daughter Milly Swain, Elizabeth and Cornelius Ryan, (children of my deceased daughter Sarah), son Wm. S. Rhodes Exr. Test, T. B. Haughton, Joshua Calloway.

Rhodes, Thomas, Meh. 23, 1827; Nov. Term 1831. Children William, Eliza, Jesse and Thomas Samuel Rhodes, wife Sarah, daughter Martha Lightfoot. Test, Benj. Hempsted, Edmund Pulle.

Rawls, Hosea, Sept. 20, 1800; Nov. Term 1860. Mother Rebecca Rawls, Levi, Josiah and Jonas Rawls, brothers Josiah and Jonas Exrs. Test, Jeremiah Bruce, Dunning Bruce.

Ray, John, Aug. Term, 1801. All to my mother. Test, John Pender, Edward Walker.

Ray, Henry, Dec. 18, 1829; May Term 1830. Daughters Winifred Ward and Sarah Bird, son Thomas, daughters Dicey Ward and Frances Gaskins, son Jacob, wife Judith and Thomas Cowand Exrs. Test, Wm. Mizell, W. Aaron Mizell.

Ray, William, Sept. 29, 1833; Feb. Term 1834. Wife Nancy, daughters Elizabeth Perry, Rachel Henry, Nancy Henry, Penelope Miller, Angy Layton and Mary Gaskins. Test, Nathan B. Miller, Roderick Perry, Wm. J. Hardy.

Ryan, David, Nov. 2, 1800; May Term 1802. Wife Mary Blount Ryan, son John B. Ryan, wife Exx. Test, Jonathan Jacocks, Thos. Worley.

Ryan, Elizabeth, Sr., Apl. 28, 1802; Aug. Term 1805. Sons Cornelius, James and Geo. Lockhart Ryan, daughters Winnefred and Elizabeth Ryan, grand-son George Ryan, son George and daughters Winnefred and Elizabeth Exrs. Test, Cornelius Ryan, Geo. L. Ryan.

Rascoe, Tamar, June 8, 1802; Aug. Term 1802. Children James and Elizabeth Rascoe, Thos. Hosea Exr. Test, John Rascoe, Penelope Rascoe.

Rascoe, Thomas, June 23, 1807; Aug. Term 1807. Son John, sister Clarissa Rascoe, daughters Mary Rascoe, sons William and Jacob, sisters Nancy Rascoe, Crissy Rascoe, John and Peter Rascoe and Wm. Davis Exrs. Test, Thos. Ryan, Edm'd Dunston.

Rascoe, Peter, Sept. 2, 1842; Feb'y Term 1844. Son Wm. H. Rascoe and his children, grand-son Jno. P. Rascoe, daughter Martha Roulhac (wife of John G. Roulhac), daughter Sawyer P. Bond (wife of Thomas Bond) grand-daughter Mary Ann Pugh and Wm. Gray (son of grand-daughter William Martha Gray) and children of deceased son William H. Rascoe, son-in-law Thomas Bond, Jos. J. Rascoe and Charles W. Jacocks Exrs. Test, Chas E. Johnson, S. G. Hyman.

Reed, Margaret, Oct. 13, 1803; Feb'y Term 1804. Son John D. Reed, daughter Mary and Margaret Reed, sons Christian and William, daughters Elizabeth and Frances, Standley Kittrell Exr. Test, Laneer Smithwick, Alex Leggett.

Reed, George Durant, May 22, 1809; Nov. Term 1809. \*Wife Mary, sons West (his uncle Edward Bryan gave him) William, Lemuel, Daniel W. and James Van Pelt Reed, (three 1st sons by first marriage), John Mullen of Pasquotank Co., Jonathan Jacocks and Daniel Van Pelt Exrs. Test, S. Thach, Thos. Leary.

Rutland, John, Jan'y 3, 1804; May Term 1804. Wife Pamelia, sons Norsworthy, Whitmell, Turner, Blake Baker, Reddin, Johnston and Thomas Blount Rutland, daughter Elizabeth Grover, wife, Moses Bishop and Wm. Higgs Exrs. Test, Milbury Rutland, Micajah Wilks, L. S. Burkett.

Ramsey, John, Dec. 4, 1803; Feb'y Term 1806. Son Willie, wife Elizabeth, children Rachel Acree, Mary Barham, Allen Ramsey, Betsey Ramsey, Sally Ramsey, Nancy Ramsey, John Ramsey, Lewis Outlaw and Hardy Freeman Exrs. Test, Timothy Walton, Wm. Walton and John Walton.

Ramsey, Sarah, Meh. 19, 1825; May Term 1825. Sister Rachel Perry, brother Allen Ramsey, sister Mary Barham and children Nancy, Priscilla and Sally Barham, James Wilson Exr. Test, J. White, A. Buchull.

Ruffin, William, Feb'y 7, 1808; August Term 1808. Brother Starkey Ruffin (land in Washington Co., Tenn.) Sister Sarah King, brothers Thomas Ruffin, St. Ruffin and John Ruffin, the latter my Exr. Test, David King, James Moore.

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\*George D. Reed married first Winnefred Bryan (daughter of Edward Bryan and wife Martha *nee* West). Second, Mary Van Pelt.

Ruffin, Thomas, Aug. 22, 1832; Nov. Term 1840. Children of Jesse Hodges, children of brother Henry Ruffin and James Ruffin, brother Whitmell B. Ruffin, brother Blount B. Ruffin, brother John Ruffin Exr. Test, Rich'd O. Britton, Jos. G. Mhoon.

Ruffin, John, Nov. 10, 1841; Feb'y Term 1845. Wife, children John, Thomas, Wm., Julia and Sally Ann Ruffin, Jas. L. Bryan, Lewis Thomas and Wm. Bishop Exrs. Test, Jno. S. Tomlinson, Thos. J. P. Smallwood.

Ruffin, John T., Dec. 20, 1851; Feb'y Term 1852. Relative Thos. Ruffin, nephew John R. Smallwood (son of Thomas), J. P. Smallwood. Test, H. H. Hardy, J. J. Pugh, Lewis Thompson.

Redditt, Josiah, Sr., Jan'y 10, 1804; Nov. Term 1811. Son Theophilus, daughter Sarah Fleetwood (wife of Hardy Fleetwood) and her children, daughters Anne Thomas, Sarah Flatt and Cynthia Flatt, sons William and Josiah, grand-daughter Sarah (daughter of son Josiah Redditt), sons Asa and Aquilla, wife Sarah, son David, (wife, sons Aquilla and David and Jonathan Jacocks Exrs.) Test, Hump Hardy, Charles Hardy.

Rayner, Samuel, Aug. 16th, 1817; Nov. Term 1817. Sons Enoch, Miles, Elijah, Noah and Joel Rayner, daughters Selah Lurry, Penny and Phebe Douers, sons Elijah and Noah Exrs. Test, Hezekiah Green, Joshua Rayner.

Rayner, Joel, Mch. 11, 1818; Nov. Term 1818. Uncles William and Joshua Rayner, Aunt Sarah Rayner, Phebe Douers, Joshua Rayner and James Douers Exrs. Test, Hezekiah Green, Noah Green.

Rayner, Miles, May 2, 1818; May Term 1819. Wife, children Cynthia, Mary Ann, Martha, John, and William. Test, Wm. Sparkman, Job Leary.

Rayner, Enoch, Nov. 6, 1816; Feb'y Term 1824. My wife and children. Test, Elijah Rayner, Jno. Webb.

Rayner, William, July 16, 1827; August Term 1827. Sister Sarah Rayner, William Rayner (son of Joshua), Thomas Rayner (son of Amos), Joshua Daughtry (son of Daniel), sister Winny Daughtry, John, Mehita, Amos, William R. Daniel and Joshua Daughtry (children of Daniel dec'd), Wm. McFarlin, brother Amos Rayner, William S. Rayner, Elijah Rayner, James Douers and Celia Capehart, James Ross Oxly (son of Aquilla), Joshua Rayner (son of Joshua), Elizabeth Copeland, Laodicea Rayner (daughter of Joshua), heirs of Walter McFarlin, children of Joshua Rayner dec'd, viz: Mary Oxley, Sarah, William, Joshua and Laodicea Rayner. Test, Jas. Ward, Isaac P. Freeman.

Rayner, Sarah, Feb'y 9, 1828; Feb'y Term 1829. Brother Amos and his sons Henry and Joseph Rayner, Eliza (daughter of brother

Amos Rayner), May Taylor (wife of Isaac), Sarah Davidson, Jos. Leary (son of Celia Capehart), niece Sally Rayner, nephew Joshua Rayner, niece Dicey Rayner, brother Amos Rayner and his son Thomas Exrs. Test, Benj. Hill, Sally Ray, Penelope Holley.

Rayner, Thomas J., Feb'y 17, 1838; May Term 1838. Mother Penelope Rayner, brother James R. Rayner, Eliza Ann Rayner (daughter of brother Samuel), brother James R. Rayner Exr. Test, Miles Bayley, Henry D. Johnston.

Rayner, Henry A., July 8, 1841; Nov. Term 1841. Brother Kenneth Rayner Exr., and heir. Test, Jno. R. Gilliam, Edm'd F. Dunston.

Rayner, James R., Sept. 27, 1852; May Term 1853. Wife, sons James, Thomas and Frank, daughter Mary Rayner, daughters Aura and Alice, my other children. Test, Jno. R. Gilliam, Wm. A. Ferguson.

Raby, Blake, March 2, 1825; Meh Term 1825. Grand-daughter Temperance A. Tyler, son Blake D. Raby, daughter Jennet Tyler, son Blake D. Raby Exr. Test, Turner Home, E. S. Cox, John Cox.

Raby, Blake D., Feb'y 18, 1841; May Term 1841. Wife Celia, daughter Harriet Deborah Raby, son Cader Monroe Raby, daughter Henrietta Celia Raby, wife Exx. Test, Turner Home, Richard Cox.

Riddick, Martha, July 4, 1832; Nov. Term 1832. Youngest children Henry, William and Whitmell, sons Thomas and Robert, daughter Eliza Askew, son Thomas W. Riddick Exr. Test, Lanear Smithwick, Mary Mopkins.

Riddick, Henry E. 1850; Feb'y Term 1851. Thomas W. Riddick, James Gill Exr. Test, Wm. Cook, Mary E. Weston.

Reynolds, Hempsted, (Attorney) formerly of Greenwich, Conn., Jan'y 5, 1837; Feb'y Term 1837. Brother Ard Reynolds, James Allen, Thomas Turner of Plymouth, N. C., Kimberly & Co., of New York, children of brother Nathaniel Reynolds, sister Rebecca, brother Zadock, sister Harriet and her children, orders a Patent Stone Cement Coffin to be buried with my family in Greenwich, Conn., Thomas and Allen A. Turner, Lorenzo S. Webb and Augustus Moore Exrs. Test, Jno. R. Gilliam, John Haywood.

Robbins, Jno., Sep. 26, 1846; Nov. Term 1846. Wife Rachel C. Robbins and son John Exrs., daughter Mary Nixon and her son Thomas, sons Josiah and George. Test, Thos. J. P. Smallwood, Jos. B. King.

Rice, Wm., Dec. 5, 1852; Feb'y Term 1853. Daughters Ann Rebecca and Sarah Francis, all my sons, wife Exx. Test, H. Moore, James Rice.

Ross, James, Dec. 11, 1843; Feb'y Term 1853. Moses L. Mizell,

daughter Nancy Ward, wife Polly, daughter Sally Ross, wife Exx. Test, Jona S. Tayloe, G. Tadlock.

Rutland, Elizabeth, July 30, 1831; Augt. Term 1836. Daughters, Elizabeth Tyler, Nancy Granberry and Elizabeth Helen Lancaster, grand-children Wm. Gaston Lancaster, Jno. Branch Lancaster, Martha Andrews, Sally E. Granberry, Perry C. Tyler and Sam'l W. Granberry Exrs. Test, Turner Horne, Wm. Britton.

Sharrock, William, Nov. 17, 1797; Nov. Term 1799. Son Griffin, Polly and Dolly Griffin, William and Absilla Bishop, brother James and Sister Elizabeth Sharrock, father Thomas Sharrock, Moses Bishop and James Swinhow Grover, Sr., Exrs. Test, Moses Bishop, B. Griffin, Jas. S. Grover, Sr.

Sharrock, Thomas, Apl. 22, 1797; Feb'y Term 1802. Wife Bathsheba, son Samuel, son James, Joseph White and Jas. S. Grover, Sr., Exrs. Test, Allen Vinson, Sally Holland.

Sharrock, David, Nov. 24, 1810; Feb'y Term 1811. Wife Fanny, nephew Griffin Sharrock, Moses Bishop Exr. Test, Lem Murdaugh, Lewis Thompson.

Sharrock, Samuel, Apl. 7, 1819; Aug. Term 1820. Wife and children, Luke Raby and Wm. Hinton Exrs. Test, Jesse Rogers.

Sharrock, Mary, July 16, 1846; Feb. Term 1848. Son Whitmel T. Sharrock, and his children, daughters Elizabeth Sharrock and Martha A. Jenkins, grand-daughters Irena Jenkins, Mary A. Watson and Elizabeth Jenkins. Test, H. H. Hardy, Lod'k Jenkins.

Sharrock, Elizabeth, May 4, 1849; Aug. Term 1849. Brother Whitmell T. Sharrock and his daughters, Sarah W., Mary E. and Frances Sharrock, nieces Elizabeth Frances Jenkins and Irene Bond (wife of Wm. T. Bond), niece Mary Ann Watson (wife of John), and her children, George T. Bond (son of Wm. T. Bond), sister Martha Ann Williford, brother Whitmell T. Sharrock Exr. Test, H. H. Hardy, Wm. H. Lee.

Standley, Martha, Oct. 14, 1800; Nov. Term 1800. "She died at the house of James Barridal Woods where she had lived four or five years;" Martha Barradal Woods. Test, Elizabeth Mires, Elizabeth Lucas.

Swain, Preson, Apl. 6, 1802; Aug. Term 1802. Mother Annaritta Swain, sisters Ann and Hannah Swain, sister Sarah Ward, Thomas and Absalom Speller Exrs. Test, Absalom Tadlock, Elisha Monk.

Swain, William, Mch. 19, 1810; May Term 1810. Wife Elizabeth, Aunt Milly Belote, daughter Peggy, children Milly, Hanny, Sucky and Elizabeth, Richard Poindexter and brother Whitmell Swain Exrs. Test, Benj. Folks, John Miller.

Swain, Richard, March 25, 1812; May Term 1812. Wife Ledv Welch, sons Jacky and William, son James, daughter Elizabeth,

Joel Hyman and Rich'd Poindexter Exrs. Test, Henry Blackstone, Jas. Swain, Thos. Corbit.

Swain, James, Jan'y 31, 1817; Feb'y Term 1817. Wife Sally, son Joel, Gervas Tadlock Exrs. Test, Jas. Ross.

Swain, James, Jan'y 26, 1815; Feb'y Term 1817. Youngest son Thomas Whitmell Swain, daughter Susanna Smithwick and her children, son James, wife Winnafred Daffin, Starkey Skiles Exr. Test, Wm. Leggett, Winnafred Daughfin.

Swain, John, Nov. 9, 1842; Nov. Term 1845. Wife, daughter Mary, son William. Test, Wm. Folk, Thos. Hassell.

Sorrell James, July 23, 1802; Aug. Term 1802. Wife Ann, sons Thomas and John, daughters Jenny and Milly Sorrell, Demsey Nowell and Walter McFarlane Exrs. Test, Jane Cochran, Charlton Hart, Abraham Pettyjohn, James Morgan.

Sowell, Charles, May 28, 1802; Nov. Term 1802. Sons John and Charles, daughters Sally Predden and Polly Moore, daughters Patsey, Priscilla and Hetty Sowell, wife Priscilla Exx. Test, Elizabeth McKenzie, Sarah Devan, Jeremiah Devan.

Sowell, Obadiah, Nov. 22, 1802; Feb'y Term 1803. Daughter Mary Daniel, sons Obadiah and Ezekiel, daughters Sarah Cowand, Nancy and Winnefred Sowell, sons John and Isaac, wife Ann and son Ezekiel Exrs. Test, Abs'm Pritchard, John Slawson.

Smithwick, John, May 14, 1803; May Term 1803. Wife Winefred, children William and Clarry Smithwick. Wife Peter Rascoe, Sam'l Hyman and Wm. Sutton Exrs. Test, Sam'l R. Clarkson, John Williams.

Sawyer, Willis, Mch. 9, 1808; May Term 1808. Wife Sally, children Mary Campbell Sawyer, Betsey Ford Sawyer, Sally Ann Baker Sawyer and if child in esse, wife, Daniel VanPelt and Josiah Holly Exrs. Test, Wm. L. Smith, Demsey Boyer.

Stone, Benjamin, Apl. 4, 1812; May Term 1812. Daughter Rachel. Test, Ezekiel Cowand, Jonathan Cowand.

Stone, Rachel, July 23, 1840; Nov. Term 1846. Joseph R. White (son of Isaac), Doctor Brown (son of William dec'd), James D. Wynns Exr. Test, Wm. Hays, I. White.

Scarborough, Enos, Mch. 9, 1814; May Term 1814. Sons Harrison Smith, Edward Reeves and John Neal Scarborough, wife Elizabeth, child in esse, wife and Elisha Williams Exrs. Test, Noah Phelps, Rachel Phelps, B. Nicholls.

Smith, Henry D., Mch. 8, 1816; May Term 1816. Wife Sally, children James, Stephen, William, Samuel, Sally, Delila and Harriet, Benj. Hardy Exr. Test, Wm. Smith.

Smith, Silas, March 7, 1825; Nov. Term 1829. Thomas and Starkey (sons of Ebenezer), daughter Polly Hodges and her son

Whitmell Hodges, grand-children Joseph, Jarred, Isaac, Jennet and Ferry King (children of daughter Sally King), daughter Treacy Smith, son Abram and his son Wm. Britton Smith, Eliza Smith (daughter of Treacy Smith), son Abraham and James Cherry Exrs. Test, Justin Askew, Edw'd Swain.

Smith, Abram, Oct. 23, 1843; Nov. Term 1843. Wife Martha, son Wm. B. Smith Exr. Test, Lewis Thompson, Wm. A. Turner, Wm. A. Pugh.

Steel, William, Mch. 30, 1816; May Term 1816. Sons Benjamin, Ephraim and William, wife, son Ephraim and Benj. Hardy Exrs. Test, John Cobb, Morning Cobb.

Steel, Sarah, June 30, 1832; Nov. Term 1832. Daughters Emily and Anna, sons Alexander, John and Alfred, daughter Harriet, Alex White Exr. Test, Sarah White, James Smith.

Simmons, John, Oct. 10, 1816; May Term 1818. Wife Nancy, heirs of Malachi Simmons and Zedekiah Stone. Test, Wm. Griffin, Lucretia Crutch.

Skiles, William, Nov. 2, 1819; Feb'y Term 1820. Wife Chloe, sons Starkey, John and Thomas William Skiles, daughters Sarah, Drusilla, grand-daughters Martha Ann and Elizabeth Skiles, daughter Jennet Rascoe (wife of John), grand-children Durham, Thomas, Amelia Anne and Mary Margaret Rascoe, children of John Skiles and Jennet Rascoe, grand-son Starkey Skiles, son Starkey and Amos Rayner Exrs. Test, Silas Ward, John E. Wood.

Skiles, John, Feb'y 27, 1808; May Term 1823. Wife Charity, son Jonathan, daughter Tamer Brogdon and her children, Starkey Skiles and son Jonathan Exrs. Test, John Skiles, Polly Skiles.

Spivey, Rev. Aaron, Jan'y 28, 1820; Nov. Term 1822. Wife Elizabeth, son Aaron Joshua, daughters Sally Frances and Margaret Eliza, grand-son William James Spivey (son of Moses), grand-daughter Sarah Maria Spivey (daughter of son Moses), James Mhoon.

Spivey, Susan, Dec. 5, 1837; Feb'y Term 1838. Daughter Elizabeth Spivey, children Joseph, Whitmell H. and Rachel Spivey, son Whitmell H. Spivey Exr. Test, James and Thomas Cherry.

Spivey, William, June 12, 1836; Aug. Term 1836. Hettie Tayloe, daughter Louisa Hendrixen, Leven Spivey, daughter Elizabeth Pruden, son William, grand-daughter Laura Ward, sons Calvin and Moses Calvin, Moses and Susanna Shark, daughter Susanna Shark, Celia Ann Harrell. Test, Wm. Watford, George O. Askew.

Spivey, Sarah, Oct. 30, 1847; Nov. Term 1848. Grand-daughters Sarah Maria Mizell and Martha Ann Miller, great-grand-daughter Mary Spivey Mizell (daughter of Solomon, Jr.), Solomon Miller Exr. Test, Jos. Cooper, W. R. Watson.

Sparkman, Edward, June 21, 1828; Aug. Term 1833. Wife Win-



nefred, Jesse Glasgow (son of Jesse), my brothers and sisters children, Reuben Lawrence and Thomas Newbern. Test, Thos. Harden, James Phelps, Nath'l Cullipher.

Speller, Thomas, Aug. 18, 1833; Nov. Term 1833. Wife Elizabeth, son Thomas H., daughter Sarah Eliza Thompson, son Thomas Exr. Test, George B. Outlaw, Joseph Thomas.

Speller, Elizabeth, Mch. 23, 1853; May Term 1853. Daughter Sarah E. Thompson (wife of Noah H. Thompson), grand-son Noah H. Thompson, daughter Sarah E. Thompson Exr. Test, Jos. B. Cherry, J. H. and W. H. Bunch.

Sessoms, Samuel H., Jan. 1837; Feb. Term 1837. Son Lewis Outlaw Sessoms, daughters Eliza, Elizabeth, Catharine Jane, Harriet Bell and Ophelia Frances, son Exr. Test, H. B. Sessoms.

Slaughter, Ebenezer, July 9, 1836; Aug. Term 1838. Reuben Lawrence Exr. Sister Margaret Boswell and her children, sister Worley. Test, Jona S. Tayloe, Rich'd P. Freeman.

Sanderlin, John, Oct. 9, 1838; Nov. Term 1838. Wife Amelia, Reuben Lawrence Exr. Test, John Airs.

Snode, Susanna, May 14, 1839; Aug. Term 1841. L. S. Webb Exr. Son John B. Williams and Wife Margaret. Test, Robt. C. Watson, Jas. L. Bryan.

Steely, Edmund, Feb. 15, 1833; Nov. Term 1840. Wife Betsey, daughter Mary Steely, sons Noah P. and James Steely, son Noah Exr. Test, Jona S. Tayloe, Alsey Cowand.

Tyler, Perry, July 28, 1799; Nov. Term 1799. Ruthey Hollowell (daughter of Cader), nephew Perry Tyler (son of Moses), Lewis Thompson and Arthur Hollowell Exrs. Test, Isaac Rhodes, Lewis Thompson, Arthur Hollowell.

Tyler, Richard, Mch. 20, 1831; Nov. Term 1831. Wife Jennet, sons Calvin C. and Moses M. Tyler, daughters Temperance A. R. and Sally R. Tyler, sons Richard A., Perry C., John L. T. and Hiram A. C. Tyler, daughter Helen C. Tyler. Test, Wm. I. Cox, Richard Cox, George Cox.

Turner, Rhoda, May 18, 1799; Feb. Term 1800. Sister Winifred Walston, son John Turner, Greenberry Mullen, children of sister Winifred, Aggy, Elizabeth, Jervis and John Tadlock (children of sister Sarah Tadlock decd.) brother James Turner, sister Martha Kerrisey, sister Mary (wife of Abraham Mullen) and children Kesiah, Mary and Thomas Turner (children of her 1st husband Wm. Turner), sister Winifred and Abraham Mullen Exr. Test, David Turner, Wm. Brogdon, John Skyles.

Turner, Simon, Dec. 2, 1794; Feb. Term 1800. Wife Anne, sons William, Simon and Thomas, daughters Hannah Stone and Mary Turner, son James, daughter Rhoda McGlauchon, wife and son-in-law David Stone Exr. Test, Jeremiah Pearce, Benj. Folks.

Turner, Thomas, Feb. 23, 1810; May Term 1810. Wife Catharine, mother Anne Turner, if child in esse, Simon and Betsey Turner (children of deceased brother William Turner), Brothers Simon Turner and David Stone Exrs. Test, Jona Spivey, Jos. S. Pugh.

Turner, Anne, Sept. 27, 1822; Nov. Term 1822. Grand-son Simon Turner, son-in-law Wm. Lee Gray, son Simon Turner Exrs. Test, John Ruffin, Jos. B. Granberry.

Tayloe, Abraham, Nov. 7, 1801; Feb. Term 1802. Wife Ann, son Richard, grand-son David Tayloe (son of Kinchen Tayloe deceased), sons Benjamin and George, grand-son Benjamin Tayloe, daughters Winnefred Sparkman and Isabella Witherington, daughter Penelope Fleetwood and her daughter Kiddy Fleetwood, wife, sons Richard and Benjamin and brother David Tayloe Exrs. Test, Morgan Outlaw, Wright Outlaw, Lavina Wynns.

Tayloe, Benjamin, Jan. 13, 1810. Feb. Term 1810. Wife Nancy, my mother Ann Tayloe, nephew John Tayloe (son of Richard), nephew David Tayloe (son of Kinchen), brother George Tayloe. Test, Aaron Askew.

Tayloe, James, Dec. 26, 1822; Feb. Term 1833. Sons Mills, Leander, John, Richard and Jonathan Moore Tayloe, wife Sarah, son Robert Riddick Tayloe, daughters Treasy Harmon, Elizabeth Dunning, Christian Harmon, Margaret, Tempty and Harriet Tayloe, grand-daughters Margaret Bond and Christian Holder, Abram Harmon, Leander Tayloe, John Rice and John Holder Exrs. Test, Jas. Holder, Kinchen T. Pruden, David Rice, Richard R. Tayloe.

Tayloe, Margaret, Feb. 8, 1845; Feb. Term, 1845. Brothers Leander, Richard R., Robt. R. Tayloe, sister Temperance Thomas (wife of Isaiah) brother Jonathan Tayloe, deceased sister Harriet Pruden's children, deceased brother John Tayloe's children, brother Robt. R. Tayloe Exr. Test, Jno. R. Gilliam, Sol. Cherry.

Tunstall, Elizabeth, June 7, 1803; Nov. Term 1803. Sons Peyton R., William and George Tunstall, daughters Elizabeth Pugh, and Lucy Williams, sons James and Richard, grand-daughter Ruth V. Tunstall (daughter of son Edmund of Va.), sons Peyton, James and Richard Exrs. Test, Alex. White, Elizabeth Barnes.

Thompson, William T., Jan. 13, 1813; Feb. Term 1813. Wife Africa B. Thompson, son Noah, child in esse, Hezekiah and Thomas Thompson Exrs. Test, Titus Moore, Wm. Powell, John Wilkes.

Thompson, Lewis, Mch. 22, 1814; May Term 1814. Wife Elizabeth, daughters Margaret and Mary Thompson, son Noah, Noah and William Hinton, brothers Hezekiah and Thomas Thompson, (Hezekiah Thompson, Thomas Thompson, Kenneth Clark, Noah B. and William Hinton Exrs.) Test, Benj. Jones, Wm. Higgs, Jesse Cotton, Jesse Hodges.

Thompson, Hezekiah, April 21, 1820; May Term 1820. Son

Thomas B., wife Sarah, daughter Mary Williams, wife Thomas Thompson and Samuel Williams Exrs. Test, Jas. Walton, Robt. M. Sullivan, Noah B. Hinton.

Thompson, James, Dec. 6, 1823; May Term 1824. Wife Sarah, children Milly Watridge, Sarah Haste, James and John Thompson, wife, Exx. Test, Jas. Freeman, Seth Morgan.

Thompson, Noah, April 27, 1826; May Term 1827. Stephen Bazemore and James Jordan Exrs. Test, Richard Thompson.

Thompson, Thomas, May 1, 1826; Aug. Term 1827. Sons Hezekiah, Lewis, (sons of wife Mary), son Thomas Whitmell Thompson, children of William Thompson dec'd (William Pugh to be their Guardian), sons Hezekiah and Lewis Exrs. Test, Wm. Pugh, Jno. T. Johnston.

Thompson, Sarah, Mch. 15, 1826; Feb. Term 1828. Sons James and John, daughters Millicent Wartridge and Sally Haste, David Vallentine and son James Exrs. Test, James Freeman, Thos. Ward.

Thompson, Willis, June 7, 1834; Nov. Term 1834. Noah B. Hinton, Joshua M. Page Exr. Test, Simon D. Rhea, Luke Parker.

Thompson, Thomas, Dec. 22, 1853; Feb. Term 1854. Wife Rachel, son John H. Thompson, daughters Mary A. Garrett, Emma E., Christian E., Cleopatra and Cynthia C. Thompson, John Wilson Exr. Test, Jos. W. Beasley, Thos. Beasley, Jr.

Tilman, William, Oct. 5, 1808; Nov. Term 1808. Wife Polly, if child in esse, Moses Moore, Thos. Rhodes, Langley Granberry and Arthur Brown Exrs. Test, James Granberry, Penelope Granberry, Abednego Rutland.

Tadlock, Absalom, Mch. 13, 1815; Feb. Term 1816. Wife, son Gervis, daughter's children Sally, William, Frances, Elizabeth and Aggy. Test, Rich'd Poindexter.

Thomas, Elisha, Feb. 16, 1826; May Term, 1826. Wife Elizabeth, sons John and George, daughters Patsey, Mary, Rebecca and Harriet Thomas, son John and Cullen Capehart Exrs. Test, Wm. Worley, Perry Cowand.

Thomas, George, Nov. 2, 1830; Feb. Term 1834. Wife Elizabeth Thomas, also appoint her my Exx. Test, Isaac J. Kittrell.

Tarte, Nathan, Sept. 19, 1822; Aug. Term 1826. Wife Mary and her daughter Levinia Early, Richard Williford Exr. Test, Henry and Mary Mitchell.

Tarte, Mary, Sept. 2, 1837; Nov. Term 1850. Grand-daughter Christian Flood, Penina and Penny Flood, Shadrack Moore Exr. Test, Freeman and Giles Mitchell.

Tynes, West, Jan. 11, 1841; Feb. Term 1841. Wife Pamela, daughters Counte de Grass Tynes, Temperance T. Tynes, son John J. C. Tynes, Perry C. Tyler Exr. Test, Wm. I. Cox, Geo. I. Cox.

Urquhart, Alexander, April 21, 1804; Nov. Term 1804. Son James, daughters Nancy, Elizabeth and Mary Urquhart, James Urquhart and Eliz. White Exrs. Test, S. R. Clarkson, Baldy Ashburn.

Veale, Thomas, Mch. 13, 1824; May Term 1824. Wife Rachel, daughter-in-law Sally Ann and Winnafred Harrell, wife Exx. Test, John Ruffin, Sally Grimes.

Weston, Ephraim, Aug. 12, 1799; Nov. Term 1801. Son Ephraim, wife Elizabeth, daughter Sarah Weston, grand-son Thomas Weston, son John, son Ephraim and John Moore Exrs. Test, Sarah Weston, Catharine Weston.

Weston, Solomon, Sr., April 13, 1813; Feb. Term 1814. Wife Sarah, my four sons, wife Ex. Test, A. Rayner.

Weston, Ephraim, Aug. 7, 1818; Nov. Term 1818. Children Betsey Boswell, C. Weston, B. Weston, E. Weston, Benj. Weston, Will Weston, Barthena and Richard Weston, Henry Niel Exrs. Test, Wm. R. Bozman, Barnes Weston.

Weston, Sarah, Oct. 3, 1820; Nov. Term 1820. Nephew John Weston, nieces Harriet and Polly Weston, sisters Mary Bozman and Elizabeth Mardre. Test, W. R. H. Bozman, Thos. S. Weston, Barney G. Weston.

Willie, Matthias (of Halifax Co., N. C.), Sept. 2, 1801; Feb. Term 1802. Wife Polly, child in esse, sisters Elizabeth Griffin and Rachel Parker, my wife's sisters Sally and Harriet Walston, wife and Henry Joyner Exrs. Test, Semasten Vaughan, Polly Paw, Sally Rhodes.

Williams, James, Dec. 29, 1802; May Term 1803. Wife Susanna, if child in esse, niece Sarah Williams, my brother's daughters Sarah and Eliza Williams, brother William Williams and his daughter Sarah Williams, Elizabeth Wells, wife, Cornelius Ryan and John Nicholls Exrs. Test, Geo. Nicholls, Henry Flectwood, Jno. Beasley.

Williams, Benjamin, May 13, 1815; May Term 1817. John Watson, in trust for Elizabeth Blount (wife of John), nephew Thomas Curtis, of County Somerset, Maryland, John Watson Exr. Test, Ephraim Weston, Richard Boswell.

Williams, Francis, Mch. 18, 1816; May Term 1816. Wife Sarah, son Benjamin B. Williams, my father-in-law Benj. Brown, son John, daughter Sarah Williams, son William, wife and son Benjamin Exrs. Test, E. A. Rhodes, Jesse Averit.

Williams, Etherel, died Feb. 20, 1818; August Term 1818. Wife Priscilla, son Asia, daughter Sarah Williams, son Lemuel, daughters Dice and Rachel, sons Etheldred and Noah Williams, Benjamin B. Williams Exr. Test, Jeremiah Outlaw, Isaac Green.

Williams, Nancy, Nov. 30, 1816; May Term 1818. Son Etheldred Williams. Test, Sam'l H. Sessoms, Sarah Williams.

Williams, Benj. B., March 15, 1823; Feb. Term 1824. Children Sally, Maria and Augustus Williams, brother Wm. Williams, my mother, Mary Ann Newbern, Jas. Ward, Sr., Exr. Test, Hy. Mizell, Geo. Outlaw.

Williams, Mary, Jan. 25, 1852; Aug. Term 1852. Sister-in-law Mary Lester, brother Wm. L. Williams Exr. Test, Jno. Williams, A. H. Thompson.

Wolfenden, John, Nov. 5, 1802; May Term 1803. Lands in Tennessee secured from will of Capt. Chas. Stewart and brother George Wolfenden's estate, niece Elenor Peterson, nephew Henry Peterson, youngest of ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?

Ward, Michael, Feb. 16, 1800; August Term 1803. Wife Sarah, children William, Joshua, Reddick and Winnefred Ward, wife and Wm. Rayner Exrs. Test, Zadock Morris, Walter McFarlane.

Ward, Wm. S., March 6, 1807; Feb. Term 1810. Mother Amelia Belote, also my Exx. Test, Wm. C. Swain, Wm. Maer.

Ward, William, July 24, 1842; Nov. Term 1842. Wife, youngest son William, sons Wellington and Shellington Ward, daughters Christian, Prusey, Sarah and Mary Antone. Test, J. H. Etheridge, Zach Ellison.

Ward, Elisha, Dec. 20, 1842; Feb. Term 1843. Sister Molly Volentine and her children, David A. Volentine Exr. Test, James L. Morris, Zach Ellyson.

Ward, James, Feb. 21, 1843; May Term 1843. Wife Elizabeth, daughter Ann James Ward, grand-children Margaret, W. Weddle and Laura Ward and children of daughter Christian Norfleet, son-in-law Howell Jones, grand-children Margaret and Sally Norfleet, (their father Isaac Norfleet), Abner Harrell and Isaac P. Freeman Exrs. Test, Thos. Brown, Willie D. Hays, West Mizell.

White, Meedy, Aug. 31, 1799; Nov. Term 1804. Sons Cader, George and William, daughters Judeth Ray, Winnefred Hale, sons Ezekiel and Reuben, daughters Kerrenhappuck Sholar, Annis Mizell, sons Ezekiel and Reuben Exrs. Test, John White, Abs'm Pritchard, King and Stephen White.

White, Sarah, Sept. 14, 1809; Nov. Term 1809. Josiah Hopkins, Sarah Gardiner (wife of Isaac), Josiah Hopkins Exr. Test, John D. Reed, Frederick Barber, Wesley Moore.

White, William, Feb. Term, 1816. Wife Edy, sons Whitby, King, David, Jacob, Riddick and Whitmell White, daughters Polly Mires, Laodicea and Nicey White, son David Exr. Test, John Mizell, George Bryan.

White, Martha, Oct. 11, 1832; Feb. Term, 1833. Eldest son George White, sons Charlton and Thomas, daughters Polly, Elizabeth, Nelly and Patsey White, son Thomas Exr. Test, Miles Hughs, M. Morris.

White, Luke, Sept. 13, 1823; Feb. Term 1837. Sons James, Isaac, Meedy and Josiah, daughters Elizabeth, Margaret and Seneth White, son Amos' children Luke, Josiah, Amos, Elizabeth and Nancy White, son Josiah Exr. Test, Turner Wilson, Thos. Ward, Jas. Wilson.

White, John, Mch. 8, 1834; Aug. Term 1845. Wife Esther, son Reuben, grand-sons Cader White, Dempsey Cowand, George Cowand, Thomas Cowand and Alsea Cowand, grand-daughters Esther and Elizabeth Cowand, son-in-law Lewis Cowand, son Reuben White Exr. Test, M. White, D. White.

White, Elizabeth, Jan. 27, 1847; Feb. Term 1847. Relative George W. McGlauchon,, deceased brother Ameticus Gaskins, daughters of brother Lorenzo D. Gaskins, children of brother John Gaskins, Jonathan S. Tayloe Exr. Test, Harry Nicholls, Jas. L. McGlauchon.

White, Meedy, May 23, 1850; Aug. Term, 1850. Niece Sarah Allen, son Solomon H. White, brother Henry White, sisters Charlotte Hughes, Nancy Williams, Betsey Allen and Patsey Ward, Wm. Ward and James Henry Ward Exrs. Test, Henry Brogden, Jona S. Tayloe.

White, Eliza A., Feb. Term, 1854. Aunt Winefred White, Sarah V. Henry, H. A. Elizabeth Leary, Rebecca and Martha Gaskins, Mary E. Gaskins, Mrs. Hamitte Leary. Test, T. H. Winfield, Joseph Leary.

Williford, Richard, Mch. 10, 1801; Feb. Term, 1808. Son Abner, children of daughter Mary Boyce, deceased, viz: Temperance, Seneca, Cader, Williford, Gustin and Abner Jenkins, and Winafred and Watson Bryce, son John Exr. Test, James Barradel, Moses Morris, John Mitchell.

Williford, Abner, June 26, 1812; Nov. Term 1812. Wife Patsey, sons John, Richard and James, daughters Mary Baker, Elizabeth Hayes, Winifred, Millicent and Christian Williford, son William and brother John Williford Exrs. Test, John Askew, Jesse Garrett.

Williford, James, Feb. 5, 1823; Nov. Term 1825. Wife Judah, children Harvey, John, Peyton, Jarsey, Nazareth, James and Jarvis Williford, daughter Celia Britt, George Outlaw, Sr. Exr. Test, Jos. B. Outlaw, Frances Outlaw.

Williford, John, May 22, 1833; August Term 1833. Son William B., daughters Sarah (wife of Asa Early), Mary (wife of Wm. Wynns), Nancy (wife of George Williams), Adaline and Elizabeth (wife of Benj. Porter), son Jethro B., sons Richard and Williford, son John, wife Polly, daughter Ophelia Williford. Test, Zadock Wright and Wm. D. Mitchell.

West, William, Mch. 16, 1810; May Term 1810. Friend David

Kelly, Rev. James Ross to preach my funeral sermon. I wish to be buried at Mr. John Mhoon's, John Mhoon Exr. Test, James Ross.

West, Thomas, Nov. 18, 1810; Feb. Term 1811. Wife Sarah, daughters Elizabeth and Eliza, Joseph Jordan and Peter Rascoe Exrs. Test, James Warren, John Watson.

West, Penelope, Nov. 4, 1814; Feb. Term 1815. Daughter Penelope Farrow, grand-sons William and James Farrow, brother Job Redditt, Jonathan Cooper and David Riddick Exrs. Test, Baldy Ashburn, Wm. Sutton.

West, Susanna (at present of Wake Co., N. C.), Mch. 2, 1822; Feb. Term 1828. Grand-daughters Susan Lockhart West (oldest daughter of son Thomas Lockhart West by his wife Carolina Matilda) and Winafred Marshall West, son Thos. L. West, Robert C. Watson Exr. Test, M. D. J. Slade, W. R. Gales.

West, William L., March 18, 1828; Feb. Term 1829. Mother-in-law Amelia Swain and her children, William C., Mary and Whitmell Swain, James L. Bryan Exrs. Test, R. T. Hoskins, Wm. Davis.

Watson, Edward C., May Court, 1810. My legal representatives equally, brother John Watson Exr. Test, William Dwyer.

Watson, John, June 12, 1835; Nov. Term 1838. Wife Mary, sons Thos. C. Watson and Edward C. Watson, grand-sons Thomas E. and Wm. R. Watson (sons of William Watson), my interest in lands formerly belonging to Luke Collins, Mrs. Margaret Devan also has a life interest in them, daughters Sally Carter, Mary Cooper, Nancy and Prudence Watson, son William's children, viz: Thomas Edward, William Robert and Eveline, Jona S. Tayloe and sons Edward and Thomas Exrs. Test, Sol. Cherry, W. H. Pender.

Watson, Robt. C., June 11, 1837; May Term 1841. Wife Winafred, mv children, Thos. J. Pugh Exr. Test, S. B. Smith, Moore Rawls.

Watson, Mary (widow of John), June 7, 1841; Feb. Term, 1844. daughter Nancy Watson, son Thomas C. Watson, son William Watson's children, son Thomas C. Watson Exr. Test, Jona S. Tayloe, Helen Hubbard.

Wimberly, Benjamin, Feb'y 7, 1809; Aug. Term 1811. Wife Sarah, son Lewis, wife's two children Benjamin and Lucy Davis, grand-daughter Penelope Vinson, and Nancy Coffield, wife and John Ruffin Exrs. Test, Thos. Cone, Chas. Jordan, James Knox.

Wimberly, Elizabeth, Dec. 1, 1844; May Term 1845. Sister Mary Sharrock, John H. Grimes Exr. Test, Jos. B. Lee, H. F. Williams.

Wynns, Daniel, Sept. 25, 1813; Nov. Term 1813. Wife, son George, Mary Jenkins, daughters Elizabeth Barnes and Sarah Robeson, son Watkins William Wynns, daughter Peggy Wynns, son

Wright O. Wynns, daughters Nancy Caroline and Lavinia Emeline Wynns, son Daniel Van Pelt Wynns, son George Exr. Test, Geo. Askew, Jerry Outlaw.

Wynns, Lavinia, Oct. 2, 1820; Feb'y Term 1821. Daughter Peggy Northcutt, son Wright O. Wynns, daughters Nancy C. and Lavinia Wynns, son William Watkins Wynns, grand-daughter Sally Ann and Betsey Eliza Wynns, George Wynns, Betsey Barnes, Sally Robeson, Nancy C. and Lavinia Wynns and Mary Marsh, Watkins William Wynns and George Wynns Exrs. Test, Stephen Washington, Margaret Stanley.

Wair, Martha, Oct. 27, 1808; Nov. Term 1815. Grand-daughters, Betsey, Patsey and Nancy Floyd (daughters of Judah Floyd), Elizabeth and Ann G. Bryan, son George Wair, Kenneth Clark Exr. Test, John Wilks, Jarrod Young.

Warburton, James W., Nov. 26, 1817; Feb'y Term 1818. Dr. Benj. B. Hunter, Thomas Tayloe and Samuel Hyman Exrs. Test, John McGuire.

Wilson, James, Sept. 22, 1799; Feb'y Term 1819. Wife Sarah, sons James and George, daughters Winney Outlaw, Sarah Hobbs, Nancy Perry, Katharine Holly and Polly Wilson, son Silas, Timothy Walton and James Sorrell Exrs. Test, Amos Davison, Margaret Robeson, Walter McFarlane.

Wilson, James, Oct. 29, 1836; Feb'y Term 1837. Wife Cynthia, sons Turner and Etherton, children viz, Bartra, Cleopatra, Henderson, Caroline and John, son Henderson and Edward Hardy Exrs. Test, W. J. Hardy, Wm. Beasley.

Wilson, Cynthia, Feb'y 2, 1840; May Term 1840. Sons Henderson, Turner, Etherton and John, daughter Caroline, son Etherton Exr. Test, Joseph Smith, Wm. W. Northcutt.

Wiggins, Matthew, Mch. 27, 1820; Nov. Term 1820. Isaac Gardner, land in Tennessee in hands of William White. Test, Thos. J. Purdy, John H. Rhodes.

Walton, John, Aug. 9, 1828; Feb'y Term 1829. Brother James Walton, sister Mary Walton, Thomas (son of brother James Walton) brother James and sister Mary Exrs. Test, Lawrence Mizell, John Mizell.

Walton, James, July 13, 1841; Nov. Term 1841. Niece Margaret Green, son Thomas, my duelling pistols to be kept by Jesse Avarrett until my son William is capable of taking charge of them, wife Emily, child in esse, Humphrey H. Hardy Exr. Test, Jno. H. Grimes, Dr. Thos. J. P. Smallwood.

Wilkes, James, June 21, 1831; Nov. Term 1831. Wife Charlotte, sons Henry, David and Turner, grand-son James R. Wilkes (son of David), son Turner's wife Patience, daughters Elizabeth



Peele and Martha Deans (wife of Peterson), grand-son David Deans, children of my son Reuben (of Georgia), Turner Horne Guardian to son Henry, son Henry and Turner Horne Exrs. Test, E. S. Cox, George Cox.

Wilkes, Micajah, July 8, 1841; Nov. Term 1842. Wife Elmira, grand-son Whitmell Wilkins, daughter Nancy Sessoms, grand-son Wm. Wilkins, son Jesse, daughter Margaret Sea, grand-daughter Julia Acree Steward, Elizabeth Deans, heirs of James Wilkes Hughs and Winnafred Pender, Wm. Hodges Exr. Test, John H. Acree, Jesse Stalls.

Watford, William, Apl. 26, 1845; Nov. Term 1846. Wife Elizabeth, sons David, William Watford (son of Joseph Watford) and his brother Joseph John Watford, grand-son Wm. D. Wynns (son of George and wife Millicent), my grand-children (issue of James Freeman and wife Martha), grand-son Joseph Watford, grand-daughter Priscilla Rice, grand-son William Outlaw (son of David of Tennessee), grand-son William Askew (son of Aaron and wife Frances), Sally Champion, William Watford's wife Elizabeth, son David, Aaron O. Askew and Isaac P. Freeman Exrs. Test, Augustus S. Hawkins, Thos. Mitchell.

Webb, John Lewis, Nov. 21, 1848; Feb. Term 1849. Brother Jehu N. Webb, John Webb (son of my brother L. S. Webb), niece Margaret Webb (daughter of brother L. S. Webb), Jonathan S. Tayloe Exr. Test, Jno. S. Sheppard, Stark B. Smith.

Veale, Richard, May 11, 1820; Aug Term 1820. Wife Anne, son Richard I. Veale, daughter Eliza E. C. Veale. Test, Thos. Ruffin, I. G. Johnston, Henry Smith.

Young, Jarrod, Apl. 1, 1819; Nov. Term 1820. John Ruffin and Wm. Pugh Exrs., wife Jennet Young and her heirs, father John Young.

Young, Daniel, Jan. 15, 1819; Aug. Term 1829. Henry A. Donaldson, also appoint him my Exr. Test, T. Ruffin, E. Slaughter.

Young, John, Sept. 5, 1832; Nov. Term 1836. Wife Martha, grand-daughter Jane Levinia Cotten, daughter Sarah Peele and her heirs, daughter Milly Bond, daughter Celia Harston, daughter Elizabeth Shoulders, Thos. J. Pugh and Jno. S. Smallwood Exrs. Test, Will W. Pugh, Jos. B. Lee.

Young, Martha, July 9, 1845; Feb'y Term 1849. Grand-son Wm. Peele, grand-daughter Jane Biggs, formerly Cotten, daughter Sarah Peele, grand-children Amelia, Jared, Andrew and James Peele, daughter Elizabeth Sholar, daughter Amelia Bond, Humphrey, H. Hardy Exr. Test, W. A. Worley, Abraham Rogers.

Yeates, William, Jan. 19, 1826; Nov. Term 1826. Wife, son Edward Yeates, all my children, sons William and Edward and Wm. S. Rhodes Exr. Test, Jeremiah Tigett.

## DESCENDANTS OF JESSE BRYAN.

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William Bryan of Craven county from his will executed Dec. 12 1746, we find left wife Ann, children (1) William Bryan, (2) Elizabeth Bryan, (3) Lewis Bryan, (4) John Bryan, (5) Anne Bryan, (6) Jesse Bryan.

Jesse Bryan was born Jan'y 3, 1744, died Jan'y 15, 1794, md. Mary Carney. Issue,

(1) Carney John Bryan md. Nov. 1, 1810, Elizabeth Garrett; he died March 27, 1825.

(2) Jesse Bryan md. Dec. 21, 1826, Mrs. Elizabeth Bryan *nee* Garrett; he died March 16, 1832.

3. Anne Bryan born Feb. 12, 1773, died Sept. 2, 1808, md. William Trippe.

4. Elizabeth Bryan born Mar. 22, 1781, died March 20, 1823; md. 1st Capt. Thos. Smith, 2nd Jan'y 27, 1816, John Young Bonner.

5. Sidney Carney Bryan md. March 27, 1800, 1st Charles Delzell Crawford, 2nd Capt. Wm. Vines.

6. Clarissa C. Bryan died Sept. 8, 1819, md. John Goode.

Issue of Carney John Bryan and wife Elizabeth *nee* Garrett.

1. Dr. Jesse Garrett Bryan born Jan. 14, 1814 md. April 27, 1841, Fannie Havens; he died Oct. 10, 1884.

2. Dr. William Trippe Bryan born Feb'y 18, 1817, md. 1st 1848 Margaret I. Tredwell, 2nd 1854 Jane Moore Tredwell, 3rd April 28, 1856, Elizabeth Mutter Tredwell, three sisters, daughters of James I. Tredwell and wife Mary Bonner Blount. Dr. W. T. Bryan died Nov. 19, 1859. Carney John Bryan is buried on Maule's Point in the fork of Nevill's and Jack's Creek.

Issue of Jesse B. Bryan and wife Mrs. Elizabeth Bryan *nee* Garrett (widow of his brother Carney John Bryan).

1. Joseph Bonner Bryan born Jan'y 19, 1828 md. 1st July 7, 1853, Ann Bryan Bonner; 2nd Nov. 26, 1868, Clarissa G. I. Bonner, died Oct. 1, 1898. He was a Lieutenant in Latham's Light Artillery C. S. A.

2. Sidney Carney Ravenscroft Bryan born Feb. 19, 1830, md. Jonathan Havens.

Issue of Capt. Thomas Smith and wife Elizabeth *nee* Bryan.

1. Child died young.

2. Samuel Bryan Smith born Jan. 21, 1808 md. Dec. 29, 1831, Elizabeth Spear, died June 6, 1849.

Issue of John Young Bonner and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith (widow of Capt. Thos. Smith) *nee* Bryan.

1. Charles William Bonner born June 18, 1817 md. Nov. 25, 1840 Caroline P. Redditt; he died July 9, 1899.

2. Joseph Henry Bonner born May 11, 1819, died April 10, 1836.

3. John Bryan Bonner born Dec. 6, 1821 md May 14, 1846 Margaret Trippe; he died Apl. 30, 1871. For continuation of this branch see Bonner Family already published in Vol. II of the Register.

Issue of William Trippe and wife Anne *nee* Bryan.

1. Jane Blanchard Trippe md. George Lane. She died Aug. 23, 1883.

2. Sidney Maria Carney Trippe born Dec. 21, 1799 md. Major Clarke Archbell.

3. Clarissa G. I. Trippe md. July 31, 1823 John Young Bonner, died July 15, 1877.

Issue of Charles Delzell Crawford (son of Capt. Charles Crawford, of Continental Line) and wife Sidney Carney *nee* Bryan.

1. Charles Washington Crawford born Feb. 11, 1801, md. Emily Archbell died Oct. 18, 1872.

2. Sallie Ann Crawford born Jan. 16, 1803, md. May 30, 1822, Joseph Bonner died Jan'y 28, 1869.

3. Caroline B. Crawford born Nov. 28, 1805 md. Thomas J. Pasteur died July 1872.

4. Thomas Respass Crawford born Dec. 23, 1806 md. 1833 Susan B. Fonville, died 1865.

5. Sidney Bryan Crawford, born May 19, 1809, died Young.

6. Sidney Dellzell Crawford born Jan. 28, 1812 md. William L. Kennedy.

Issue of Dr. Jesse Garrett Bryan and wife Fannie *nee* Havens.

1. Carney John Bryan, born Feb. 19, 1842 md. Oct. 26, 1870. Elizabeth Bryan Bonner died Aug. 25, 1883.

2. Mary Bryan born Jan. 15, 1884, died June 12, 1845.

3. Sallie Havens Bryan born Aug. 9, 1852 died May 20, 1853. For continuation of this branch see Bonner Family in Vol. II, Register.

Issue of Dr. William Trippe Bryan and wife Elizabeth Mutter Blount *nee* Tredwell.

1. Helen Blair Tredwell Bryan born Jan. 25, 1857 md. Dec. 17, 1877. Isaac Davenport of Richmond, Va.

2. Wilhelmina Bryan died young.

Issue of Isaac Davenport and wife Helen Blair Tredwell *nee* Bryan. P. O. address 510 W. Franklin St., Richmond, Va.

1. Alice Hathaway Davenport, born Nov. 11, 1878, died July 6, 1879.

2. Edward Courtney Davenport, born May 27, 1880, died July 12, 1882.

Issue of Joseph Bonner Bryan and wife Ann Bryan *nee* Bonner.

1. Wm. Trippe Bryan, born Dec. 9, 1858, md Sallie Crawford.

2. Jessie Bryan, born April 24, 1854, died Nov. 5, 1868.

3. Clarissa Bonner Bryan, born Mar. 3, 1856 md. Dec. 27, 1881 Burney Piver, died Jan'y 6, 1898.

4. Delzell Crawford Bryan, born Feb. 28, 1861, md. 1st Nov. 15, 1883, Eugene W. Guilford, 2nd Wiley Grist.

5. Charles Crawford Bryan, born Oct. 13, 1864 md. Nov. 12, 1890 Mary C. Bonner, died Oct. 6, 1898. For continuation see Bonner Family.

Issue of Joseph Bonner Bryan and wife Clarissa G. I. *nee* Bonner.

1. Sidnie Bonner Bryan, born Nov. 5, 1870 died Sept. 25, 1878.

2. Joseph Garrett Bryan, born Nov. 8, 1881, died July 27, 1883.

Issue of Jonathan Havens and wife Sidney Carney Ravenscroft *nee* Bryan.

1. Edward Havens.

Issue of Samuel Bryan Smith and wife Elizabeth *nee* Spear.

1. Columbus Smith born May 18, 1833, md. Oct. 28, 1856 Sallie Harris died Jan. 13, 1875; he was in the C. S. Army, a lawyer and Missionary Baptist Minister.

Issue of Columbus Smith and wife Sallie *nee* Harris.

1. Julia Smith, born Dec. 6, 1857 md. Sept. 23, 1879 Frank W. Pope. Address, Jacksonville, Fla.

2. Samuel Bryan Smith, born Jan. 15, 1860 md. Sep. 1, 1886, Sallie Hampton; Address, Jessup, Ga.

3. Aborn Harris Smith, born May 13, 1862 md. Nov. 12, 1890 Anna Dismukes; Address, Dalton, Ga.

4. Elizabeth Spear Smith, born Feb'y 28, 1865, md Feb'y 24, 1892, Thos. A. Barnes. Address, Jacksonville, Fla.

5. Columbus B. Smith, born Sept. 13, 1867, md. Dec. 28, 1892, May Carroll. Address Jasper, Fla.

6. Maria Louise Smith, born March 15, 1871 md. May 23, 1892, William Barnes. Address, Jesup, Ga.

7. Mary Ruffin Smith, born Feb. 25, 1873 md. Sept. 29, 1899, Sylvanus Price, died Sept. 14, 1900.

Issue of Frank W. Pope and wife Julia *nee* Smith.

1. Frank W. Pope born Sept. 13, 1880; (2) John H. Pope, born Nov. 2, 1882; (3) Charles F. Pope, born Oct. 12, 1884; (4) Julia Smith Pope, born Jan. 29, 1886; (5) Eva Smith born May

9, 1887, (dec'd); (6) Elizabeth H. Pope born Aug. 9, 1888; (7) Randall Pope born Feb. 9, 1900.

Issue of Aborn Harris Smith and wife Anna *nee* Dismukes.

1. Eva D. Smith born Aug. 21, 1891; (2) Aborn Harris Smith born Oct. 1, 1893; (3) Thomas C. Smith, born July 27, 1896; (4) Sarah Frances Smith born March 14, 1899.

Issue of Thomas A. Barnes and wife Elizabeth Spear *nee* Smith.

1. Evelyn Barnes born May 20, 1897; (2) Elizabeth Barnes born Feb'y 18, 1900; (3) Thomas R. Barnes, (dead).

Issue of Columbus B. Smith and wife Maye *nee* Carroll.

(1) Charles Carroll Smith born Sept. 29, 1893; (2) Elizabeth Spear Smith born Nov. 24, 1894; (3) Mary Frances Smith born Sept. 10, 1897; (4) Robert Partridge Smith, born Nov. 11, 1899.

Issue of William Barnes and wife Maria Louise *nee* Smith.

1. Orville Clifford Barnes born April 2, 1893.

Issue of John Young Bonner and 2nd wife Clarissa G. I. *nee* Trippe.

1. Bryan Trippe Bonner, born Dec. 17, 1824 md. May 17, 1851, Clarissa S. Trippe.

2. Thos. Harvey Blount Bonner, born Dec. 9, 1827, died July 1, 1828.

3. Miriam Young Bonner, born May 6, 1829.

4. Ann Bryan Bonner, born Sep. 24, 1831, md. Joseph Bonner Bryan.

5. Elizabeth Bonner, born April 19, 1837.

6. Henry Bonner born Dec. 2d, 1839 md. 1st May 7, 1868, Sarah A. Guilford; 2nd April 15, 1883, Rebecca Florence Guilford. For continuation of this branch see Bonner family.

Issue of George Lane and wife Jane B. *nee* Trippe.

1. Susan May Lane born June 8, 1836 md. 1st Aug. 10, 1859, Henry M. Patrick 2nd May 18, 1875, Rev. Israel Harding.

2. Ann B. Lane, born Nov. 27, 1838 md. July 1, 1860 William E. Ferebee.

3. Kate O'Connell Lane born Dec. 5, 1844, died Aug. 30, 1880.

Daniel O'Connell the great agitator of Ireland was a great uncle of George Lane.

Issue of Major C. Archbell and wife Sidney Maria Carney *nee* Trippe.

1. William James Archbell, born Feb. 18, 1817, md. Caroline Chapman.

2. Emily Clark Archbell, born April 11, 1822 md. Charles W. Crawford, died March 31, 1866.

3. Sidney Bryan Archbell, born May 6, 1824 md. Jan. 29, 1846. Mary Gaskill died Feb. 21, 1897. Md. 2nd March 8, 1859 Martha

Patrick, md. 3rd, Feb. 26, 1882, Salina Everington, md. 4th Emily Grist.

4. Joseph Pierson Archbell born March 29, 1827, md. Feb. 24, 1849. Eliza M. Godley died Feb. 6, 1899.

5. Charles Carney Archbell born Jan. 22, 1831, md. April 14, 1861, Mary F. Creekmur, died Sep. 14, 1861 in the C. S. Army.

Issue of Charles Washington Crawford and wife Emily Carney *nee* Archbell.

1. Charles W. Crawford born 1831, dead.

2. Thomas Respass Crawford born Aug., 1841, md. Dec. 20, 1866, Mary M. Tuten.

3. Sidney Maria Crawford, born Feb'y 5, 1843, md. Aug. 23, 1866 Thos. Gideon Sparrow.

4. Mary Bryan Crawford born Sept. Sept. 9, 1846 md. Apl. 26, 1864, W. H. Snell.

5. Caroline Pasteur Crawford born Feb'y 12, 1853 md. March 22, 1874, W. A. Harvey.

6. Sallie Crawford born 1855 md. Dec. 13, 1886 Wm. Trippe Bryan.

7. Emily Crawford born Feb. 3, 1848, md. Oct. 23, 1866, Dr. T. P. Bonner.

8. William Crawford born Apl. 1, 1861. For continuation of 6 and 7 see Bonner Family.

Issue of Thomas Respass Crawford and wife Susan B. *nee* Fonville.

1. Charles W. Crawford born 1834 died 1836.

2. Sallie A. Crawford born Sept. 23, 1836, md. Dec. 25, 1858, J. H. Swindell.

3. Sidney Carney Crawford, born Sept. 1, 1838 md. William Nelson, died 1873.

4. Thomas D. Crawford born Oct. 2, 1840 md. Oct. 1866 Edla Leonora Grandy.

5. Caroline B. Crawford, born 1842, md. 1867, Capt. R. R. Crawford, died 1892.

6. John Fonville Crawford born 1845, md. 1867, 1st Bettie Bullock, 2nd 1897 Dora ———.

7. Susan Crawford born 1847, died 1847.

Issue of Thomas J. Pasteur and wife Caroline B. *nee* Crawford.

1. Sidney Pasteur md. Dr. Henry Holmes; (2) Sallie Pasteur md. James C. Davis; (3) John D. Pasteur md. 1st Sallie Hodges, 2nd Annie Robason, (4) Edward Pasteur (dead), (5) Mary Anna Pasteur (dead), (6) Charles Pasteur (dead), (7) Thomas Pasteur (dead), George Pasteur md. Jane Forbes (he is dead).

Issue of Joseph Bonner and wife Sallie A. *nee* Crawford.

1. Charles Cushing Bonner born June 4, 1823, md. Nov. 20, 1850, Carolina Gray, died Oct. 4, 1871.

2. Caroline Crawford Bonner born Oct. 14, 1825, md. Nov. 26, 1846, Dr. John F. Tompkins.

3. Henry D. Bonner born Nov. 9, 1827, died Nov. 1, 1828.

4. Dr. William Vines Bonner born Feb. 15, 1830 md. July 25, 1865, Cora S. Farrow.

5. Thomas Pasteur Bonner born Feb. 26, 1827 md. Oct. 23, 1866, Emily Crawford, died Aug. 25, 1899.

6. Joseph Young Bonner born May 15, 1840 md. Oct. 26, 1866, Nancy Olivia Eborn. For continuation of this branch see Bonner Family.

Issue of Wm. L. Kennedy and wife Sidney Delzell *nee* Crawford.

1. Lizzie Kennedy md. Dred Ruffin, (2) Virginia Kennedy md. B. H. Tyson, (3) William L. Kennedy md. Lula Kennedy.

Issue of Henry M. Patrick and wife Susan May *nee* Lane.

(1) Virginia Brookfield Patrick born June 10, 1860 md. Fred W. Wey. Address, Waynesville, N. C.

(2) George Lane Patrick born Feb. 8, 1862 md. Katharine Lewis. Address, Macon, Ga.

(3) Henry Patrick born June 16, 1864, md. H. C. V. Peebles. Address, Kinston, N. C.

Issue of Wm. E. Ferreebce and wife Ann B. *nee* Lane.

(1) Emily Crawford Ferreebce born Sep. 2, 1861, (2) Wm. Deane Ferreebce born Dec. 14, 1863, died Aug. 27, 1870, (3) Hulda Old Ferreebce, born June 18, 1868, (4) William Ferreebce born May 18, 1871. Address New Bern, N. C.

Issue of William Archbell and wife Caroline *nee* Chapman.

(1) Henry Archbell md. ———Whitehurst. Address, Kinston, N. C., (2) Thomas P. Archbell (dead), (3) C. Chapman Archbell, (dead), (4) George Herbert Archbell (dead), (5) Carlton, Archbell. Address, Bath, N. C., (6) Mary Archbell.

Issue of Sidney Bryan Archbell and wife Mary *nee* Gaskill.

(1) Major T. Archbell born Meh 18, 1850, md. Nov. 14, 1888, Minerva M. Gaskill. Address, Washington, N. C.

(2) Ann Bryan Archbell, born Jan. 13, 1847 md. Feb. 16, 1869, James B. Hancock, died Feb. 23, 1882.

Issue of Sidney Bryan Archbell and wife Martha *nee* Patrick.

(1) Jessie B. Archbell born Jan. 17, 1860 md. Lizzie Bell. Address, Washington, N. C.

(2) Patrick Henry Archbell, born March 13, 1861, U. S. Army Phillipine Islands.

(3) Joseph Sidney Archbell, born Oct. 22, 1863; (4) Edward Lee Archbell, born Feb'y 13, 1865 md. Lillian Granger; (5) Mary

Williams Archbell, born June 4, 1866 died Sept. 29, 1868; (6) Fannie Archbell, born Sep. 8, 1868, died Oct. 5, 1869; (7) Sarah Virginia Archbell, born March 31, 1870, (dead); (8) Chas. A. Archbell, born Sept. 8, 1871; (9) Julia Archbell born Jan. 17, 1873, died April 1890; (10) Emily C. Archbell, born Apl. 20, 1874, died Sep. 7, 1893; (11) William C. Archbell, born July 25, 1876; (12) David Archbell born April 15, 1878.

Issue of Joseph Pierson Archbell, and wife Eliza *nee* Godley.

(1) Sidney M. Archbell, born Jan. 19, 1850 md. May 30, 1872, Chas. M. Little.

(2) William J. Archbell, born June 13, 1851 md. 1st Nov. 29, 1876, Martha Tankard, 2nd Dec. 7, 1889, Molly A. Hancock; 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, 4th Laura Blount.

(3) Sarah Eliza Archbell born Dec. 22, 1853 md. Dec. 22, 1874, George Adams.

(4) Benj. Franklin Archbell born March 19, 1856 md. Oct. 5, 1882, Susan Bullock.

(5) Emily C. Archbell, born Oct. 30, 1858 md. July 9, 1890, George A. Vincent.

(6) Charles Carney Archbell, born June 30, 1861, md. April 25, 1894, Susan Nelson.

(7) Nancy Bryan Archbell, born Sep. 28, 1864, md. May 1, 1884, Capt. J. B. Lowry.

(8) Joseph Pierson Archbell, born May 7, 1867, md. Feb. 17, 1896, W. M. Toler.

(9) Colin Hughes Archbell, born Nov. 25, 1869.

(10) Thurston Bonner Archbell, born June 20, 1873.

(11) Bertha Masters Archbell born April 18, 1875. died Dec. 20, 1898.

(12) Winnie Estelle Archbell, born Nov. 24, 1878.

Issue of Charles C. Archbell and wife Mary F. *nee* Creekmur.

(1) Charlie S. Archbell born Jan. 21, 1862, md. Jan. 24, 1884, W. I. Watson.

Issue of W. I. Watson and wife Charlie S. *nee* Archbell.

(1) Charles J. Watson born Sept. 17, 1885, died Oct. 8, 1888;

(2) Adelaide Bonner Watson born Sept. 2, 1883; (3) Mary Fayette Watson born Sept. 10, 1889; (4) William E. Watson born July 21, 1892; (5) Carl C. Watson born Jan. 27, 1894; (6) Eric G. Watson born Feb. 24, 1897.

Issue of Thomas Respass Crawford and wife Mary M. *nee* Tulen.

(1) Ann Delaney Crawford md. Joseph Swindell. Address, Lake Landing, N. C.

(2) Sidney Carney Crawford md. Thomas Edwards; (3) May



Crawford md. William Smith; (4) Jennie Whitley Crawford; (5) Thomas Respass Crawford.

Issue of Thomas G. Sparrow and wife Sidney Maria *nee* Crawford.

(1) Cora Sparrow, born July 15, 1867 md. Nov. 10, 1886, F. F. Cherry; (2) Rena Sparrow born April 8, 1870, md. Dec. 15, 1891, Thos. Jennett; (3) Nina Sparrow born June 13, 1872 died Sept. 9, 1874; (4) Nina Sparrow born Oct. 12, 1875 died Sept. 14, 1878; (5) ————; (6) Thomas G. Sparrow born March 21, 1880; (7) Nita Sparrow born Aug. 26, 1882; (8) Paul Sparrow born Aug. 17, 1884; (9) Elizabeth Bucklen Sparrow born Aug. 3, 1887.

Issue of W. H. Snell and wife Mary Bryan *nee* Crawford.

(1) Henry C. Snell born Jan'y 11, 1865; (2) Emily Snell died May 1882; (3) Ann M. Snell born March 17, 1871.

William A. Harvey and wife Caroline Pasteur *nee* Crawford.

Issue of (1) Emily Crawford born Dec. 2, 1874 md. D. M. Dough; (2) Carrie Augusta Harvey born Nov. 22, 1877; (3) Mary Johnnie Harvey, born Apl. 7, 1880 md. May 28, 1901, Fred R. Alfred; (4) Eva Bryan Harvey born March 6, 1883; (5) Hattie W. Harvey born Oct. 7, 1885; (6) William A. Harvey born July 24, 1889, died Sept. 17, 1892.

Issue of Dr. Thomas Pasteur Bonner and wife Emily *nee* Crawford.

(1) William Shaw Bonner born May 23, 1876 md. June 28, 1899 Lena L. Brooks; (2) Clarence C. Bonner born Mar. 2, 1881, died March 13, 1882.

Issue of George Lane Patrick and wife Katharine *nee* Lewis.

(1) Richard Lewis Patrick born Mar. 11, 1891; (2) George Lane Patrick born July, 1892; (3) Benjamin Patrick born Nov. 5, 1896; (4) Eleanor Patrick born Dec. 30, 1899.

Issue of Major Thomas Archbell and wife Minerva M. *nee* Gaskill.

(1) Namie Louise Archbell born Nov. 5, 1889.

Issue of James B. Hancock and wife Ann Bryan *nee* Archbell.

Mamie Hancock born Nov. 23, 1872 md. Clifford C. Calais. Address, 25 Trainor Ave., Memphis, Tenn.

Issue of Clifford C. Calais and wife Mamie *nee* Hancock.

(1) Anna Lee Calais born May 15, 1897.

Issue of Jesse B. Archbell and wife Lizzie *nee* Bell.

Several children.

Issue of Charles M. Little and wife Sidney M. *nee* Archbell.

(1) Mary E. Little born Apl. 25, 1873; (2) Charles M. Little born Feb'y 28, 1875; (3) Sidney B. Little born Oct. 26, 1877; (4) Claudius A. Little born June 14, 1880; (5) Emily E. Little born Apl. 22, 1883; (6) Clarence B. Little born Mar. 6, 1886; (7) Ada May Little born Feb. 20, 1889; (8) Crawford P. Little born June 8, 1892.

Issue of George A. Vincent and wife Emily C. *nee* Archbell.

(1) Norman M. Vincent; (2) Ellen H. Vincent born July 30, 1893; (3) Ruth A. Vincent born Jan. 10, 1898.

Issue of William J. Archbell and wife Martha *nee* Tankard.

(1) Joseph Pierson Archbell born Nov. 22, 1873; (2) Walter Bryan Archbell born Jan'y 30, 1878 died Sep. 24, 1880; (3) Justin Ewell Archbell born Sep. 3, 1880, died Sept. 4, 1886.

Issue of George Adams and wife Sarah Eliza *nee* Archbell.

(1) George F. Adams born Feb. 6, 1876; (2) Eunice E. Adams born Sep. 25, 1877 died July 11, 1878; (3) William Bryan Adams born Sept. 15, 1879; (4) Fannie M. Adams born Feb. 27, 1881, died June 13, 1899; (5) Bonnie A. Adams born Feb. 15, 1885.

Issue of Capt. Justin B. Lowry and wife Nancy Bryan *nee* Archbell.

(1) Blanche C. Lowry, born Jan. 19, 1885; (2) Nellie E. Lowry, born May 13, 1889; (3) Justin B. Lowry, born July, 1891.

Issue of Capt. Walter M. Toler and wife Joseph Pierson *nee* Archbell.

(1) Olive Toler, born, March 25, 1898.

Issue of Charles C. Archbell and wife Susan *nee* Nelson.

(1) Joseph Pierson Archbell.

Issue of Benjamin Franklin Archbell and wife Susan *nee* Bullock.

(1). Carrie E. Archbell born Aug. 15, 1885; (2) Minnie I. Archbell born May 19, 1887; (3) Annie P. Archbell born July 26, 1889; (4) Willie J. Archbell born Apl. 14, 1892 died Sep. 27, 1893; (5) Bennie P. Archbell born Sep. 22, 1894.

Issue of Joseph Swindell and wife Ann Delaney *nee* Crawford.

(1) Annie Swindell; (2) ———.

Issue of Thomas Edwards and wife Sidney Carney *nee* Crawford. One child.

Issue of F. F. Cherry and wife Cora *nee* Sparrow.

(1) Thomas Sparrow Cherry.

Issue of Thomas Jennett and wife Rena *nee* Sparrow.

(1) Sidney Earle Jennett.

Issue of William Nelson and wife Sidney Carney *nee* Crawford.

Susan Nelson born 1866 md. C. C. Archbell.

Issue of James H. Swindell and wife Sallie A. *nee* Crawford.

(1) Susan Fonville Swindell born Nov. 20, 1860 md. March, 1881, B. J. Tunnell. Address, Lake Landing, N. C.

(2) James Bryan Swindell born Aug. 11, 1870 md. 1894, Georgie Carter.

(3) Becton Crawford Swindell born June 2, 1872 died 1885.

(4) Mary Delzell Swindell born Feb. 18, 1874 died 1888.

(5) Sidney Grandy Swindell born Dec. 25, 1876 died 1879.

Issue of Capt. R. R. Crawford and wife Caroline B. *nee* Crawford.

(1) William Bryan Crawford born 1868 died 1868; (2) Thomas Rowan Crawford born 1870 md. Lula ———; (3) Sarah Becton Crawford born 1872 died 1881; (4) Robert Rowan Crawford born 1874; (5) Christine V. Crawford born 1876; (6) Caroline Pasteur Crawford born 1878 died 1883; (7) Mary Delzelle Crawford born 1880, died 1882.

John F. Crawford and wife Bettie *nee* Bullock. No issue. Address, Ocala, Fla.

Issue of John F. Crawford and wife. Address, Ocala, Fla.

(1) Thomas Delzell Crawford born 1897.

Issue of George Pasteur and wife Jane *nee* Forbes.

(1) Thomas J. Pasteur.

Issue of Dr. Henry Holmes and wife Sidney *nee* Pasteur. Address, Laurens, S. C.

(1) Caroline Holmes; (2) Wilmot Holmes; (3) Henry Holmes; (4) Mary Holmes md. Louis Meares; (5) Leigh Holmes.

Issue of James C. Davis and wife Sallie *nee* Pasteur.

(1) Nannie Pasteur Davis md. M. R. Geoffrey. Address, Beaufort, N. C.

(2) Laura Davis md. Judge C. R. Thomas, died May 30, 1899.

(3) Carolin Davis md. D. C. Hutton.

Issue of John D. Pasteur and wife Salie *nee* Hodges, Address, Ocala, Fla.

(1) Mariam Pasteur, (2) Sidney Pasteur, (3) George Pasteur.

Issue of Judge C. R. Thomas and wife Laura *nee* Davis. Address, Newbern, N. C. (1) ———; (2) ———.

## AFFIDAVITS RELATING TO THE LOYALISTS AND TORIES DURING THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

(Continued.)

### AFFIDAVIT OF ABRAM JONES.

HYDE COUNTY, MATTAMUSKEET.

One Friday, August 1777, I hunderstood By Report that a certain James Rawlins was one of the Heads amongst the Tories and that he was Expected to pass by the Settlement of Mattamuskeet or to Call there about the next Day and as I was Resolved to apprehend him if possible and keeping a watch out for him spied a small sail off in the Sound I fitted out in a boat with four men along with me. Came up with said Saile and found it to be the same Jas. Rawlins with his family upon which I apprehended him and Caried him Before

a Magistrate which took the Deposition of the said James Rawlins, August 6th, 1777.

ABRAM JONES.

Sworn to before me this 9th August, 1777.

James Davis.

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AFFIDAVIT OF WM. MAY.

No. Carolina,

Pitt County—William May, Juner, says on oath that on or about the 20th and last of May past a Certain William Tylor of Martin County, did propose an oath to sd. May, and that he would on taking the oath he sd Tylor wood inform him something of Importance as a Secret; that After he sd May had taken the oath, the sd. Tylor informed That he shoold stand Ready to Keep out popish Religion if we Could, and that the sd. Taylor did alow that Gentlemen was trying to Bring in popish Religion and that if there was a Draft to unite & stand together & not turn out nor go in Croop time. And that the sd. Tylor said he Thought themselves sofishtantly strong to Take any man away that shoold be Drafted and to oppose Any power that shoold ofeur the State oath and these that was sworn in was to Join and stand by each oather if the State oath shoold be offered and that if any one was Confiend or Imprisoned that the oathers was to Return them.

Sworn Before Me June 19, 1777.

Robe't Salter, J. P.

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AFFIDAVIT OF WILLIAM HOWARD.

Tyrrell County,

July 15, 1777. William Howard being sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, Deposeth and Sayeth that he was at Jonathan Davises wheat reaping, when John Garrett spoke to this Deponent & ask'd him if he would stand up for his Religion. This Deponent said he would, upon which the said Garrett swore him & gave him the usual Token to carry to Leggett, which he did & was sworn by said Leggett to support their Constitution & Religion and that both oaths were administered to this Deponent in and Near the said Jonathan Davis's apple orchard, and Further this Deponent sayeth not.

His

WILLIAM X HOWARD.

Mark.

William Howard, principal, £100.

Benjamin Howard, Security £100, for appearance at the next Court of Oyer & Terminer to be held at Edenton.

Sworn & acknowledged before us.

Arch. Corrie, J. P.

Chas. Johnson, J. P.

John Buttrey being Sworn Concerning a Certain Conspiracy, say that Rich'd Faggans came to him and swore him to keep a secret and told him that he wanted to geet Every Body of one mind and after that he administered another Oath to him that he must keep Secritt the names of the heads of Persons consearned, which he said was John Lewelling, James Sherrod and Daniel Leggett, and if he was amind to Go further in to it he must Go to Daniel Leggett and Carry a sign which was a stick with three notches, and if he Liked the Constitution he was at Liberty to inform himself further, &c.

JOHN BUTTREY.

Salvinas Buttrey Being Called on Concerning a Certain Conspiracy, sayeth Rich'd Fagans Told him the sd Buttrey he would put him in a way if he would Take an Oath of Secrecy not to take the oath of Government or Oath to the State, for it was very Bad and would ruin his Sole or for sware himself, and further this Deponent sayeth that if they offered to make him take the State Oath that they would a number Gitt together and have a Quarrell and there would be an End to it, &c.

SALVINAS BUTTREY.

William Jordain Being Call'd on to Give Testimony Consearning a Certain Conspiracy, sayeth that Rich'd Fagan swore him to keep a Secritt and to Go to William Collins to see the Constitution, and William Collins and Rich'd Fagan Wanted to make an Officer of him a Solliseter to Take in Others which he this Deponent refused, and they told him that Sundry Others was in, and that they when called on was to assist Each other to Oppose the measures of Government and that this Scheme had been Carieing on ever since Last March, &c.

WM. JORDAN.

David Taylor being sworn on the Holy Evangelist, declared as follows, viz: that Jas. Rollins informed him of a secret Scheme against the State, for that the Congress had given up the Country to the French to be governed by them, and then Popery would come into the Country, but that they would not oppose them, except they opposed their party, informed him that Wm. Tyler & John Luellan were in the Scheme and that he this Deponant sayeth that Rollins told him, that if the King overcome the country that they would all keep their own Estates & not be hurt, and further this Deponant sayeth not.

DAVID TAYLOR.

Sworn before me the 4th day of June, 1777.

John Everitt.

Joseph Taylor being sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty

God, Deposeth & sayeth as follows, to-wit: James Rollins swore him to keep Secret, that the intent of the Secret was to keep popery out of our Land—if the popish Religion was brought in the Land that they were to take up Arms to oppose them that brought it, he further sayth that John Luellen & Wm. Tyler was on the Scheme, and if any man should be Drafted in Crop time—and further this Deponent sayth not.

JOSEPH TAYLOR.

Sworn before me the 4th day of June, 1777.

John Everitt.

John Wheatley being sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, Deposeth & sayth as follows, to-wit: That James Sharrard asked him if he could keep a secret and after awhile he took a Book and put it into this Deponent's hand and he the sd Sharrard said to this Deponent, you shall keep this close and not reveal it to any but such as I shall Teach you, then the sd Sharrard Read the Constitution, and this Dep't objected to some articles in sd. Constitution, but swore as follows, to-wit: That he this Deponent should Defend and protect all Draughted Distrest or Opprest persons or them that are Called Tories if We think ourselves fully able, and if the King Conquered the Country, that we shall save our Estates and that the sd. Sherrod told him that it would be Nesary for Each man to provide himself with Half of a Pound of Powder and Lead and this Deponent further sayeth that the Sceeme was to Drop it being Discovered, and this Deponent further Sayeth that Sherrod informed him that Leweling had up many Indcavours before he Brought him in the Sceeme and that Mr. Sherrod had Represented the State oath to this Deponent in a very Dreadfull Light Contrary to What he now finds it and further this Deponent sayeth not.

JOHN WHEATLEY.

Sworn before me this 4th Day of July, 1777.

William Slade, J. P.

N. B.—Mr. Sharard told this Dep't that he would be glad the neighbors would go down to Court and he believes the intent was to relieve any person that should be Imprisoned or Distressed.

Nathan Hattaway being sworn on the holy Avangelists of Almighty God, deposeth & sayth as follows (to-wit), that John Carter swore him to keep John Luallen's name a Secret and that John Carter give him a stick with three notches, which stick he was to carry to the sd John Luallen, and the meaning of that stiek was to let Luallen know that he was Enterd into their Society to support the Old & New Testament and that John Carter told him that the French was coming in & that the Gentry was joining them to bring in the popish

Religion, this Deponent sayth that when he Delivered the stick to John Luallen he asked him what he gave him that for, this Depon't answered for a sign. The sd. Luallen asked him if he had got that sign—this Depo't answered, I have. He said then, give it me. This Dep't answered B, he sd E, the Dep't said T, he said R, the Dep't sd U, he sd E, this Dep't then sd be true, he answer'd I hope you will. Then the sd Luallen Read to this Dep't what he called a Constitution, & after that this Dep't told him he could not join in it & then left him—this Dep't sayeth that John Carter told him James Sharrard was in the Scheme and that James Sharard handed him a Book and told him he might swear if he would or not, this Dep't then swore that he was to join with him if the people was Drafted, & they should find themselves able to oppose those that Drafted them, and further this Dep't sayth not.

NATHAN HATTAWAY.

Sworn before me the 4th July, 1777.

John Everitt.

N. B.—This Deponent further sayth that he heard Carter say that he got no Powler & shot at Halifax.

No. Carolina,

Martin County—William Wallace being sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, Deposeth & saith:

The Night on or about ye 20th of June past, when a body of men meet a Certain placed Called the goard patch in order to take William May out of the Custody of Wm. Roberson & Mr. Salter of Pitt County, by force of Arms if they could not get them sd Mays without, John Lewelling told sd Wallace as soon as they got a Little Stronger they would confine some of the grait men. The next time the sd Lewelling came to sd Wallace He told him old Tylor was taken with all the papers in his pocket. The said Wallace asked what he would do about it, sd Lewelling answered we must Try and git them if we can, sd Wallace answered what if we can get them. Sd Lewelling said if we Can't get them without we must kill some of them.

And further sd Wallace saith it was ordered to git half a pound of powder & two pounds of Led accordingly. There was a quantity of powder brought to the goard Patch for that purpose by one Molon Davidson, which he sd Wallace saith he understood sd Davidson got from one Sutherland in Tarborough and further this Deponent saith not.

Given under my hand this 8th Day of September, 1777.

WILLIAM WALLACE.

Test: Nathan Mayo, J. P.

AFFIDAVIT OF SAMPSON TAYLOR.

North Carolina State,

Martin County, July ye 14th, 1777. This day came before me Sampson Taylor and made oath on ye holy Evangelist of Almighty God that on Saturday ye 12th of this instant, that he ye deponent was at ye house of Merit Gamon and James Haise came there and he ye depon't asked ye sd Haise what news, ye sd Haise said Good News, for he had been outward and that ye Scotch and Tores ware Imbodying and that they Intended to have Governor Caswell's head or body in about 3 or 4 weeks and that would be Good news for him.

His

Sworn before me.

SAMPSON X TAYLOR.

Jon. Ross.

Mark.

AFFIDAVIT OF HENRY CULPEPER.

Henry Culpeper being sworn in the holy Avangelists of Almighty God, Deposeth and sayth:

That he was at the House of John Lewelling in the County of Martin on a Sunday & he, this Deponent, was in the yard & that the sd Lewelling came to him & seem'd to be angry and said to this Deponent that he believed they should be obliged to kill all the heads of the Country, and it must be done in the night and then every man must return to his own home, this Deponent further sayth that he was at the house of the sd Lewelling at another time and the said Lewelling said that the matter might be done without spilling blood, this Deponent asked how, and he said by confining the heads of the County and if How should come round to Carolina, Deliver them up to him, and further this Deponent sayth not.

His

HENRY X CULPEPER.

Mark.

Sworn before me the 3d Sep'r, 1777.

Blake B. Wiggins.

AFFIDAVIT OF DANIEL AUSTIN.

Daniel Austin being sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, deposeth and saith that on Monday morning last William Brimage and a Person who afterwards called himself Campbell, and said he was a Lieutenant of a man of War, came to the House of this deponent Father's when the Lieutenant asked this deponent to go out and look for one John Smith, which he did, and could not find him. Mr. William Brimage then asked this Deponent if he would be hired to carry him to Roanoke Island, which he told him he would, he



then asked his Father how much it was worth to go to Roanoke Island, who answered Ten Dollars. William Brimage said that sum was too much, and asked this deponent what he would take who answered Eight dollars. John Smith at this time was come from Francis Rawlinson's and said he had hired a Boat there, but if this deponent's Boat was ready he should have a chance and agreed to give him Eight Dollars, which was the sum he was to give for the one he had engaged, this deponent then went to his Brother to get him to go with him and brought the Boat to his Father's Landing. After Breakfast they set off with the said Boat and William Brimage, John Smith & the Lieutenant in her, on their Passage Campbell asked them if they would go down to New Inlet, he wanted to see it, this Deponent and his Brother was much against going down, the Lieutenant then called up Mr. William Brimage who whispered with him, but what they said this deponent does not know, the said William Brimage & the Lieutenant then told this deponent and his Brother that if they would carry them to New Inlet they would pay them to their asking. John Smith wanted to keep on to Roanoke Island, the place agreed for, the Lieutenant and William Brimage insisted to go to New Inlet, they then put the Boat about and went down New Inlet and landed on the Beach, they hauled the Boat up out of the way of the Tide. Mr. Brimage asked if any House was near. This Deponent told there was none nigher than Body's Island. He then asked the Lieutenant if he would take a walk and look at the Bar, he then turned about and took out a Handkerchief with two Pistols in it, and walked after this deponent, who turned and met him and asked him if he intended to hurt him. He untied his Handkerchief and took out his Pistols and told this deponent he must have his Boat for he must make his Escape. This deponent then told his Brother they were Prisoners and begged they might not be hurt. William Brimage and John Smith replied they should not be hurt, Mr. Brimage declaring he would Perish on the Beach before they should be hurt. John Smith begged that in case the Boat was taken, if this deponent would let him go home with him which he agreed to, the Lieutenant then said they must go to an Island to Ballast the Boat. They went to an Island, and this deponent then asked the Lieutenant if he would put him & his Brother across on the Beach, as they might be able to get hom, which he refused, and said he must keep them that night. William Brimage, John Smith and the Lieutenant persuaded this deponent and his Brother to carry them to Currituck & told them they should have the Boat again to carry them back and they would give them all the Money they had. They agreed to go and set off.

Mr. William Brimage and John Smith told this deponent that they

had done no harm, but being suspected Tories, had come away, as they would not take the oath. A squall rising in the West, this deponent asked him if they would go on shore. Accordingly they went on shore on Dolbey's Point, hauled up the Boat and took a Walk on the beach. Mr. Brimage was afraid to Walk the beach, being apprehensive they might be seen and found out, they then went back to the boat, pushed off and set sail and went a small distance. The Wheather looked very Dismal and they went on shore again. They went a small distance from the Boat and sat down. Setting there some time this deponent whispered his Brother to take the Boat and make his escape and that this deponent would run away, which accordingly they did, and further this deponent says not.

DANIEL AUSTIN.

Sworn to this 30th July, 1777, before

Rob. Smith,  
Willm. Bennett,  
Chas. Bondfield.

#### AFFIDAVIT OF CORNELIUS AUSTIN.

Cornelius Austin being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, deposeth & saith, that this deponent was in a Boat with his Brother Daniel Austin, and they took in Mr. William Brimage and a Person that said he was a Lieutenant of a Man of War, who called himself Campbell, & one John Smith of Bertie County; that they went peaceably and quietly to New Inlet. There the Lieutenant insisted on going to take a view of the Inlet, which this deponent would not agree to, but the Lieutenant insisted upon to go and said he both must and will see New Inlet; this deponent then told him he would go where he pleased with his own Boat. Mr. William Brimage was at that time laying down in the Boat and this deponent thinks he was asleep. The Lieutenant waked him up and they whispered together, but what they said this deponent does not know. Then they, the said Lieutenant & Mr. Brimage, insisted to go down to New Inlet. Accordingly they put the Boat about and went to the Inlet, and Landed on the northern side of the Point and went on shore. The first thing this deponent saw after he got on shore was the Lieutenant with a pair of Pistols in his hands, and his Brother begging for God's sake not to take his life; that said John Smith and this deponent had some talk, who told this deponent that he would lose his right arm before he would see him hurt or wronged, nor his Boat taken from him. Then this deponent said to the said Smith, Will you stand by me if I attempt to take the Lieutenant. Immediately this deponent went to take him and fetched a step or two towards the Lieutenant. The said Smith came after him and begged this depo-

nent would not do any thing of that kind, as the said Smith said the Lieutenant was a blooded minded Fellow and was afraid he would kill some of them. Upon that he desisted; that he & his Brother was taken Prisoners at the place by the Lieutenant and obliged to agree to carry them to Currituck Inlet and Land them there on the Beach that they might make their escape along the Cape, as this deponent understood to be the Capes of Virginia, then they proceeded to an Island of Marsh to Ballast the Boat and to wait until a squall which was then rising was over. In the meantime Mr. William Brimage and John Smith undertook to see the Boat safe, returned to this deponent & his Brother, they then proceeded on their way to Currituck until they came up with Roanoke Island. Then it grew dark & squally. They were obliged to put ashore at Dolbey's Point and took a walk a small distance on the Beach. William Brimage then was afraid they should be discovered by some Person and proposed to go back to the Boat, which they did accordingly. They put off and went a little further, & went on shore again, and hauled the Boat a small distance on the sand and took shelter under a tree and was there some time, his Brother whispered to him to take the Boat and run off with her, which he did, and further this deponent says that it was much against the will of the said John Smith to go to New Inlet. He wanted to proceed to Roanoke Island where they were first bound, & further this deponent says not.

CORNELIUS AUSTIN.

Sworn to before us this 30th July, 1777.

Rob. Smith,  
Willm. Bennett,  
Chas. Bondfield.

#### AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN SMITH.

John Smith, of Bertie County, Blacksmith, being sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, Deposeth & says that being at Occacock Island, he then met with William Brimage, who asked this deponent what news. He replied he was surprised to see him there, as he had heard before he left home that he was in Halifax Gaol; that the said Brimage told him as the times were Troublesome he had come away that he might not take the oath prescribed by the last Assembly. The said Brimage told this deponent he wanted to go to sea along with Mr. Telfair, but that Mr. Telfair refused to let him and said he should not go with him if he would give him five hundred Guineas, and further he says not.

JOHN SMITH.

Sworn to before us this 31st July, 1777.

Chas. Bondfield, J. P.

## AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN COLLINS.

John Collins on oath, sayeth that on a Certain day he see James Sharrod going by his Plantation when he was at work, in which he seemed to be very much Cast down. Mr. Collins asked Sharrard what was the matter; had he been sick. He answered, no. What then is the matter sd Collins. I have heard dreadful news which Gave me so much uneasiness I Could not Take my rest. What is the matter and what have you heard. I was at my Brother John's and see Lewelling and he tell me that they were Inginerall Concluding to make an End to all the heads of the County. Collins said for God sake Take off that Evil Intent, Quash it if you can. Sharrard answered he would if it was in his Power, for if I had ever known they had had such an Evil Intintion I would never had any Concerns with them. This is the second time he had been to him and Sharrard answered he would Goe again signifying to Endeavor to Quash this Design.

Further the said Collins sayeth that on a Certain Time he, the said Collins and Sharrod went over to Winsor in Which the said Sharrod was accused of Purchasing Gun Powder, he sayeth that he was in Mr. Sharrod's Company the whole Time and that the said Sharrod did not buy any Gun Powder or Bring any with him only 2  $\frac{3}{4}$  lb. of Gun Powder which the said Collins Purchased half a pound which Sharrod had of said Two Pounds and three Quarters and sayeth that there was no more Powder Gott or Purchased at any other Time which said Powder was for William Highsmith, John Horton and John Persey and for himself, and further sayeth not.

Sworn to before me this 5th day of July, 1777.

Hy. Ward.

## AFFIDAVIT OF MARY WALKER.

Tyrrell County,

July 15, 1777. Personally appeared before us, Justices assigned to keep the Peace in said County, Mary Walker, who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, made oath to the following Information, that is to say: That about three weeks ago this Deponent was at the House of Thomas Harrison, Senr., where she heard a Certain Stephen Burgess say that it was no matter if the King's Forces were to come & put them all to the sword, for it was what they deserved, meaning the People of this State, as this deponent believed, and further this Deponent sayeth not.

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Sworn before us.

MARY X WALKER.

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.

Mark.

Chas. Johnson.

Tyrrell County,

July 15th, 1777. Personally appeared before us, Justices assigned to keep the peace in said County, Elizabeth Ward, who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, made oath to the following information, that is to say, that about three weeks agoe this Deponent was at the House of Thomas Harrison, Senr., where she heard a Certain Stephen Burgess say that if the King was to put us all to the Sword it was no more than what we all might expect, & furthermore this Deponent saith not.

ELIZABETH WARD.

Sworn before us.

Arch'd Corrie, J. P.

Chas. Johnson.

Memorandum: That on this Twentieth day of July 1779, James Knott, of the County of Bertie and State of North Carolina, and Zedekiah Stone, Esq., of the County and State aforesaid, personally come before me, William Benson, one of the Justices for said County, and acknowledged themselves to be indebted to his Excellency, Richard Caswell, Esq., Governor of the State aforesaid, for the time being or to his successors, in the sum of One Thousand pounds to be levied of their good & Chattels, Lands & Tenements, respectively, to the use of him, the said Governor, or his Successor, upon condition, That if the said James Knott shall personally appear at the next Superior Court to be held at Edenton for the District of Edenton to do and receive what shall be then and there enjoined by the said Court and that he do not depart without leave of the said Court, and that in the meantime to be of the good behavior. Then this Recognizance to be void or else to remain in force.

JAMES KNOTT, [Seal.]

Acknowledged before me.

ZED'H STONE. [Seal.]

Wm. Benson, Justice.

James Knott, Als.,

The State of North Carolina: And the said James Knott, by Jasper Charlton, his attorney, for Plea to the Scire Facias issued against him by James Iredell, Esq., Attorney General for the State and in Discharge of the Recognizance entered into by him at Edenton November Superior Court, 1779, for his appearance at the next ensuing Court in May, 1780, saith that after the November Court, 1779, he was drafted into the service and never came home till during the sitting of May Court, when he was so sick, fatigued and his Feet so much bruised as not to be able to walk.

That he was in Charles Town during a good Time of the siege, required the approbation of his Officers and behaved in such a man-

ner as to acquit him of the least Degree of Suspicion of being an enemy to his country or to Toryism. That the said James Knott would have attended at November Court, 1780, but that his Attorney above named, who was likewise his bail, and lay at the Point of Death himself, informed him that from the daily Danger apprehended at Edenton of the enemy he expected no Court would be held, or if any merely to continue all Business depending therein, and that in May Court, 1781, he was preparing and would have attended, but no Court was then held, and that he is now attending at this Court, November 1781, to answer to any Matter or offence the State may charge him with. That since his first being drafted he has been a second time drafted and served under General Gregory until discharged without Blame or Censure.

JAMES KNOTT.

Sworn before me this 30th October, 1781.

Sam'l Spencer.

State of North Carolina, Agt.,

Jasper Charlton: And the before named Jasper bail for the within named James Knott's appearance at Edenton May Superior Court, 1780, in Pleading in Discharge of his Recognizance entered into in November, 1779, alledged and saith that what is contained in the annexed Plea of the said James Knott is in all Respects just and true, and further the said Jasper saith that in May Court, 1780, he would have pleaded the incapacity of the said James Knott's attendance, but he knew \* \* \* thereof until his Return to his own House. But that during \* \* \* a Court had been formed in November, 1780, to which the said James Knott and Jasper Charlton's Scire Facias were returnable, he was intending to attend, and actually had set off several miles thither at the Peril of his Life and against the Advice of all his Friends partly to exonerate the James and himself as his Bail of the Penalty of their several Recognizances, but found when he got within a few miles of Edenton the said Court had broke up and that at the Time prescribed by Law for holding the Superior Court in May, 1781, he attended and the said James would also have attended to have discharged themselves of their Recognizances aforesaid, but no Court was held on account of the Confusion and Danger there prevailing in the State and the said Jasper is now in Court for the above purpose as to himself."

Not signed or dated.

This concludes all the papers so far found relating to the conspiracy against the State, on the part of the Tories in this section of North Carolina.

# SOLDIERS OF THE N. C. CONTINENTAL LINE, REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

[Continued.]

## TENTH REGIMENT—Abram Shepard, Colonel.

- Carter, David, Corp', Wilson's Co., Aug. 20, '77. Died July '78.  
 Caraway, Thos., pt., Shepard's Co., May 5, '77; 3 years.  
 Candy, Wm., pt., Shepard's Co., Feb. 16, '78, 3 years.; Dst'd 14 Sept., '78.  
 Carter, Isaac, pt., Shepard's Co., Sept. 17, '77, 3 years; w.; dest'd June 13, '83.  
 Capps, Wm., pt., Stephenson's Co., June 14, '77; 3 years.  
 Carroll, Butler, Ensn., Jarvis' Co.; omt'd June '78.  
 Calton, Jas., Corp'l, Jarvis' Co., May 5, '77; pt. June, '78.  
 Callum, Fred'k, pt., Jarvis' Co., May 17, '77, 3 years; died Jan. 12, '79.  
 Caton, Thos., pt., Jarvis' Co., June 12, '77; Corp'l Dec. 1, '78; pt. Mar. 20, '79.  
 Campbell, Thos., pt., Jarvis' Co., June 18, '77.  
 Campbell, Solomon, pt., Jarvis' Co., Aug. 4, '77. Dead April '78.  
 Campbell, Jas., pt., Vanois' Co., April 19, '77; Lt. and Q. M. Sept. 10, '79; Capt. Dec. 14, '79.  
 Campbell, Geo., pt., Quinn's Co., July 20, '78; 9 months.  
 Campbell, Jas., pt., Dixon's Co., April 25, '81; 12 mo.; omt'd in 1781.  
 Campbell, Israel, pt., Lytle's Co., 1781. Time out May 12, '82.  
 Campbell, Walter, pt., Doherty's Co.; w.; must'd Jan. 1782.  
 Campbell, Wm., pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service April 28, 1782.  
 Campbell, Jesse, pt., Yarboro's Co., 1781. Time out April 22, 1782.  
 Campbell, Neil, pt., Coleman's Co., Nov. 25, '81; 12 mo.  
 Campbell, Angus, pt., Sharp's Co., 1782; 18 mo.  
 Campbell, Jno., Lt., Blount's Co., April 20, '79.  
 Cartwright, Josiah, pt., Gregory's Co., May 31, '77; 3 years.  
 Cartwright, Joseph, pt., Jones' Co., Jan. 1, '82; 13 mo.  
 Cannon, Lewis, Lt., Heron's Co., Apl. 19, '77; omt'd June '78; must'd in 5th Reg't May '79.  
 Cannon, Bind, pt., McRee's Co., May 8, '81. Dst'd June 1, '81.  
 Cannon, Jno., pt., Mills' Co., Feb. 7, '82; 12 mo.; died Aug. 25, 1782.  
 Cates, Mathias, Corp'l, June 30, '76, 3 yrs.; pt. Aug., '78.  
 Carroll, Douglass, pt., must'd June, '78.  
 Carroll, Britton, pt., Hogg's Co., July 20, '78; 9 mos.  
 Carroll, Jno., pt., Baker's Co., 1778; dst'd July 23, '78.  
 Carrell, Jno., pt., Raiford's Co., June 11, '87, 12 mo. Time out June 11, '82.  
 Carroll, Benj., pt., Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mo. Left service Nov. 10, '82.  
 Carroll, Wm., pt., Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mo. Left service Nov. 10, '82.  
 Carrell, Hardy, pt., Rhode's Co., Dec. 1, 1782, 18 mo.  
 Calahan, Humphrey, pt., w.; must'd Aug. '78; dst'd Oct. 8, '78.  
 Calahan, Wm., Corp'l, Taylor's Co., 3 yrs; must'd Jan. '79.  
 Cain, Wm., pt., Montford's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Cain, Joseph, pt., Bradley's Co., Aug. 27, '78, 3 yrs.  
 Cain, Jno., pt., Quinn's Co., June 24, '79, 18 mo.  
 Cain, Richard, pt., Carter's Co., 1782.  
 Caraway, Francis, Corp'l, Carter's Co., May 12, '81. Time out 25 April, '82.  
 Carraway, Jno., pt., Quinn's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Caster, Jno., pt., Quinn's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Caster, Jacob, pt., Quinn's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Casteen, Wm., pt., Jones' Co., Feb. 3, '82, 13 mo.; died Sept. 14, 1782.  
 Casten, Francis, pt., Baker's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Carter, Jno. pt., Lt. Col's, July 20, '78; died Nov. 18, 1778.  
 Carter, Jno., pt., Bradley's Co., June 30, '79, 18 mo.  
 Carter, Abm., pt., Blount's Co., 1779, 9 mo.; omt'd Oct., '79.  
 Carter, Wm., pt., Raiford's Co., May 5, '81. Time out April 26, '82.  
 Carter, Sewell, pt., Raiford's Co., 1781. Time out April 1, '82.  
 Carter, Isaac, pt., Bailey's Co., May 25, '81, 12 mo. Left service May 25, '82.  
 Carter, Dan'l, pt., Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mo. Dst'd April 1, 1782.

Carter, John, pt., Jones' Co., Feb. 1, '81; W.  
 Carter, Henry, pt., Brevard's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Carter, Moses., pt., Brevard's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Carter, Isaac, pt., Evan's Co., 1782. Dst'd June 11, '82.  
 Carter, Stephen, pt., Sharp's Co., Aug. 26, '78; w.; dst'd Jan., 1779.  
 Case, Joseph, pt., Bradley's Co., Aug. 27, '78, 3 yrs.  
 Case, Jona, pt., Bailey's Co., May 17, 1781, 12 mos.; left service May 17, '82.  
 Capps, Dempsy, pt., Blount's Co., May 20, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Capps, Francis, pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service April 12, '82.  
 Calvard, Jno., pt., Blount's Co., Aug. 3, '79, 18 mo. Dst'd Oct. '79.  
 Chappell, Sam'l, Sergt., Dixon's Co., April 24, '81, 12 mo. Left service April 25, '82.  
 Carns, Joshua, pt., Dixon's Co., May 15, '81, 12 mo. Omt'd in 1781.  
 Carmichael, Duncan, pt., Dixon's Co., May 15, '81, 12 mo. Left service May 28, '82.  
 Carvin, Wm., pt., Dixon's Co., May 12, '81; 12 mo. Dst'd July 20, 1781.  
 Caton, Franc, pt., Dixon's Co., May 15, '81, 12 mo. Dst'd July 18, 1781.  
 Carney, Jno., pt., Sharp's Co., April 5, '81. Omt'd in 1781.  
 Cammeron, Alexr., pt., Sharp's Co., April 24, '81, 12 mo. Left service April 24, '82.  
 Cammeron, Dan'l, pt., Jones' Co., Jan. 4, '82, 13 mo.  
 Carr, Jas., Serg't, Doherty's Co., 1781. Time out May 25, 1782.  
 Canady, Thos., pt., Doherty's Co., 1781. Time out May 25, 1782.  
 Canady, Rich'd, pt., Coleman's Co., April 15, '81, 12 mo.  
 Cason, Hilly, Corp'l, Bailey's Co., June 12, '80, 3 yrs. Died Aug. 12, 1782.  
 Cason, Canon, pt., Bailey's Co., June 12, '80, 3 yrs.  
 Cason, Hilly, pt., Jones' Co., 1782, 12 mo. Time out.  
 Cason, Canon, pt., Jones' Co., Jan. 1, 1782, 12 mo.  
 Cayson, Thos., pt., Brevard's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Case, Jona., pt., Bailey's Co., May 17, '81, 12 mo. Left service May 17, '82.  
 Cavender, Wm., pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service May 25, '82.  
 Cavender, Jas., pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service May 25, '82.  
 Cale, Abner, Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mo. Left service Aug. 16, '82.  
 Cale, Wm., mus'n, Sharp's Co., 1782; w.  
 Carmack, Jno., pt., Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mo.; must'd Nov. 1, 1782.  
 Carpenter, Thos., pt., Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mo. Left service April 12, '82.  
 Card, Wm., Serg't, Yarboro's Co., 1781, 12 mo. Time out April 22, '82.  
 Cadle, Zack'h, pt., Carter's Co., July 19, 1781; dst'd Oct. 15, 1782.  
 Cake, Phillip, Serg't, Jones' Co., Feb. 1, '80; w.; dst'd April 1, 1782.  
 Carroner, Chris'r, pt., Jones' Co., Jan. 15, '82, 13 mo.  
 Calvert, Stephen, Corp'l, Coleman's Co. Dec. 18, '81, 12 mo.; pt. April 1782.  
 Carleton, David, pt., Jones' Co., Dec. 7, '81, 12 mo. Time out Jan. 1, 1783.  
 Carleton, John, pt., Jones' Co., Dec. 7, '81, 12 mo. Time out Jan. 1, 1783.  
 Carrin, Emanuel, pt., Bailey's Co., Sept. 7, '82, 18 mo.  
 Cappell, Chas., pt., Bacot's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Campen, Jno., pt., Sharp's Co., 1782. W.  
 Ceaser, Francis, pt., Quinn's Co., June 19, 1779; w.; dst'd Dec. '79.  
 Charleton, Wm., pt., Stephenson's Co., June 3, '77, 3 yrs.; pris. June 1, '79; mustered Nov. '79.  
 Charleton, Geo., pt., Yarboro's Co., 1781, 12 mo.; omt'd April 1, '82.  
 Charleton, Wm., pt., Ens'n., Eaton's Co., May 22, '78; said to be Lt. May 25, '78.  
 Chance, Stephen, musc., Heron's Co., July 1, '77, 3 yrs.; pt. June 1778.  
 Chance, Philemn, pt., Heron's Co., July 1, '77, 3 yrs.; pris. June 1, '79; must'd Nov. '79.  
 Chance, Philemn, pt., Yarboro's Co., 1781; Corp'l April '82. Time out Oct. 1, 1783.  
 Chew, Malachi, pt., Moor's Co., June 28, '77, 3 yrs.; w.; Corp'l May '79; Serg't Nov. '79.  
 Christie, Jno., pt., Montfort's Co., July 30, '78, 9 mo.  
 Chumney, Robt., pt., Vanois Co., June 28, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Chumney, Jno., pt., Vanois' Co., June 27, '77; omt'd June, 1778.



Charlescroft, Stephen, Hogg's Co., May 1, '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Disc. Nov. 2, '78.  
 Charles, Wynnck, pt., Hogg's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Chamberlain, Malachi, pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Chamberlain, Dixon, pt., Mill's Co., Feb. 7, '82, 12 mos.  
 Chappell, Edw'd, pt., Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Chappell, Sam'l, Serg't, Dixon's Co., Ap'l 24, '81. Left service April 25, '82.  
 Chitham, Thos., pt., Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Choves, Solm'n, pt., Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Chester, Jno., pt., Bradley's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Chester, Jno., pt., Evans' Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Cherry, Joshua, pt., Child's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Chase, Blake, pt., Quin's Co., May 21, '78, 3 yrs.  
 Chace, Blake, pt., Eaton's Co., May 22, '78, 3 yrs.; must'd Jan. '79.  
 Chardick, Benj., pt., Bradley's Co., June 20, '79; w.; dst'd Sept. '79.  
 Chambers, James, pt., McRee's Co., April 28, '81, 12 mos.; omt'd after April 1782.  
 Childas, Wm., Corp'l, Ralford's Co., May 5, '81, 12 mos.; pt. Jan. 5, '82. Time out May 5, '82.  
 Childers, Robt., musc., Brevard's Co., 1782, 18 mos. Dst'd March 1783.  
 Childers, Wm., pt., Sharp's Co., Nov. 1, '78, 9 mos.  
 Charborough, Stephen, pt., McRee's Co., June 6, '81, 12 mos. Left service June 26, '82.  
 Chavons, Drury, pt., Donoho's Co., June 1781, 12 mos. Omt'd 1781.  
 Chandler, Thos., pt., Lytle's Co., 1781; w.; must'd Jan. '82.  
 Chubbuck, Jeremiah, pt., Doherty's Co., 1781. Time out May 25, 1782.  
 Chavers, Drury, pt., Bailey's Co., May 25, '81, 12 mo. Left service May 25, '82.  
 Chavers, Wm., pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service April 12, '81.  
 Chavers, Caesar, pt., Carter's Co., May 19, '82, 12 mo. Time out Ap'l 25, '82.  
 Cheshire, John, pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service Ap'l 28, '82.  
 Civil, David, pt., Jones' Co., March 1, '82, 12 mos.  
 Clark, Abm., pt., Shepard's Co., May 3, '77. Omt'd June, '78.  
 Clark, Osborn, Serg't, Stephenson's Co., June 1, '77, 3 yrs.; pt. June, '78.  
 Clark, Thos., pt., Stephenson's Co., April 21, '77, 3 yrs. Dst'd April, '78.  
 Clark, Jno. pt., Lt. Col's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Clark, H., pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Clark, Isaac, pt., Child's Co., Feb. 20, '77, 3 yrs.; w.  
 Clark, Thos., musc., Doherty's Co., 1781. Time out May 25, 1782.  
 Clark, Thos., pt. Jones' Co., Feb. 20, 1782, 12 mos.  
 Clements, Jno., Serg't, Stephenson's Co., April 21, '77, 3 yrs.; w.; pt. June '78.  
 Clements, Custis, pt., July 1, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Clemmons, Jno., pt., Montfort's Co., July 1, '79, 18 mos.  
 Clampett, Govey, pt., Vanois' Co., April 1, '77, 3 yrs. Omt'd March '79.  
 Cleveland, Jas., pt., Montfort's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Clanghorn, Timothy, pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Close, Geo., pt., Montfort's Co., May 26, '79, 18 mo. Omt'd Oct. '79.  
 Clifton, Dan'l, Serg't, Quin's Co., June 5, '79, 18 mos.  
 Clifton, Wm., pt., Yarbboro's Co., 1781, 12 mos. Time out April 22, 1782.  
 Clifton, Clay, pt., Carter's Co., 1782.  
 Clayton, Lamb't, Serg't, McRee's Co., April 28, '81, 12 mos. Left service April 28 '82.  
 Cleaton, Colliman, pt., Dixon's Co., May 15, '81. Omt'd in 1781.  
 Clower, Jno., pt., Walton's Co., 1781. Left service May 25, '82. Time out.  
 Clower, Dan'l, Mill's Co., Jan. 13, '82, 12 mos.  
 Clower, Wm., Mill's Co., Jan. 13, '82, 12 mos.  
 Clarkson, Thos., Serg't, Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mos. Left service April 21, '82.  
 Clubb, Sam'l, pt., Jones' Co., March 6, '82, 13 mos.  
 Clay, David, pt., Evans' Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Collins, Chas., pt., Wilson's Co., May 6, '77.  
 Collins, Jno., pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos. Omt'd Oct. '78.  
 Collins, Shad'k, pt., Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mos.  
 Collins, Hezek., pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service May 25, '82.

Collins, Jereh, Corp'l, Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mos. Left service Aug. 16, '82.  
 Collins, Jno., pt., Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mos. Must'd Aug. 1, '82.  
 Collens, Jno., pt., Mill's Co., Feb. 6, '82, 12 mos.  
 Collins, Shad'k, pt., Carter's Co., 1782.  
 Collins, Jno., pt., Raiford's Co., 18 mos.  
 Collins, Jno., pt., Sharp's Co., 1782, 18 mos. Died March 26, 1783.  
 Cocker, Henry, pt., Wilson's Co., July 1, '77, 3 yrs, (or Coker.)  
 Coats, Benj., pt., Armstrong's Co., 1781, 12 mo. Left service Dec. 23, '82.  
 Coats, Benj'n, pt., Wilson's Co., Sept. 1, '77.  
 Coats, Ezekiel, pt., Child's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Cooper, Solomon, pt., Shepard's Co., Jan. 20, '78. Omt'd June '78.  
 Cooper, Nath'l, pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Cooper, Fred'k, pt., McRee's Co., Ap'l 28, '81, 12 mo; Corp'l Aug. '81. Left service April 28, '82.  
 Cooper, Benj'n, pt., Bailey's Co., May 17, '81, 12 mo. Left service May 17, '82.  
 Cotton, Elijah, pt., Shepard's Co., July 1, '77.  
 Cotton, Jno., pt., June 13, '77. Dst'd June '79.  
 Cox, Edw'd, musc., Shepard's Co., June 12, '77. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Cox, Thos., pt., Shepard's Co., June 12, '77, 3 yrs; w.; Corp'l Nov. 1, '82. Dst'd June 13, '82.  
 Cox, Wm., pt., Stephenson's Co., June '77, 3 yrs. Dead Nov. 1778.  
 Cox, Jno., pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service April 28, '82.  
 Cox, Jesse, pt., Jarvis' Co., June 10, '77, 3 yrs; Serg't June '79. Omt'd Nov. '79.  
 Cox, Jno., pt., Jones Co., Oct. 19, '81, 13 mo.  
 Cox, Jese, pt., Lytle's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Cook, Jno., Corp'l, Stephenson's Co., April 21, '77, 3 yrs. Omt'd Feb. '79.  
 Cook, Geo., Lt., Jarvis' Co., April 19, '77. Died May 1780.  
 Cook, Saunders, pt., Gregory's Co., May 31, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Cook, Robert, pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Cook, Allen, pt., Jones' Co., March 5, '82; w.  
 Cook, Wm., pt., Sharp's Co., 1782, 18 mos.  
 Connor, Jno., pt., Stephenson's Co., June 28, '77, 3 yrs. Died Dec. 1778.  
 Connor, Jno., pt., July 18, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Connor, Wm., pt., Montfort's Co., July 1, '79, 18 mos. Dst'd Nov. 10, '79.  
 Connor, Wm., pt., Donoho's Co., June 14, 1781, 12 mo. Omt'd in 1781.  
 Connor, Jas., pt., Lytle's Co., April 7, '81, 12 mo. Left service Ap'l 7, '82.  
 Connor, Wm., pt., Carter's Co., 1782.  
 Connor, Doshey, pt., Carter's Co., 1782. Died June 14, 1783.  
 Connor, Benj'n, pt., Sharp's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Connor, Mordicai, pt., Brevard's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Covry, Shad'k, pt., Vanois' Co., May 30, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Coulter, Levy, pt., Maj. Ash's Co., Feb. 1, '77, 2 1-2 yrs; w.  
 Cottle, Jno., pt., Coleman's Co. Omt'd Aug. 1778.  
 Copeland, Keeder, pt., Sept. 11, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Copland, Jas., pt., Quin's Co., 1779, 9 mos. Discharged Dec. '79.  
 Copland, Rich'd, pt., Quin's Co., 1779, 9 mos. Discharged Dec. '79.  
 Copland, Rich'd, pt., Blount's Co., Aug. 5, '79; w.; dst'd Oct. '79.  
 Copland, John, pt., Sharp's Co., May 2, '81, 12 mo. Omt'd in 1781.  
 Coplin, Job, pt., Lytle's Co., 1782, 18 mo. Died March 7, 1782.  
 Cooley, Jeffy, pt., Montfort's Co., July 20, '78; dest'd July 21, '78; must'd 5th Reg't Jan. '79, for 3 yrs.  
 Cooley, Wm., pt., Bradley's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Cooley, Gab'l, pt., Bradley's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Cooly, Gab'l, pt., 1779, 9 mo. Died September, '79.  
 Cornet, Bird, pt., Lt. Col's, July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Coward, Eph'm, pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Coward, Zad'k, pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Cobb, Nath'l, pt., Blount's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Cob, Henry, pt., Hall's Co., 1781, 12 mo. Left service Sept. 1, '82.  
 Corbit, Rich'd, pt., Bradley's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.

Cockbern, Jno., pt., Child's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Cotanch, Jno., pt., Child's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo; must'd, dead in Lytle's Co., 1782.  
 Corbett, Jas., Corp'l, Montfort's Co., June 29, '79, 3 yrs.  
 Corbet, Jas., Corp'l, Sharp's Co., Dec. 14, '78, 3 yrs.  
 Corey, Jno., pt., Child's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Connon, David or Edw'd, pt., Coleman's Co., Dec. 18, '81; w.  
 Colbreath, Dan'l, pt., Bradley's Co., May 20, '78, w.; dst'd Oct. 16, 1779.  
 Cominel, Frans, pt., Bradley's Co., June 30, '79, 3 yrs. Dst'd Dec. '79.  
 Cole, William, pt., Bradley's Co., Dec. 25, '77, 3 yrs. Discharged before March 30, '80.  
 Cole, Jese, pt., 1779, 9 mo. Dst'd Sept. '79.  
 Cole, Chas., pt., Donoho's Co., May 18, 1781, 12 mo. Left service May 18, '82.  
 Cornellison, Jno., pt., Montfort's Co., March 1, '79, 9 mos. Disc. Dec. 1, '79.  
 Coleman, Levy, pt., Donoho's Co., April 25, '81, 12 mo. Left serv. May 25, '82.  
 Coleman, Jno., pt., Coleman's Co., Feb. 10, '82, 12 mo.  
 Cooksey, Hez'k, pt., Sharp's Co., 1781. Time out Feb. 2, '83.  
 Cooksey, Thos., pt., Sharp's Co., 1781. Time out Feb. 2, '83.  
 Cooksey, Isaac, pt., Hall's Co., April 1, '82, 12 mo.  
 Cornelius, Jno., pt., Bailey's Co., May 2, '81, 12 mo. Left service May 2, '82.  
 Combs, Geo., pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service May 9, '82.  
 Combs, Robt., pt., Carter's Co., May 2, '81, 12 mo. Time out May 2, '82.  
 Combs, Jno., pt., Evans' Co., 1782. Dst'd June 21, '83.  
 Conn, Jno., pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service May 28, '82.  
 Conn, Benj'n, Raiford's Co., 1782, w. Dst'd April 2, '83.  
 Cogdill, Wm., pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Left service April 28, '82.  
 Coker, Josh, pt., Brevard's Co., 1781. Tran'fd Mar. 20, '83, to Va. Artillery.  
 Coggin, Robt., pt., Carter's Co., 1781, 12 mo. Time out 7 April, '82.  
 Coxey, Thos., pt., Mill's Co., 1782, 12 mo. Time out Jan. 1, '83.  
 Colston, Jas., pt., Bailey's Co., May 13, '82, 3 yrs.  
 Colwell, David, pt., Carter's Co., 1782.  
 Cofield, Sam'l, pt., Lytle's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Comber, Hugh, Corp'l, Brevard's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Colbreath, Arch'd, Serg't, Evans' Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Coroband, Wyllis, pt., must'd, dst'd Sept. '77.  
 Conaway, pt., Bacot's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Cowan, David, Lt., Ramsay's Co., March 20, '79.  
 Creef, Thos, musc., Jarvis' Co., May 14, '77, pt. June '78.  
 Creekman, Mathias, pt., w.: must'd March, '79.  
 Creed, Hazard, pt., Montford's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Crawford, Jas., pt., Montfort's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Craford, Jno., pt., Rhodes Co., 1781. Time out April 25, '82.  
 Crabb, Hilly, pt., Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Crabb, Jairah, pt., Sharp's Co., Nov. 1, '78, 9 mo.  
 Cross, Ant'y, pt., Bradley's Co., June 14, '79, 3 yrs. Omt'd Oct. '79.  
 Cross, Stephen, pt., Carter's Co., May 19, '81, 12 mo. Time out May 19, '82.  
 Crawley, David, Serg't, Montfort's Co., 1779. Omt'd Dec. '79.  
 Crow, Jas., pt., McRee's Co., April 28, '81, 12 mo. Left service April 28, '82.  
 Craimer, Jas., pt., Sharp's Co., April 15, '81, 12 mo. Left service Ap'l 15, '82.  
 Crover, Peter, pt., Walton's Co., 1781. Left service May 20, '82; time out.  
 Cronester, Jas., pt., Armstrong's Co., w. Mus'd Jan. '82.  
 Crosbyer, Wm., pt., Armstrong's Co., w. Mus'd Jan. '82; dst'd May 7, '82.  
 Crane, Stephen, pt., Yarboro's Co., 1781, 12 mo. Time out April 22, '82.  
 Criswell, Thos., pt., Jones' Co., Mar. 8, '82; w.  
 Crumety, Wm., pt., Coleman's Co., Dec. 5, '81, 12 mo.  
 Crumpton, Jas., pt., Raiford's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Crumpton, Thos., pt., Lytle's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Crews, Etheldred, pt., Lytle's Co., 1782, 18 mo.  
 Croe, Wm., pt., Brevard's Co., 1782, 18 mos. Discharged March 1, 1783.  
 Crable, Dan'l, pt., must'd, dst'd Sept., '77.  
 Cummings, Shad'k, pt., Stephenson's Co., Sept. 12, '77, 3 yrs, w. Dst'd March 1, '83.

Cummings, Jno., pt., Stephenson's Co., July 25, '77, 3 yrs. Died Dec. '78.  
 Cummings, Edw'd, pt., Quin's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Custis, Thos., pt., Quin's Co., 9 mo. Disch'd July 24, '78.  
 Curry, Robt., pt., Stephenson's Co., June 27, '77, 3 yrs. Dst'd April '78.  
 Curry, Duncan, pt., Vanois' Co., Oct. 24, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Curry, Jno., pt., Mill's Co., Oct. 4, 1782, 12 mo. Time out Oct. 4, '83.  
 Curl, Jno., pt., Ballard's Co., July 20, '78, 9 mo.  
 Curby, Wm., pt., Blount's Co., Aug. 5, '79, w. Dst'd Oct. '79.  
 Curtis, Moses, pt., McRee's Co., May 9, '81, 12 mo. Dst'd May 28, '81.  
 Cunningham, Wm., pt., Bailey's Co., May 15, '81, 12 mo. Left serv. May 15, '82.  
 Cunningham, Wm., pt., Bailey's Co., Sept. 7, '82, 18 mo.  
 Curling, Wm., pt., Armstrong's Co., w. Must'd Jan. '79.

**FIRST REGIMENT—Thos. Clark, Colonel.**

Davis, Benj'n, pt., Thomson's Co., Nov. '77, w. Discharged Feb. 28, '78.  
 Davis, Jas., pt., Thomson's Co., June 15, '77, w. Must'd Aug. '78.  
 Davis, Wm., Lt. Col., Feb. 5, 1777. Omt'd June 1778.  
 Davis, Jas., pt., Bowman's Co. Discharged May 28, '78.  
 Dennis, Robt., pt., Dixon's Co., 1777, w. In 9th Regiment 1777.  
 Dellong, Francis, musc., Dixon's Co., Sept. 13, '77, 3 yrs. w.  
 Disarn, Francis, pt., Brown's Co., 1777. Died March 12, '78.  
 Dixon, Tilman, Capt., Feb. 5, '77; must'd, pris. '81. Exchanged March '81; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Dixon, Henry, Capt., Sept. 1, '75; Major '77. See Third Regiment.  
 Dickinson, Geo., pt., Reid's Co., Aug. 8, '78, 3 yrs. w. Dst'd May 11, '79.  
 Dolohide, Silas, pt., Dixon's Co., 1777, w. Dest'd Jan. 19, '80.  
 Dorner, John, pt., Bowman's Co., 1777. Dest'd Aug., '77.  
 Douglass, Wm., pt., Dixon's Co., 1777, w.  
 Donaldson, Francis, pt., Dixon's Co., 1777, w. Dst'd May 6, '77.  
 Dondalont, Henry, pt., Tatum's Co., Jan. 26, '77, 3 yrs; Corp'l Feb. '79; discharged Jan. 27, '80.  
 Douge, Jas., pt., Ely's Co. Died May 3, 1778.  
 Douglass, Jno., pt., Reid's Co., 1776, 2 1-2 yrs. Omt'd Sept. 28, unfit for serv.  
 Donaldson, David, pt., Sharp's Co., Feb. 15, '78, 3 yrs. Dst'd May 20, '79.  
 Dowell, Jas., pt., Brown's Co., May '78, w.  
 Dunsee, Edw'd, Sergt. Bowman's Co., 1777, w. Dst'd Sept. 28, '77.  
 Dupree, Jas., Armr., June 10, '76. Omt'd Nov. '77.  
 Duncan, Jesse, pt., Reid's Co., May '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Disc'd May 28, '79.  
 Dyches, Isom, pt., Ralston's Co., 1777, w.

**SECOND REGIMENT—Alexander Martin, Colonel.**

Daves, John, Q. Mr., 1777, Lt. Col., '77; Capt. Sept. 8, '81; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Davis, Wm., Corp'l, Allen's Co., 1777. Died Sept. 11, '77.  
 Davis, Thos., Serg't, Hall's Co., 1777; Serg't-Maj. Nov. '77; pt. Feb. '78; Serg't November, '78.  
 Davis, Asa, musc., Hall's Co., 1777, w.; pt. June '78.  
 Davis, Fred'k, pt., Gee's Co., Dec. 12, '76, 3 yrs. Discharged Jan. 31, '80.  
 Davis, Zach, pt., Fenner's Co., Nov. 3, '76, 3 yrs.  
 Davis, John, pt., Vail's Co., 1777.  
 Dawson, Matthew, pt., Hall's Co., 1777. Transf'd Jan. 1, '79, to the Invalids.  
 Day, Jno., pt., Armstrong's Co., 1777, w. Died Jan. 14, '78.  
 Deal, Isaac, pt., Hall's Co., 1777. Dst'd Jan. 1, '79.  
 Deal, Wm., pt., Hall's Co., 1777. Died March 5, '78.  
 Deal, Reuben, pt., Martin's Co., 3 yrs. Died April 28, '78.  
 Dillard, Sampson, Corp'l, Gee's Co., 1777, w.; pt. Dec. '78.  
 Dodge, Jonah, musc., Hall's Co., 1777. Dst'd Feb. 10, '79.  
 Doughtry, Dempsey, pt., Hall's Co., 1777. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Dring, Thos., pt., Allen's Co., 1777. Died Sept. 11, '77.  
 Drake, Com. Sergt., Gee's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Discharged Aug. 2, '78, from His Excellency's Guards.  
 Drew, Wm., pt., Gee's Co., 1777; w.  
 Dudley, John, pt., Hall's Co., 1777, w.; Sergt. Sept. '77; pt. June '78; Sergt. Aug. '78; pt. Jan. '79. Deserted Jan. 15, '80.

Dunbar, Dunn, Corp'l, Gee's Co., Jan. 12, '76, w.; pt. Nov. '78. Dest'd April 30, 1779.

### THIRD REGIMENT—Jetho Sumner, Colonel.

Davis, Sam'l, pt., Turner's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Discharged Oct. '78.  
 Dixon, Henry, Maj., July 8, '77; Lt.-Col. May 12, '78. Died July 17, '82.  
 Dixon, Geo., musc., Granbury's Co., July '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Omt'd June '78.  
 Doudan, Sam'l, pt., Turner's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs.; pris. Sept. 11, '77.  
 Dobe, Nath'l Sergt., Granbury's Co., June '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Omt'd June '78.  
 Dunning, Jas., pt., Emmet's Co., May 15, '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Disch'd Oct. '78.

### FOURTH REGIMENT—Thomas Polk, Colonel.

Davidson, Wm., Maj., April 15, '76; Lt.-Col. Oct. '77, in 5th Regt.  
 Davison, Josh, pt., Goodman's Co., April 20, '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Disch'd Nov. 10, '78.  
 Dalley, Jerch., pt., William's Co., May 1, '76, 1 1-2 yrs. Disch'd Nov. 10, '78.  
 Darly, John, pt., William's Co., May 15, '77, w. Omt'd Sept. '77.  
 Daviess, John, pt., Goodman's Co., July 1, '77, 3 yrs. Dst'd Dec. '77; mus'd in Aug.; dest'd Sept. 22, '78.  
 Davis, Hugh, pt., Cole's Co., June 10, '77, 3 yrs. Dst'd Dec. 7, '79.  
 Derrum, Nath'l, pt., Nelson's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Disch'd June 20, '79.  
 Dilliard, Nath'l, pt., Nelson's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Disch'd June 20, '79.  
 Dilliard, Wm., pt., Williams' Co., May 15, '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Disch'd Nov. 10, '78.  
 Dillard, Orsborn, pt., Williams' Co., May 15, '77, 2 1-2 yrs. Disch'd Nov. 10, '78.  
 Dignam, Thos., pt., Williams' Co., w.  
 Dixon, Jerch., pt., Nelson's Co., 1777, 3 yrs.  
 Douglass, Wm., Q. Mr., Feb. 10, '77. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Douglas, Jno., pt., Williams' Co., May 15, '77, w. Omt'd April '78.  
 Down, John, pt., Williams' Co., w.; Corp'l Nov. 10, '78; Serg't. Jan. '80.  
 Dodson, Chas., pt., Phillips' Co., 1777, w.  
 Dodd, David, Serg't, Harris' Co., May 4, '76, 3 yrs.; pt. June '78; Corp'l Aug. '78; disch'd May 15, '79.  
 Dodd, Jesse, pt., Harris' Co., May 4, '76, w. Omt'd Sept., '77; must'd Jan. '78; dch'd May 15, '79.  
 Donally, Jno., pt., Nelson's Co., May 7, '76, 3 yrs. Omt'd Oct. '78.  
 Duncan, Robt., P. Mr., '77. Omt'd Jan. 1778.

### FIFTH REGIMENT—Edward Buncombe, Colonel.

Dawson, Levy, Major, April 15, '76; Lt. Col. Oct. 19, '77, in 8th Regt.  
 Davidson, Wm. L., Lt.-Col., Oct. 4, '77; 1st Regt. '79; retired from service Jan. 1, '81.  
 Daniel, John, Corp'l, Steadman's Co., 1777, w.; pt. '77. Died Dec. 30, '77.  
 Davis, Wyllis, pt., Williams' Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Omt'd June '78.  
 Davis, Aaron, pt., Williams' Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Darnal, Henry, Capt., Oct. 1, '76. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Deggs, Anty., Ens., Williams' Co., March 20, '77; Lt. Aug. 20, '77. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Dempsey, Squire, pt., Williams' Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Died May 17, '78.  
 Dean, Benj., pt., Enloe's Co., April 2, '77, 3 yrs. Must'd Mar. 27, for W.  
 Dennis, Hezekiah, pt., Alderson's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Died July 12, '78.  
 Diggins, Edm'd, pt., Caswell's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Dest'd Nov. '77.  
 Draper, Roger, pt., Blount's Co., 1777. Died April 16, '78.  
 Duggin, Thos., pt., Darnal's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Missing Oct. 4, '77.  
 Duggin, Jesse, pt., Darnal's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Killed Oct. 4, '77.

### SIXTH REGIMENT—Gideon Lamb, Colonel.

Davis, Granville, Sergt., Taylor's Co., April 22, '76, 2 1-2 yrs.; pt. Aug. '78; omt'd Sept. '78.  
 Davis, Arch'd, pt., Taylor's Co., 2 1-2 yrs. Omt'd Feb. '78.  
 Davis, Cyrus, Corp'l, Donoho's Co., April 29, '76; pt. June '78; disch'd Sept. 1, '78.  
 Davis, Samuel, musc., White's Co., Ap'l 29, '76, 2 1-2 yrs.; Corp'l Nov. '77; omt'd Jan. '78.

Davis, Wm., pt., White's Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. w.; dest'd May '78; must'd 5th Regt.; disch'd April '79.  
 Dennis, Abner, pt., Williams' Co., 1777, 2 1-2 yrs. Died Sept. '78.  
 Dennis, Wm., pt., Williams' Co., Ap'l 16, '76, 2 1-2 yrs. Disch'd Nov. 10, '78.  
 Desern, Fred'k, pt., Child's Co., 1777, w. Disch'd Jan. 20, '80.  
 Dixon, Henry, pt., Donoho's Co., 2 1-2 yrs. Died Aug. '77.  
 Dixon, Chas., Ensign, McRee's Co., Ap'l 2, '77; P. Mr. Jan. '78; do Feb. 8, '79; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Dixon, Jno., pt., Child's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Omt'd Sept. '78.  
 Dixon, Joel, pt., Child's Co., June 2, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Dickinson, Rich'd, Ensn., Doherty's Co., April 2, '77; Lt. Oct. 10, '77; dismissed from service Nov. 20, '79.  
 Douglas, Jno., pt., Taylor's Co., w. Omt'd Sept. '77.  
 Donoho, Thos., Capt., Sept. 10, '76; Major Oct. 13, '81; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Dowling, Dennis, pt., White's Co., April 29, '76. Omt'd Nov. '77.  
 Doherty, Geo., Capt., Oct. 28, '76. Promoted Maj. July 17, '82; deranged Jan. 1, '83.  
 Dudley, Thos., musc., Donoho's Co., 1777, w. Omt'd Jan. '78. See him forward as Lieutenant.  
 Dudley, Geo., Corp'l, Dougherty's Co., 1777. Disch'd Oct. 27, '77.

#### SEVENTH REGIMENT—James Hogan, Colonel.

Daws, Abm., Adjt., Dec. 22, 1776. Resigned Nov. 22, '77.  
 Daws, Jonah, Qr. Mr., July 10, '77. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Daniel, Josh, musc., Dawson's Co., 1778, 3 yrs. Dead July '77.  
 Dawson, Hy., Capt., Nov. 28, '76. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Dayley, Joshua., Lt., Pointer's Co., Dec. 12, '76; Capt. Oct. 12, '77. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Davenport, Asahel, Corp'l., Walker's Co., 1777, 3 yrs; pt. Oct. '77. Omt'd Dec. '77.  
 Dailey, Jno., Serg't, Pointer's Co., Jan. 8, '77; pt. Jan. '78. Died Dec. 15, '77.  
 Dairs, David, pt., Pointer's Co., Jan. 15, '77, 3 yrs. Dest'd Aug. '77.  
 Dillon, Benj., Ens'n, Walker's Co., Nov. 28, '76; Lt. Oct. 12, '77. Omt'd Jan. '78; must'd 4th Regt. Feb. '79.  
 Douge, Griffin, Corp'l, Pointer's Co., May '77, 3 yrs.  
 Douge, Joab, musc.c, Pointer's Co., May 11, '77, 3 yrs.  
 Doniho, Henry, pt., McGlauhan's Co., Jan. 26, '77, 3 yrs. Dest'd Aug. '77.  
 Duke, Buckner, pt., Macon's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Dest'd Aug. '77.  
 Duke, Jas., pt., Dawson's Co., Dec. 25, '77, 3 yrs.

#### EIGHTH REGIMENT—James Armstrong, Colonel.

Dawson, Levy, Lt.-Col., Oct. 19, 1777. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Delaney, John, pt., Walch's Co., April 1, '77, 3 yrs; pris. June 1, '79; must'd Nov. '79.  
 Delaney, Atichl., Sergt., Walch's Co., 1777; pt. Nov. '78. Omt'd Sept. '78.  
 Dennis, Wm., Lt., Tartanson's Co., Nov. 28, '77; Capt. Sept. 20, '77. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Dennis, Jno., pt., Tartanson's Co., 1777. Gone home Nov. 25, 1777.  
 Duffell, Thos., pt., Ralford's Co., March 17, '77.  
 Dye, Hopkins, pt., Walch's Co., Jan. 5, '77, 3 yrs; discharged Jan. 31, '80.  
 Dyson, Thos., pt., Walch's Co., 3 yrs.; musc. Feb. 1, '80.

#### NINTH REGIMENT—John Williams, Colonel.

Daniel, Jas., Lt. Wade's Co., Nov. 28, '76. Resigned Nov., '77.  
 Dennis, Robt., pt. Cook's Co., 1777. Died March 6, '78.  
 Dickerson, Nath'l, Lt., Wade's Co., Nov. 28, '76. Omt'd Jan. '78; must'd May '79, 5th Regt.  
 Dobbins, Hugh, Lt., McCrary's Co., 1777. Omt'd Jan. '78.  
 Doherty, Jno., pt., Cook's Co., 1777, 3 yrs. Dest'd Aug. '77.

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## GOVERNOR JOSIAH MARTIN'S PROCLAMATION.

North Carolina: By His Excellency Josiah Martin, Esq., His Majesties Capt. General, Governour, and Commander-in-Chief in and over the said Province.

## A PROCLAMATION.

"Whereas, a most daring, horrid and unnatural Rebellion has been excited in this Province, against his Majesty and his Government by base and insidious artifices of certain traterous, wicked and designing Men, and the same is now openly avowed and declared and threatens the total subversion of the Laws and Constitution of the said Province and the Liberties and Privileges of his Majesties subjects, inhabitants thereof, I have thought fit to issue this Proclamation hereby to signify to all his Majesties liege subjects, inhabitants thereof that I found it necessary for the safety and preservation of their rights, Civil and Religious, and for the Maintenance of his Majesties Government, against the said desperate and unnatural Rebellion to erect his Majesties Royal Standard and to Collect and unite the force of his Majesties faithful people, under the same for the purposes of resisting and subduing, with the assistance of the Almighty, the said impious and unnatural Rebellion, and to restore the just rights and authority of his Majesties power and Government & the Liberties of his people. And I do hereby exort and require and Command in the King's name all his Majesties faithful subjects on their duty, and Allegiance forthwith to repair to the Royal Standard, hereby promising and assuring every aid, support and encouragement, to all such as shall come forth to vindicate & support the violated Laws and Constitution of their Country, at the same time pronouncing all such as do not join the Royal Cause Rebels & Traitors, their Lives & properties to be forfeited, and such as join shall be forgiven all past offences, not doubting but that every man who knows the value of Freedom and the blessings of a British subject, will join his heart and hand to restore to his Country that most Glorious, True and happy Constitution which the most desperate and abandoned Traitors only can wish to disturb, or alter, or in a time of danger for the present, forbear to hazard everything that is dear to support it.

"God save the King."

JO. MARTIN.

Bah! His Excellency Josiah Martin, &c., &c.

To Allen McDonald, Donnel McDonnel, Alexander McLeod, Daniel McLeod, Alexander McClean, Allen Stewart, William Campbell, Alex. McDonnold and Neil McArthur, Esquires, of the County of

Cumberland and Anson; John Pyle, Esquire, of the County of Chatham; William Field, James Hunter, Robert Fields, Jeremiah Fields and Jarymore York, Esqurs., of the County of Guilford; Michael Holt and James Monro, Esquires, of the County of Orange; Paul Barringer, Esqr., of the County of Mecklenburg; William Spurgian, William Bryan, Samuel Bryan and Mathias Sappingfield, Esquires, of the County of Rowan; Gideon Wright and James Glyn, Esq., of the County of Surry; and Philemon Hawkins, Senior, and Philemon Hawkins, Junior, Esquires, of the County of Bute:

I, reposing especial trust & Confidence in your Loyalty, Courage, Prudence and fidelity, do by virtue of the Powers & Authorities in me vested by his Majesty, hereby commissionate, authorize & empower you whose names are above written and each and every of you to erect the King's Standard and to raise, levy & array in arms all his Majesty's loyal & faithful subjects within your respective Counties or in any part or parts of this Province, who are willing and ready to repair to the royal Banner for the support of the Laws and Constitution thereof against the most horrid and unnatural Rebellion that has been excited therein by traitorous, wicked & designing Men & now threatens the subversion of his Majesty's Government & the utter destruction of the Right & Liberties of his Majesty's People, & I hereby give & grant to you power & authority to form the forces you shall so raise into Companies of fifty men each, & to appoint one Captain, one Lieutenant & an Ensign to every Company so formed, whose appointment as well as this Commission shall be good, valid and effectual during my Pleasure, and I do hereby give to each and every of you full power & authority to seize and take whatsoever may be necessary of Arms, Ammunition, Provisions, Horses and Carriages for the subsistence & accommodation of his Majesty's faithful subjects, whom you shall assemble in Arms for the purpose aforesaid. You giving Receipts for the same or keeping account thereof, that satisfaction may be made to the Owner or Owners, if they are not engaged in rebellion.

And I do hereby give to each and every of you full power and authority to resist and oppose all Rebels and Traitors against his Majesty & his Government, by force & arms & to apprehend & seize & detain them, their accomplices & abettors & you are hereby required immediately & with all possible secrecy to concert a plan of general Rendezvous for your forces, thence to march in a body by such Route as you shall Judge proper to Brunswick, so ordering your movements that you may reach that Town on the fifteenth day of February next ensuing, making prisoners in your way all such persons as you know to be principals or active in Rebellion, taking all possible



care that Women & Children are unmolested, that no cruelty whatever be committed to sully the Honor & Arms of Britons & freemen employed in the glorious & Righteous Cause of rescuing & delivering their Country from the usurpation of Rebellion & that no violence be done against the laws of Humanity, but Resistance shall be necessary to the end that the people who have been deluded into Rebellion may be sensible it is his Majesty's most gracious and royal Intention & my Earnest desire to reclaim them to a proper sense of their duty & obedience to lawful Government without involving the Country in the horrors of war if by timely & dutiful submission they make such extremities avoidable.

And whereas there may be many of his Majesty's faithful subjects in this Province whose merits and influence may qualify them to take part in the execution of this Commission whom I have omitted for want of knowledge of them & their Principals & their good Dispositions, I do hereby give full Power & Authority to you who are herein named to Join with you in the Execution of the Powers granted to you, by this commission every such Person or Persons as you shall deem worthy of such high Trust and Confidence hereby declaring that each & every such Person or Persons as you shall think fit to join with you in the Execution of these Presents shall have equal power & authority as if they were herein particularly named.

In pursuance of the Trust reposed in you.

Given under my Hand & Seal at Arms on Board his Majesty's Sloop Scorpion, in Cape Fear River, this Tenth day of January, 1776, & in the fifteenth year of his Majesty's Reign.

Vera Copia.

JO. MARTIN.

# ABSTRACT OF BERTIE COUNTY MARRIAGE BONDS.

(Originals in office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, at Windsor, N. C.)

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1820.

Baker, Samuel and Lizzie Baker. Sept. 18. Jesse Wood.  
Granberry, Sam'l and Patsey Bailey. Feb. 18. Jas. Rutland.  
King, Timothy and Nancy Garrett. Jan. 13. Wm. King.  
Morgan, Seth and Delilah Smith. Jan. 19. Harry Phelps.  
Phelps, Henry and Martha Brown. Jan. 19. Seth Morgan.  
South, Samuel and Clarissa Hyman. Aug 30.

1821.

Brown, Rowan and Celia Peele. March 5. Harry Phelps.  
Cobb, John H. and Harriet Castellow. April 28. Jas. McGlauchon.  
Early, Thomas and Betsey Mitchell. Sept. 25. Lod Jenkins.  
Jones, Jas. C. and Lavinia Brickell. Sept. 6. Jno. W. Willoughby.  
Layton, Stephen and Angy Ray. April 13. Jno. Miller.  
Miller, John and Penny Ray. Jan. 30. Wm. Mizell.  
Morris, James and Tempe Willoughby. Sept. 6. Jno. W. Willoughby.

Outlaw, James and Nancy Floyd. Feb. 20.  
Pritchard, Alsey and Phebe Jernagan. Oct. 3.  
Parker, Wm. and Elizabeth Lewis. March 3. Elisha Parker.  
Wynns, Wm. Watkins and Mary Williford. May. 14. G. Wynns.  
Watrerridge, Wm. and Mildred Thompson. March 31. Wm. Deanes.  
Wynn, John and Leedy Harrell. Dec. 18. Jeremiah Outlaw.

1822.

Weston, Wm. and Susanna Hoggard. Jan. 1. Zaccheus Champion.

1823

Combs, Jesse and Betsey Allen. Dec. 20. Wm. Overton.  
James, Wm. and Marina Butler. Feb. 25. Benj. Bartlett.  
Patterson, Moses and Marina Swett. Dec. 4. Godwin Cotten.  
Reed, Johnston and Winney Pugh. Dec. 2. J. Simons.

1824

Barnacastle, Sam'l and Matilda Jones. 1824. B. Barnacastle.  
Blackston, Thos. H. and Elizabeth Boyce. Dec. 10. J. S. Tayloe.  
Combs, Jesse and Betsey Brogdon. Jan. 1. Wm. Overton.  
Dawson, James and Maria Jordan. Jan. 11.

Deanes, Peterson and Martha Walker. Aug. 12. Wm. Deanes.  
Hunt, Malachi and Sarah H. Cooper. May 12. Jno. W. Cole.  
Hoggard, David and Sally Meezles. Jan. 3. Jno. Mizell.  
Parker, Abraham and Elizabeth Baker. July 13. Dan'l Powell.  
Skiles, Chas. P. and Mary Capps. Aug. 7. Wm. Johnston.

1825.

Cobb, Harmon W. and Prudence Bowen. Jan. 20. C. Bowen.

1826.

Gaskins, Thomas and Frances Rea. Dec. 13.  
Haywood, John and Rebecca Palmer. Dec. 26. Geo. B. Outlaw.  
Marshall, Sam'l and Mary Stone. Dec. 26. Nazareth Williford.  
Williams, James and Nancy Henry. Dec. 27.  
Yeates, Edward and Eliz Seals, Sr. Dec. 23. Sam'l South.

1827.

Butler, Leven and Harriet Mizells. March 10. Wm. Mitchell.  
Blume, Benj. B. and Eliz Godwin. April 5. M. B. D. Palmer.  
Bowen, Cornelius and Charlotte Todd. May 2. Jesse Bowen.  
Bird, Richard and Clarissa Butler. Aug. 13. Wm. H. Green.  
Byrum, ——— and Nancy Page. Aug. 30. Jas. Tucker.  
Bishop, Wm. and Mary Horn. Sept. 29. Thos. Ruffin.  
Cowand, Bennett and Nannie Johnston. Oct. 29. Reuben White.  
Castellow, James and Kiddy Hoggard. Feb. 16. C. Capehart.  
Calloway, John and Anna Temples. June 21. Saul South.  
Conley, Peter M. and Jessey Williford. July 7. Mat. B. Palmer.  
Carter, Thomas and Ailsey Mizell. Aug. 2. Elijah Raynor.  
Cherry, Wm. W. and Mary Etheridge. Aug. 6.  
Drew, Whitnell H. and Eliz Butler. Oct. 13. Wm. H. Green.  
Davis, Thomas and Eliz Swain. Feb. 28. Wm. Swain.  
Fife, John and Judeth Thomas. March 23. Wm. W. Cherry.  
Garrett, Amariah and Eliz Copeland. Oct. 4. Sam'l G. Hyman.  
Haze, Lodwick and Mary Jenkins. Jan. 6. Lodowick Jenkins.  
Hornsby, Sam'l and Winnefred Moore. April 1. Jno. Stewart.  
Hodder, James and Sally Lednum. June 13. Sam'l South.  
Hoggard, Drew and Patsey Miers. July 17. Lydia Spivey.  
King, Noah and Sarah F. Rascoe. Aug. 29. P. M. Conley.  
Myers, George and Eliz Kale. Feb. 15. Sam'l Horn.  
Myles, Isaac and Nancy Thomas. March 10. Wm. M. Asbell.  
Morris, Matthew and Penelope Jernigan. March 23. Wm. Watford.  
Morgan, ——— and Offa Curry. June 1. Chas. Cobb.  
Mitchell, Wright and Martha Ann Outlaw. Dec. 19.  
Pender, Riddick and Nancy Hambleton. June 4. Wm. Hambleton.  
Plummer, Wm. and Eliza Armistead. June 18. J. R. Lloyd.  
Powell, Cader and Celia Williams. June 27. Geo. Jenkins.

Peele, James and Harriet Acree. Dec. 17.  
 Rhea, Simon D. and Eliz Hodges. April 7. P. M. Conley.  
 Rowe, Micajah and Nancy Rhodes. May 15. Blake D. Raby.  
 Ryan, Marcus C. and Margaret E. Leggett. Dec. 20. David Ryan.  
 Sessoms, Harrell B. and Harriet Eason. July 2. Jas. S. Beck.  
 Tayloe, Abraham and Nancy Pike. Aug 8. Jesse Farmer.  
 Urquhart, Richard A. and Mary R. Norfleet. Jan. 5. A. Andrews.  
 White, George and Patsey Powell. April 7. Medy White.  
 Webb, Thos. B. and Sally T. Nicholls. July 5. Jno. B. Williams.  
 Williford, Wm. and Jennett Early. July 7. John Leicester.  
 Williford, James and Jersey Capehart. July 19. Levy Castellaw.  
 Weston, Thomas S. and Martha Gregory. July 7. E. B. Weston.  
 Yeates, William and Ava Waters. June 13. Sam'l South.

1828.

Baker, David and Polly Jernigan. Jan. 17. Lewis Jernigan.  
 Butler, Wm. and Judah Hughes. Feb. 11. Wm. Watford.  
 Bazemore, Peyton and Penelope Johnston. Feb. 20. Jos. Thomas.  
 Bizzell, Elisha and Betsey Love. May 22.  
 Butler, Ryan and Betsey Boswell. June 14.  
 Bowen, Edward and Harriet Myers. Aug. 21. Joshua Bowen.  
 Cullipher, Wm. and Eliz Barnes. Jan. 21. Wm. Barnes.  
 Conly, Peter M. and Harriet Green. March 15. Will Landrum.  
 Cook, Alfred and Martha Glisson. April 3. Whitmell Higgs.  
 Cobb, Thomas and Huldah Bowen. May 22. Jno. Keeter.  
 Early, Asa and Sarah Williford. July 3. Jas. Williford.  
 Griffin, Willie and Martha Thomas. March 1. W. C. Byrd.  
 Hoggard, Edward and Penny Culipher, Nov. 29. Cullen Bunch.  
 Johnston, Hardy H. and Temperance Butler. June 12.  
 Keeter, John and Creecy Cullipher. Oct. 15. John Johnston.  
 Mizell, George and Nancy Gaskins. Jan. 22. Aaron Mizell.  
 Manley, King and Nancy Hill. July 3.  
 Peale, Amos and Nancy Davison. Feb. 14. Edw'd Hardy.  
 Pilant, Enoch and Fanny Minton. March 8.  
 Pugh, Francis R. and Mary Ann Rascoe. Dec. 15. Jona S. Tayloe.  
 Rascoe, James and Mrs. Ann E. Rhodes. Jan. 29. Sam'l South.  
 Rascoe, John and Eliz Weston. April 8.  
 Rutland, Norsworthy and Eliz Rutland. May 12. R. H. Barnes.  
 Rayner, Sam'l and Harriet Coward. June 25. Rich'd P. Freeman.  
 Todd, James and Mary Mitchell. June 19. Aquila Todd.  
 Worley, Wm. and Martha A. Frame. March 20. Gray B. King.  
 Williams, Leroy and Sally Hyman. May 12. Aquila Hyman.  
 Weston, Ephraim and Harriet Hyman. July 16. Thos. S. Weston.

1829.

Cullipher, John and Thamer Hawkins. Jan. 10. Nath'l Miller.  
Maer, William and Mary Rayner. Dec. 24. W. Blanchard.  
Johnston, Thos. and Mary Neil. Aug. 29. Ephraim B. Weston.  
Stall, Jesse and Nancy Parker. May 6. Luke Parker.  
Thomas, John and Sarah Rayner. May 13. John Thomas.

1830.

Britton, Rich'd. O. and Margaret E. Spivey. Nov. 10. Jos. D. White.  
Harrell, Starkey S. and Mary Ann Askew. Nov. 9. Geo. Askew.  
Mhoon, Shadrick and Winnefred Bunch. Nov. 18. J. S. Tayloe.  
Mitchell, George and Aggy Holder. Dec. 20. Geo. Mitchell.  
Pierce, Abington and Harriet Cullipher. Dec. 22.  
Pugh, Isaac and Nancy White. April 24. W. R. White.  
Page, Solomon and Sally Holland. April 20. Joshua M. Page.  
Perry, Wright and Kiddy Morris. March 10. Jeremiah Outlaw.

1831.

Byrum, Ira and Kizzie Barnes. Jan. 4. Geo. Holoman.  
Bazemore, Reddin and Hannah Thomas. April 11. M. Thomas.  
Castellaw, Henry D. and Sally Spruill. Sept. 28. Jas. Davis.  
Conner, William and Lavinia Minton. Feb. 14. Wright Connor.  
Hoggard, Jesse and Acely Brogdon. Jan. 27. Seth Hoggard.  
Johnston, Luke and Lucretia Barber. Mch. 8. J. C. Barnacastle.  
Jones, Burrell H. and E. C. Veale. June 2. Thos. J. Pugh.  
Lawrence, Aquila and Mary Mason. Jan'y 1.  
Langley, Wm. T. and Mary Shaw. Nov. 23. Sam'l Shaw.  
Luten, Henry and Martha Cole. Feb. 7. Powell Bridger.  
Peele, Exum and Elizabeth Wilkes. May 3. James Gray.  
Ray, Lamb and Penny Gregory. Jan. 6. Thos. Ray.  
Rayner, Jas. R. and Frances Lawrence. Feb. 26. H. D. Johnston.  
Todd, Wm. and Ann Curry. Jan. 22. Wm. Todd.  
Thomas, Michael and Betsey Johnson. Aug. 4. Reddin Bazemore.  
White, John and Frances Hoggard. May 18. Jno. B. Williams.  
Waterman, John and Elizabeth Rawls. July 6. Jno. Stewart.

1832.

Brantley, Edward and Clarissa Cole. May 10. Zach Ellyson.  
Cobb, Hardy and Jersey Cole. Aug. 27. Jesse Brown.  
Davis, Joshua and Nancy Daughtry. June 26.  
Johnston, Thos. and Nancy Outlaw. July 4. Nathan Cullifer.  
Keeter, William and Cynthia Phelps. June 5. Willie Griffin.  
Langdale, George and Milly Seawell. May 18. Jos. Johnston.  
Mitchell, Wm. W. and Martha Williford. Oct. 1.  
Mitchell, Jeremiah and Sarah Morris. Dec. 4. Wm. W. Cherry.

Miller, Riddick and Martha Mansfield. Nov. 15. W. W. Cherry.  
 Pierce, Turner and Ann Garrett. Dec. 19. John Moore.  
 Spivey, Aaron and Margaret Bond. Mch. 3. Thos. Gilliam.  
 Spivey, Levin and Margaret Baker. Aug. 30. Jona Standley.  
 Thomas, G. E. and Dicey Rayner. Oct. 30. Jona S. Tayloe.  
 White, Solomon and Kiddy Coward. April 10. Wm. Coward.  
 Webb, Jona R. and Martha Magruder. Oct. 11. M. C. Ryan.  
 Williams, William and Mary Eliza White. Oct. 11. Levi Hughes.  
 1833.

Butterton, Charles and Elizabeth Thomas. Jan. 1. Willie Griffin.  
 Bowen, Jesse and Margaret Gregory. April 25. W. C. Bird.  
 Cone, William and Mary Parker. Oct. 7. Lemuel Williams.  
 Conner, Noah and Harriet Castellaw. Feb. 9. J. H. Rhodes.  
 Freeman, Richard P. and Sarah L. J. Worley. Sept. 5. W. F.  
 Moring.

Gaskins, David, Jr. and Ellen Cook. Oct. 23. Wm. Moring.  
 Hopkins, Colin and Nancy Rayner. May 30. Wm. Watson.  
 Johnston, Dempsey and Mary Jones. Oct. 5. Thos. Burke.  
 Myrick, Joshua and Temperance A. Tyler. Jan. 5. C. C. Tyler.  
 Ramsey, Allen and Sarah Winborne. May 13. W. H. Green.  
 Ryan, David and Hannah Garland. July 18. M. C. Ryan.  
 Tyler, Calvin C. and Adaline Williford. Sept. 3. Aaron O. Askew.  
 1834.

Cullifer, Nath'l and Nelly Miller. May 30. Miles Cullipher.  
 Henry Hampton and Harriet Hobbs. Jan. 11. Jas. V. Reed.  
 Harrell, Powel and Harriet Rice. May 3. David Harrell.  
 Hoggard, Edward and Mary Marshall. Oct. 2. Aaron S. Mizell.  
 Johnston, Henry and Elizabeth Green. Feb. 13. Wm. Weston.  
 Mitchell, Wm. W. and Martha E. Mitchell. June 15. W. Mitchell.  
 Owens, Timothy and Retta Cullipher. April 3. Wm. Simons.  
 Pierce, William and Frances Whitley. May 1. David Brown.  
 Phelps, Abram and Sarah Butler. May 13. Thos. Bazemore.  
 Rayner, Wm. and Nelly Eliza Drew. May 20. A. Oxley.  
 Skiles, Richard and Mary Leggett. Feb. 25. Marcus C. Ryan.  
 Williams, Elisha and Harriet Ward. Feb. 19. Wm. Williams.  
 White, George and Elizabeth Gaskins. May 14. Benj. Gaskins.  
 Waller, Bryan and Martha Tadlock. May 27.  
 Yeates, Solomon and Elizabeth Davis. Jan. 1.

Up to 1835 these are all the marriage bonds we have been thus far able to find in the court house at Windsor, but hope on our next visit, to be able to secure others, as we propose to make a thorough search and secure an abstract of all we can find. There are a very large and unusual number missing.—EDITOR.

## GEN. GEORGE WASHINGTON TO GOV. ALEX. MARTIN.

HEAD QUARTERS, NEWBURG, June 14th 1783.

SIR:— The great object for which I had the honor to hold an appointment in the service of my Country being accomplished, I am now preparing to resign it into the hands of Congress, and to return to that domestic retirement which it is well known I left with the greatest reluctance, a retirement for which I have never ceased to sigh through a long and painful absence, and in which (remote from the noise and trouble of the World), I meditate to pass the remainder of my life in a state of undisturbed repose. But before I carry this resolution into effect, I think it a duty incumbent on me to make this, my last Official Communication, to congratulate you on the glorious events which Heaven has been pleased to produce in our favor, to offer some sentiments respecting some important subjects which appear to me to be intimately connected with the tranquility of the United States, to take my leave of your Excellency as a public Character, and to give my final blessing to that Country in whose service I have spent the prime of my life, for whose sake I have consumed so many anxious days and watchful nights, and whose happiness being extremely dear to me, will always constitute no inconsiderable part of my own.

Impressed with the liveliest sensibility on this pleasing occasion, I will claim the indulgence of dilating the more copiously on the subjects of our mutual felicitation. When we consider the magnitude of the prize we contended for, the doubtful nature of the contest, and favorable manner in which it has terminated, we shall find the greatest pleasure and reason for gratitude and rejoicing. This is a theme that will afford delight to every benevolent and liberal mind, whether the event in contemplation be considered as the source of present enjoyment or the parents of future happiness; and we shall have equal occasion to felicitate ourselves on the lot which Providence has assigned us, whether we view it in a natural, a political or a moral point of light.

The Citizens of America placed in the most enviable condition as the sole Lords and proprietors of a vast tract of Continent comprehending all the various soils and climates of the World; and abounding with all the necessities and conveniences of life, are now by the late satisfactory pacification acknowledged to be possessed of absolute freedom and independency. They are from this period to be considered as the Actors on a most conspicuous Theatre, which seems to be peculiarly designated by Providence for the display of human greatness and felicity; here they are not only surrounded by everything which can contribute to the completion of private and domestic enjoy-

ment but Heaven has crowned all its other blessings by giving a fairer opportunity for political happiness than any other nation has ever been favored with. Nothing can illustrate these observations more forcibly than a recollection of the happy conjuncture of times and circumstances under which our republic assumed its rank among the nations. The foundation of our Empire was not laid in the gloomy age of ignorance and superstition, but at an Epoch when the rights of mankind were better understood and more clearly designed, than at any former period. The researches of the human mind after social happiness, have been carried to a great extent, the treasures of knowledge acquired by labour of Philosophers, Sages and legislators, thro' a long succession of years, are laid open for our use, and their collected Wisdom may be happily applied in the establishment of our forms of Government, the free cultivation of letters, the unbounded extension of Commerce, the progressive refinement of manners, the growing liberality of sentiment, and above all the pure and benign light of revelation have had ameliorating influence on mankind and increased the blessings of society. At this auspicious period the United States came into existence as a nation, and if their Citizens should not be completely free and happy, the fault will be entirely their own. Such is our situation and such are our prospects; but notwithstanding the cup of blessing is thus reached out to us, notwithstanding that happiness is ours if we have a disposition to seize the occasion and make it our own, yet it appears to me there is an option still left the United States of America that it rests in their choice and depends upon their conduct whether they will be respectable and prosperous, or contemptible and miserable as a Nation. This is the time of their political probation, this is the moment when the eyes of the whole world are turned upon them, this is the moment to establish or ruin their national character forever, this is the favorable moment to give such a tone to our Federal Government as will enable it to answer the ends of its institution, or this may be the ill fated moment for relaxing the powers of the Union, annihilating the cement of the Confederation and exposing us to become the sport of European politics which may play one State against another, to prevent their growing importance, and to serve their own interested purposes; for according to the system of policy the States shall adopt at this moment they will stand or fall; and by their confirmation or lapse it is yet to be decided whether the resolution is ultimately to be considered as a blessing or a curse—a blessing or a curse not to the present age alone, for with our fate will the destiny of unborn millions be involved. With this conviction of the importance of the present crisis, silence in me would be a crime. I will therefore speak to your Excellency the language of freedom and sincerity



without disguise. I am aware, however, that those who differ from me in political sentiment may perhaps remark that I am stepping out of the proper line of my duty, and they may possibly ascribe to arrogance or ostentation what I know is alone the result of the purest intentions, but the rectitude of my own heart which disdains such unworthy motives, the part I have hitherto acted in life, the determination I have formed of not taking any share in public business hereafter, the ardent desire I feel, and shall continue to manifest by quietly in private life, after all the toils of War, the benefits of a wise and liberal Government will I flatter myself sooner or later convince my countrymen that I could have no sinister views in delivering with so little reserve, the opinions contained in this address. There are four things which I humbly conceive are essential to the well-being, I may even venture to say to the very existence of the United States as an independent power.

1. An indissoluble Union of the States under a Federal Head.
2. A Policy Sacred to public Justice.
3. The adoption of a proper peace establishment, &c.
4. The prevalence of that pacific and friendly disposition among the people of the United States which will induce them to forget their local prejudices and policies, to make those general concessions which are requisite to the general prosperity and in some instances to sacrifice their individual advantages to the interest of the Community.

These are the pillars on which the glorious fabrick of our Independency and National Character must be supported. Liberty is the basis and whoever would dare to sap the foundation, or overturn the structure under whatever specious pretence he may attempt it, will merit the bitterest execrations and the severest punishment which can be inflicted by his injured Country.

On the three first Articles I will make a few observations, leaving the last to the good sense and serious consideration of those immediately concerned. Under the first head, although it may not be necessary or proper for me in this place to enter into the particular disquisition of the principles of the Union, and to take up the great question which has been frequently agitated, whether it be expedient and requisite for the States to delegate a larger proportion of power to Congress or not, yet it will be a part of my duty, and that of every true patriot, to assert without reserve and to insist upon the following positions: That unless the States will suffer Congress to exercise those prerogatives they are undoubtedly vested with by the Constitution, everything must very rapidly tend to anarchy and Confusion, that it is indispensable to the happiness of the individual States that there should be some where lodged a supreme power to regulate and govern the General concerns of Confederated republic: without

which the Union cannot be of long duration that there must be a faithful and pointed compliance on the part of every State, with the late proposals and demands of Congress, or the most fatal consequences will ensue, that whatever measures have tendency to dissolve the Union or violate or lessen the Sovereign Authority, ought to be considered as hostile to the Liberty and independence of America and the authors of them treated accordingly; and lastly, that unless we can be enabled by the concurrence of the States to participate in the fruits of resolution, and enjoy the essential benefits of Civil Society, under a form of Government so free and uncorrupted, so happily guarded against the danger of oppression as has been devised and adopted by the articles of Confederation, it will be a subject of regret that so much blood and treasure have been lavished to no purpose, that so many sufferings have been encountered without a compensation, and that so many sacrifices have been made in vain.

Many other considerations might be here adduced to prove that without an entire conformity to the Spirit of the Union we cannot exist as an independent power. It will be sufficient for my purpose to mention but one or two which seem to me of the greatest importance. It is only in our United Character as an Empire that our Independence is acknowledged, that our power can be regarded or our credit supported among foreign nations. The treaties of the European Powers with the United States of America will have no validity on a dissolution of the Union; we shall be left nearly in a State of nature, or we may find by our own unhappy experience that there is a natural and necessary progression from extreme anarchy to extreme tyranny, and that Arbitrary power is most easily established on the ruins of liberty abused to licentiousness. As to the second Article which respects the performance of public Justice, Congress have in their late address to the United States almost exhausted the subject. They have explained their Ideas so fully and have enforced the Obligation of the States to render complete Justice to the Public Creditors with so much dignity and energy, that in my opinion no real friend to honor and Independency of America can hesitate a single moment respecting the propriety of complying with the Just and honorable measures proposed if their arguments do not produce conviction. I know of nothing that will have greater influence, especially when we recollect that the system referred to being the result of the collected wisdom of the Continent must be esteemed, if not perfect, certainly the least objectionable of any that could be devised, and that if it shall not be carried into immediate execution bankruptcy with all its deplorable consequences will take place before any different plan can be proposed and adopted, so pressing are the present circumstances and such is the alternative now offered to the States.

The ability of the Country to discharge the debts which have been incurred in the defense is not to be doubted. An inclination I flatter myself will not be wanting. The part of our duty is plain before us. Honesty will be found on every experiment to be the best and only true policy, let us then as a Nation be just, let us then fulfil our public Contracts which Congress had undoubtedly a right to make for the purpose of carrying on the War, with the same good faith we suppose ourselves bound to perform our private engagements. In the meantime, let our attention to the cheerful performance of their proper business as individuals and as members of Society be earnestly inculcated in the Citizens of America. Then will they strengthen the hands of Government, and be happy under its protection; every one will reap the fruit of his labours; every one will enjoy his own acquisitions without molestation and without danger.

In this State of absolute freedom and perfect security, who will grudge to yield a very little of his property to support the common Interests of Society and insure the protection of Government? Who does not remember the frequent declarations at the commencement of the War, that we should be completely satisfied if at the expence of one-half we could defend the remainder of our possessions? Where is the man who wishes to remain indebted for the defense of his own person and bravery to the exertions, the bravery and blood of others without making one generous effort to repay the debt of honor and of gratitude? In what part of the Continent shall we find any man or body of men, who would not blush to stand up and propose measures calculated to rob the Soldier of his Stipend, and the public Creditor of his due? And were it possible that such a flagrant instance of Injustice could ever happen, would it not excite the general indignation and tend to bring down upon the authors of such measures the aggravated Vengeance of Heaven?

If after all, a spirit of disunion of a temper of obstinacy and perverseness should manifest itself in any of the States, if such an ungracious disposition should attempt to frustrate all the happy effects that might be expected to flow from the Union if there should be a refusal to comply with the requisitions of Congress for funds to discharge the annual interest of the public Debts, and if that refusal should revive again all those jealousies and produce all those evils which are now happily removed, Congress, who have in all their Transactions shown a great degree of Magnanimity, will stand Justified in the sight of God and Man and the State alone which puts itself in opposition to the aggregate wisdom of the Continent, and follows such pernicious and mistaken Councils, will be responsible for all the Consequences.

For my own part, conscious of having acted while a servant of the

public in the manner I conceived best suited to promote the real Interests of my country, having in consequence of my fixed belief, in some measure pledged myself to the Army, that their country would do them complete and ample Justice, and not wishing to conceal any instance of my Official conduct from the eyes of the world, relative to the half pay and commutation granted by Congress to the Officers of the Army.

From these communications my decided sentiments will be clearly comprehended, together with the conclusive reasons which induced me at an early period to recommend the adoption of this measure in the most earnest and serious manner. As the proceedings of Congress, the Army and myself are open to all, and contain in my opinion sufficient information to remove the prejudices and errors which may have been entertained by any; I think it unnecessary to say anything more than just to observe, that the Resolutions of Congress now alluded to are undoubtedly as absolutely binding upon the United States as the most solemn Acts of Confederation or Legislation. As to the idea which I am informed has in some instances prevailed, that the half pay and commutation are to be regarded merely in the odious light of pension, it ought to be exploded forever, that provision should be viewed as it really was, a reasonable compensation offered by Congress when they had nothing else to give, to Officers of the Army for services then to be performed. It was the only means to prevent a total dereliction of service, it was a part of their hire; I may be allowed to say it was the price of their blood, and of our Independency, it is therefore more than a common debt, it is a debt of honor; it can never be considered a pension of gratuity, nor be cancelled until it is fairly discharged. With regard to the distinction between Officers and Soldiers, it is sufficient that the Uniform experience of every nation of the World combined without one, proves the utility and propriety of the discrimination, rewards in proportion to the aids the public derives from them are unquestionably due to all its servants. In some lines the Soldiers have perhaps generally had as ample a compensation for their services by the large Bounties which have been paid them as their Officers will receive in the proposed commutation in others. If besides the donation of Lands the payment of arrearages of Clothing and Wages, in which all the component parts of the Army must be on the same footing, we take into the Estimate the Bounties many of the Soldiers have received and the gratuity of one year's full pay, which is promised to all, possibly their situation (every circumstance being duly considered), will not be deemed less eligible than that of the Officers. Should a further reward, however, be judged equitable, I will venture to assert no one will enjoy greater satisfaction than myself on

seeing an exemption from taxes for a limited time, or any other adequate immunity or compensation granted the brave defenders of their Country's Cause, but neither the adoption nor rejection of this proposition will in any manner affect, much less militate against the Act of Congress by which they have been offered five years full pay in lieu of the half pay for life, which had been before promised to the Officers of the Army.

Before I conclude the subject of public Justice, I cannot omit to mention the obligations this Country is under to that meritorious class of veteran non-commissioned Officers and privates, who have been discharged in consequence of the Resolution of Congress of the 23rd of April, 1782, on an annual pension for life, their particular sufferings, their singular merits and claims to that provision, need only to be known to interest all the feelings of humanity in their behalf, nothing but a punctual payment of their annual allowances can requite them for most complicated misery; and nothing can be a more melancholy and distressing sight, than to behold those who had shed their blood or lost their limbs in the service of their Country, without a shelter, without a friend and without the means of obtaining any of the necessaries of life, compelled to beg their daily bread from door to door. Suffer me to recommend those of this description belonging to your State to the warmest patronage of your Excellency and your Legislature.

It is necessary to say but a few words on the third topic, which was proposed, and which regards particularly the defence of the republic as there is no doubt but Congress will recommend a proper peace Establishment for the United States in which a due attention will be paid to the importance of placing the Militia of the Union upon a regular and respectable footing. If this should be the case, I would beg to urge the great advantages of it in the strongest terms. The Militia of this Country must be considered as the palladium of its security, and the first effectual resort in the case of hostility. It is essential therefore that the same system should pervade the whole that in the formation and discipline of the Militia the Continent should be absolutely uniform, and that the same species of Arms, accoutrements & Military apparatus should be introduced in every part of the United States. No one who has not learned it from experience can conceive the difficulty, expence and confusion which result from a contrary system, or the vague arrangements which have hitherto prevailed. In treating of political points a greater latitude than usual has been taken in the course of this address, the importance of the crisis, and the magnitude of the objects in discussion must be my apology. It is however, neither my wish or expectation that the preceding observations should claim any regard, except so far as

they shall appear to be dictated by a good intention consonant to the immutable rules of Justice, calculated to produce a liberal system of Policy and founded on whatever experience may have been acquired by a long and close attention to public business. Here I might speak with the more confidence from my actual observations and if it would not swell this (already too prolix) beyond the bounds I had prescribed myself, I could demonstrate to every mind open to conviction, that in less time and with much less expence than has been incurred, the war might have been brought to the same happy conclusion, if the resources of the Continent could have been properly drawn forth, that the distress and disappointments which have very often occurred have in too many instances resulted more from a want of energy in the Continental Government than a deficiency in means in the particular States, that the inefficacy of measures arising from the want of an adequate authority in the Supreme power from a partial compliance with the requisitions of Congress in some of the States and from the failure of punctuality on others, while it tended to dampen the Zeal of those who were willing to exert themselves, served also to accumulate the expences of the War, and to frustrate the best concerted plans, and that the discouragements occasioned by the complicated difficulties and embarrassments in which our affairs were by this means involved, would have long ago produced the dissolution of any army less patient, less virtuous, and less persevering than that which I have had the honor to command.

But while I mention these things which are notorious facts as the defects of our Federal Constitution, particularly in the prosecution of a War, I beg it may be understood that as I have ever taken a pleasure in gratefully acknowledging the assistance and support I have ever desired from every class of citizens, so shall I always be happy to do justice to the unparalleled exertions of the individual States on many interesting Occasions.

I have thus freely disclosed what I wished to make known before I surrender up my public trust to those who committed it to me. The task is now accomplished. I now bid adieu to your Excellency as the Chief Magistrate of your State, at the same time I bid a last farewell to the cares of office and all the employments of public life.

It remains then to be my final and only request, that your Excellency will communicate these sentiments to your Legislature at their next meeting, and that they may be considered as the legacy of one who has evidently wished on all occasions to be useful to his Country, and who even in the shades of retirement will not fail to implore the divine benediction upon it.

I now make it my earnest prayer that God would have you and all the State over which you preside in His holy protection; that He

would incline the hearts of the Citizens to cultivate a Spirit of Subordination and Obedience to Government, to entertain a brotherly affection and love for one another, and for their fellow Citizens of the United States at large and particularly for their brethren who have served in the field; and finally that He would be most graciously pleased to dispose us all to do Justice, to love Mercy and to demean ourselves with that charity, humanity and pacific temper of mind which were the characteristics of the divine Author of our blessed religion and without an humble imitation of whose example in these things we can never hope to be a happy Nation.

With great esteem and regard,

I have the honor to be, Sir, Your Excellency's

Most Obedient and Most humble Servant,

G. WASHINGTON.

His Excellency the Governor of North Carolina.

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### THE EDENTON TEA PARTY.

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[Continued.]

Our failure to receive an answer to a letter, in time for our last issue, caused the omission of the following descendants of Mrs. Jean Blair. We now append them. They should have appeared in the family of W. D. Lowther and wife, Eliza Ann Sawyer.

William D. Lowther, Jr., md. in Texas Sophronia Autrey, of Fort Bend, Texas, issue six children, three of whom survived their father, viz: (1) Charles Eden Lowther, (2) Adam Lowther, (3) Elizabeth Lowther. Mrs. Lowther, with her three children, after the death of her husband, removed from Texas to one of the adjoining States, probably Arkansas.

Margaret Blair Lowther md. H. G. Jollie. Issue (1) William Lowther Jollie (dead), (2) Annie Elizabeth Jollie, md. Col. ——— Vernon, no issue. She is now a widow and lives at No. 36 N. 9th St. Her father lives with her, having lost his wife in 1894. (3) Claudia Jollie (dead), (4) Carolina Jollie (dead), (5) Xavier Jollie.

MRS. MARGARET M'KENZIE.

One of the 52 ladies who composed the Party, was the wife of Rev. \*John McKenzie and wife Janette Gray, and daughter of Dr. William Cathcart by his second wife Prudence West. (Dr. Cathcart's first wife was Penelope Maule, daughter of Col. William Maule and wife Penelope Maule, nee Golland, step-daughter of Gov. Charles Eden.) Mrs. McKenzie left no issue.

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Janet Gray, daughter of John Gray and wife Anne Gray, nee Bryan (born 1697), (daughter of Lewis Bryan and wife Elizabeth Bryan, nee Hunter),

was born Dec. 7, 1721, died Feb. 28, 1754; md. about 1741. Rev. John McKenzie, of Suffolk, Va., Issue:

(1) John McKenzie, born Aug. 4, 1743, in Nansemond Co., Va.; (2) Kenneth McKenzie, born Nov. 11, 1745, in Nansemond Co., Va.; (3) Janette McKenzie, born Nov. 22, 1750, in Nansemond Co., Va., md. at Windsor, Bertie Co., N. C., Nov. 9, 1771, Colin Clark, born March 18, 1750, at Limekiln, Fifeshire, Scotland. He left Scotland Aug. 18, 1771; (4) Anne McKenzie, born April 17, 1752, in Nansemond Co., Va., md. Dr. Anthony Darlet; (5) William McKenzie, born Jan. 11, 1754, in Nansemond Co., Va., md. Margaret Cathcart as above stated; no issue. Wm. McKenzie is buried at Rosefield, (adjoining the town of Windsor, N. C.), which was purchased by John Gray in 1729, from Cullen Pollock.

Issue of Colin Clark and wife Janet Gray McKenzie.

(1) David Clark, born Oct. 15, 1772, in Beaufort County, N. C., md. Louisa Norfleet, born Feb. 28, 1789, died 1829 (daughter of Marmaduke Norfleet, of Halifax Co., N. C. and his wife Hannah Ruffin); (2) Kenneth Clark, born Jan. 19, 1775, at Windsor, N. C., died at Norfolk, Va., 1815, in the service of his country; (3) John McKenzie Clark, born Nov. 1, 1776, at Windsor, N. C., never married, died at Buckfield, Bertie Co., N. C.; (4) William McKenzie Clark, born Nov. 15, 1778, at Windsor, N. C., md. Martha B. Williams.

David Clark and his brother William Clark were the only children who married, both married at the same age, died at the same age and of the same disease and left the same number of children. David requested in his will that the name McKenzie be respected.

Issue of David Clark and wife Louisa, nee Norfleet. They were married Sept. 2, 1806.

(1) Colin McKenzie Clark, born July 27, 1807, died 1868, md. Eliza Bond (daughter of Southey Bond and wife Mary Bond), no issue; (2) William Ruffin Clark, born Aug. 3, 1809, died 1861, md. Martha Godwin, no issue; (3) Kenneth Norfleet Clark, born Dec. 27, 1811, died 1811; (4) Janette Rebecca Louisa Clark, born Dec. 21, 1812, died 1842, md. Alexander Hall; (5) Frances Helen Clark, born Nov. 14, 1814, died 1866, md. Andrew B. White, of Pottsville, Pa.; (6) Sarah Louisa Hill Clark, born Aug. 7, 1816, died 1861, md. Henry F. Bond; (7) David Clark, born Feb. 11, 1820, died Oct. 4, 1882, md. Anna Thorne; (8) Anne Olivia Clark, born April 7, 1822, md. John Davis Hawkins, she died in Mississippi; (9) Mary Aletha Clark, born Jan. 11, 1825, md. Dr. Wm. J. Hawkins (his 1st wife); (10) Lucy Norfleet Clark, born Dec. 29, 1827, died Oct. 9, 1867, md. Dr. Wm. J. Hawkins (his 2nd wife).

Issue of William McKenzie Clark and wife Martha Boddie Williams (married 1813).

(1) Margaret Ann Clark, born 1814, md. Lewis Thompson, of Bertie Co., N. C.; (2) Martha Elizabeth Clark md. Anselm Urquhart; (3) William McKenzie Clark, born 1820, md. Martha Petway; (4) Mary Janette Clark md. Charles Alston; (5) Kenneth McKenzie Clark, born 1827, md. Martha Carnal; (6) Samuel Johnston Clark md. Tempe Thorne, she md. 2nd John Buxton Williams; (7) Harriet Joyner Clark, born 1831, md. Dr. Charles Smallwood, of Bertie Co., N. C.; (8) David Carnal Clark, born 1833, md. Elizabeth Harris; (9) Gavin Hogg Clark, born 1836, md. Rebecca Hilliard. Martha Boddie Williams was the daughter of Gen. William Williams and wife Elizabeth Williams (daughter of Solomon Williams and wife Tempe Boddie.) Wm. Williams was the son of Gen. William Williams and wife Mrs. Elizabeth Pollock, nee Whitmell; (Wm. Williams and wife Elizabeth had in addition to daughter Martha Boddie Williams the following children): (2) Henry Gaston Williams, Jr., md. Louisa James. Issue: Who were they?

(3) Elizabeth Williams md. Reuben Carnal, issue (a) William Carnal; (b) Dr. Reuben Carnall, md. — Smith; (c) Mary Emily Carnall md. Dr. Smith; (d) Martha Carnall md. Dr. Kenneth McKenzie Clark, Mrs. Elizabeth Carnall md. 2nd William Darlet, son of Dr. Anthony Darlet and wife Anne McKenzie; (4) Samuel David Williams md. Mary Catharine Lockhart Tunstall; (5) Tempe Williams md. Hon. Andrew Joyner, who afterwards md. Mrs. Hutch-



ings G. Burton, widow of Gov. Burton, of N. C.; (6) Rev. Dr. William Whitmell Williams md. 1st Nancy Bryan Pugh, 2nd Elizabeth Harvey.

Issue of Dr. Anthony Darlet and wife, Anne McKenzie:

(1) William Darlet, md. Mrs. Elizabeth Carnal, widow of Reuben Carnal and daughter of Gen'l Wm. Williams and wife Elizabeth Williams (daughter of Solomon Williams and wife Tempe Boddie) (2) Catharine Darlet.

Issue of Alexander Hall and wife Janette Rebecca Louisa Clark:

Two sons in Warren Co., N. C.

Issue of Andrew B. White and wife, Frances Helen Clark, of Pottsville, Pa:

(1) The late Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett, of Penn.; (2) Mary White, who became the 3d wife of Dr. W. J. Hawkins.

Issue of David Clark and wife Anna Maria Thorne (daughter of William Williams Thorne and wife Tempe Williams Davis, who had the following additional issue: (1) William Henry Thorne md. Martha Alston, issue (a) Mabbitt Thorne died young; (b) Lucy Davis Thorne; (c) Martha Davis Thorne; (d) Anna Thorne; (e) Samuel Thorne, (j) William Henry Thorne, Jr.; (g) Eudora Thorne; (h) Mary W. Thorne; (i) Tempe Leila Thorne, d. y.; (j) Susan L. Thorne; (2) Martha E. Thorne, md. Thomas W. Nicholson, issue, (a) William Henry Nicholson, killed in C. S. Army near Petersburg, Va.; (b) Guilford Nicholson, md. Bettie Winter, of Mississippi, issue Annie, William E., Thomas and Martha Nicholson; (c) Ed. Thorne Nicholson, killed in C. S. Army around Petersburg at the same time his brother Wm. H. Nicholson was killed in 1865; (d) Thomas W. Nicholson (drowned in his youth); (e) Emma P. Nicholson (dead), md. S. P. Alexander, issue Martha, Violet G., Julia, Sydenham, Thomas and Emory Alexander; (f) Sarah M. Nicholson (dead), md. John M. Hobson, issue Martha Thorne Hobson; (g) Sarah Thorne Nicholson; (h) Joseph W. Nicholson, md. Alice Eudora Clark (cousins); (i) Mason Wiggins Nicholson; (j) James M. Nicholson (drowned soon after leaving college); (k) Anna Thorne Nicholson; (4) Mary E. Babbitt Thorne, md. Kemp Plummer Alston, issue (a) Alfred Alston, (b) Anna C. Alston, (c) Kemp Plummer Alston, (d) Duthile C. Alston, (e) Frank Ballard Alston; (5) Samuel Thorne md. Mary Whitmell Harris, issue (a) Tempe Thorne, (b) Silas Owens Thorne, (c) Annie B. Thorne, (d) Nina Thorne; (6) Capt. Edward Alston Thorne, C. S. A., md. Alice Harris, issue (a) Tempe Thorne, md. Joseph Townes (his 2nd wife, his 1st wife was Caroline Branch), (b) William Henry Thorne, d. y., (c) James Harris Thorne, d. y., (d) Martha Helm Thorne md. Capt. Silas Owens of Oxford, Miss., (e) Elizabeth Harris Thorne, (f) Edward Alston Thorne, Jr., (g) Thomas Harris Thorne, (h) Mary Thorne, (i) Buxton Thorne; (7) Tempe Davis Thorne md. 1st Sam'l Johnston Clark, 2d John Buxton Williams, no issue; she was cousin to both husbands; (8) Lucy E. Thorne md. Blake Baker Nicholson, of Halifax Co., N. C., issue (a) Tempe Nicholson, md. Erasmus A. Daniel, issue Erasmus A. and Blake Baker Daniel, (b) Dr. Samuel Thorne Nicholson md. Annie Lucas of Beaufort Co., N. C., issue David Lucas Nicholson, d. yy.; John Nicholson, Blake Baker Nicholson, Lucille Nicholson, (c) Dr. John T. Nicholson, (d) Ida Mabbitt Nicholson, (e) Thos. Nicholson, (f) Blake Baker Nicholson, Jr., (g) Plummer Nicholson, (h) Mary B. Nicholson, (i) William Nicholson, (j) Lucille E. Nicholson, (k) Kate Nicholson; (9) John Davis Thorne md. Kate M. Thompson of La., issue Samuel Thorne, d. y., (b) Henry Hill Thorne, (c) Addie Thorne, (d) William Thorne, (e) Frank Thorne, (f) John Davis Thorne; (10) O. Eudora Thorne md. Alfred Alston, issue (a) Mary P. Alston, (b) Emma P. Alston, (c) Edward C. Thorne Alston md. Rosa Speed, (d) Eudora Alston.)

(1) Hon. Walter Clark, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, md. Susan Washington Graham, daughter of Gov. William A. Graham, issue (a) Susan Washington Clark, (b) David Clark, (c) William Graham Clark, (d) Anna Thorne Clark, (e) Walter Clark, (f) John Washington Clark, (g) Thorne McKenzie Clark, (h) Eugenia Clark; (2) David Clark d. y.; (3) Samuel Thorne Clark; (4) Louisa Mabbitt Clark md. Frank C. Ballard, issue David Clark Ballard; (5) Anna Lula Clark md. Rev. J. D. Arnold; (6) Edward Thorne Clark md. Margaret Lillington, issue (a) Edward Lil-

lington Clark, (b) David McKenzie Clark, (c) Mary Williams Clark; (7) Alice Eudora Clark md. Joseph W. Nicholson of Halifax Co., N. C.; (8) Henry Norfleet Clark (unmarried); (9) Martha Thorne Clark md. Robert Patterson, issue Henry Norfleet Clark Patterson; (10) Lucy Norfleet Clark; (11) Sarah Louise Clark; (12) Mary White Clark.

Issue of John Davis Hawkins and wife, Ann Olivia Clark.

(1) Miss Louisa Bond Hawkins; (2) Mrs. Annie Holleman; (3) Mrs. Sarah Tate; (4) Mrs. Rebecca Adams, the first and two last live at Morganton, N. C.; (5) David Hawkins died unmarried; (6) Weldon Edwards Hawkins md. Nannie McDougall, issue (a) John Hawkins, (b) Norfleet Hawkins, (c) Ann Hawkins, (d) Olivia Hawkins, (e) William Hawkins and one in Mississippi; (7) Norfleet Hawkins d. u.; (8) Edward Kean Hawkins md. Frances D. Smith and lives in the State of Washington.

Issue of Dr. William J. Hawkins and wife, Mary Alethea Clark Hawkins.

(1) Colin McKenzie Hawkins md. Janett Hogg; (2) Marmaduke James Hawkins md. Rebecca Brehan Davis, issue (a) Lucy Davis Hawkins, (b) Mary Alethea Hawkins born 1889, died 1893, (c) Weldon Edwards Hawkins, (d) Janette McKenzie Hawkins (e) Marmaduke James Hawkins, issue of Dr. William J. Hawkins and his 2nd wife Lucy Norfleet Clark; (3) Louisa Norfleet Hawkins md. William T. McGee, issue Alethea Clark McGee; (4) Alethea Clark Hawkins md. Jefferson B. Lemar and lives at Monticello, Fla., issue (d) Louisa Norfleet Lamar, (b) William Hawkins Lamar, (c) Sarah Bailey Lemar, issue of Dr. William J. Hawkins and his 3d wife Mary A. White (daughter of Andrew B. White and wife Frances Clark); (5) Lucy Clark Hawkins md. Sherwood Higgs, issue (a) Lucy Hawkins Higgs, (b) Frances Sherwood Higgs.

Issue of Lewis Thompson and wife Margaret Ann Clark.

(1) William Thompson md. Virginia Ann Griffin; (2) Thomas Whitmell Thompson md. Helen McKenzie Clark; (3) Mary Bond Thompson md. Burgess Urquhart; (4) Martha Clark Thompson died a young lady.

Issue of Anselm Urquhart, of Isle of Wight Co., Va., and wife Martha Elizabeth Clark.

(1) Henry Urquhart d. u.; (2) Major Chas. Fox Urquhart killed in C. S. Army d. u.; (3) Nannie Urquhart md. Richard Boykin; (4) Kenneth Urquhart md. Mary Boykin; (5) William Clark Urquhart d. u. 1878; (6) Dr. Richard Urquhart, of the U. S. Navy, md. ———; (7) James B. Urquhart; (8) Dr. Francis Urquhart; (9) Reuben Carnall Urquhart; (10) Martha Clark Urquhart; (11) Samuel Clark Urquhart; (12) Mary Virginia Urquhart d. y.; (13) Margaret Urquhart d. y.; (14) Walter Urquhart d. y.

Issue of William McKenzie Clark and wife Martha Howell Pettway.

(1) Helen McKenzie Clark md. Thomas Whitmell Thompson; (2) Mark Pettway Clark; (3) Dr. Kenneth McKenzie Clark; (4) Lucy Clark; (5) Marina Clark; (6) Elizabeth Irby Clark; (7) William McKenzie Clark d. y.; (8) Martha Clark. Martha Howell Pettway was the daughter of Mark Howell Pettway and wife Marina Carolina Williams, in addition to daughter Martha, they had the following issue, (2) Lucy Pettway md. Joseph S. Jones of Warren Co., N. C., issue (a) Marina Jones md. Hon. Chas. Alston Cook, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of N. C., (b) Mark Pettway Jones md. Nannie Jones, (c) Martha Jones md. Jonas Carr Williams (cousins); (3) Rosa Pettway md. ——— Pigenes of Ala.; (4) Mark H. Pettway died unmarried; (5) Willie Pettway md. John E. Jones; (6) Marina Pettway md. John E. Jones; (7) Mary Pettway md. ——— Little, of Ala.; (8) Laura Pettway md. Wm. Burwell; (9) Tempe Pettway md. Rich'd Davis; (10) John Pettway; (11) Emma Pettway.

Issue of Charles Alston and wife Mary Janette Clark.

(1) Dr. Willis Alston md Lucy Skinner; (2) Samuel Clark Alston; (3) Leonidas Alston; (4) Charles Urquhart Alston; (5) Edgar Alston d. y.

Issue of Kenneth McKenzie Clark and wife Martha Carnal.

(1) Elijah Clark; (2) Clara Clark; (3) Rosa Clark.

Samuel Johnston Clark and wife Tempe Thorne, had no issue. Mrs. Tempe

Clark md. 2nd John Buxton Williams of Warren Co., N. C., his 1st wife was Mary Tempe Hilliard.

Issue of Dr. Charles Smallwood and wife Harriet Joyner Clark.

(1) Mary Lockhart Smallwood md. Dr. John Samuel Griffin (cousins), issue (a) Sarah Griffin, (b) Janet Griffin, (c) Charles Smallwood Griffin, (d) Thomas Whitmell Thompson Griffin; (2) Sarah Thomas Smallwood d. y.; (3) Dr. John Pugh Smallwood; (4) Martha Williams Smallwood d. y.; (5) Rebecca Brehan Smallwood d. y.; (6) Lewis Thompson Smallwood; (7) Frances Whitmell Smallwood.

Issue of David C. Clark and wife Elizabeth Harris.

(1) Alice Maria Clark md. Dr. David Lucas of Beaufort Co., N. C., issue (a) Carnall Clarke Lucas, (2) Samuel Johnston Clark, Jr., md. Mary E Nicholson (cousins); (3) Thomas Harris Clark; (4) Margaret Ann Clark md. Samuel J. Harris; (5) William McKenzie Clark died Aet. 5 yrs.; (6) James Harris Clark; (7) Nena Elizabeth Clark; (8) Mary T. Clark; (9) David C. Clark, Jr.; (10) Whitmell McKenzie Clark; (11) Estelle Ferdinand Clark; (12) Joseph John Clark.

Issue of Gavin Hogg Clark and wife Rebecca Hilliard, of Nash Co., N. C.

(1) Martha Rebecca Clark md — Drake; (2) Kenneth McKenzie Clark; (3) Harriet Janett Clark md — Drake; (4) Atherton Hill Clark; (5) Thomas Pugh Clark; (6) Colin McKenzie Clark; (7) Gavin Hogg Clark; (8) Lucy Hilliard Clark; (9) Jessie Hilliard Clark.

Issue of Burgess Urquhart and wife Mary Bond Thompson, of Bertie Co., N. C.

(1) Lewis Thompson Urquhart; (2) Martha Thompson Urquhart; (3) Mary Norfleet Urquhart; (4) Margaret McKenzie Urquhart; (5) Louisa Hall Urquhart; (6) Annie Urquhart died young; (7) Burgess Urquhart; (8) Richard Alexander Urquhart.

In order to give the connection between several of these families, we append the following Norfleet record:

Marmaduke Norfleet died prior to 1750. He is buried at Rich Square, Northampton Co., N. C. He md. 1st Eliza Gordon, issue Reuben and James Norfleet. His 2nd wife was Judeth Rhodes, issue Judeth and Margaret Norfleet.

Reuben Norfleet was born 1730, and died in 1801, and is buried at Roxabel, Bertie Co., N. C. He married 1st Penelope Langley, nee Smith; 2nd Mary Exem, nee Figures (daughter of Col. Figures, of the British Army); issue (1) Marmaduke Norfleet, born 1766, died 1815; (2) James Norfleet, born 1768, died 1830; he never married, was a member of the House of Commons from Halifax Co., N. C., 1789; he lived at Scotland Neck; the place is or was owned by Peter Smith, Esq. Marmaduke Norfleet md. Hannah Ruffin, issue (1) Lucy Norfleet, born May 3, 1787, died Mch. 27, 1805, md. — Drew; (2) Mary Norfleet, born Dec. 12, 1790, md. 1st Dr. Hall, 2nd Alex. Johnson; (3) Louisa Norfleet, born Jan. 28, 1789, died Jan. 4, 1828, md. David Clark; (4) Olivia Norfleet born Sept. 10, 1800, md. Thomas Cox; (5) Marmaduke Norfleet, born 1808, died Jan. 10, 1830; (6) Lucy Norfleet, born Nov. 27, 1805, died May 3, 1892, md. Hon. Weldon N. Edwards.

Issue of Reuben Norfleet and his 2nd wife, Mary Exem, nee Figures. (3) Mary Norfleet md. Judge Samuel Lowrie, issue (a) Rebecca Lowrie md. — Robinson; (4) Rebecca Norfleet md. Thomas B. Hill; (5) Thomas Norfleet md. Margaret Andrews; (6) John Norfleet md. Mary Granberry.

Issue of Thomas B. Hill and wife Rebecca, nee Norfleet.

(1) Louisa Hill md. George E. Spruell; (2) Whitmell Hill md. Lavinia Barnes; (3) Antoinette Hill md. James B. Urquhart; (4) Eliza Hill md. Charles Urquhart; (5) Thomas Hill md. Maria Simpson; (6) Winfred Hill md. William Norwood.

Issue of Thomas Norfleet and wife Margaret Andrews.

(1) Mary Norfleet md. Dr. R. A. Urquhart; (2) James Norfleet; (3) Reuben Norfleet; (4) Eliza Norfleet; (5) Adelaide Norfleet; (6) Louisa Norfleet md. James Urquhart; (7) Stephen Andrews Norfleet md. 1st Frances Pugh, 2nd Louisa Spruell; (8) Margaret Norfleet md. Hon. Elias C. Hines, Solicitor

Edenton Judicial District of N. C., was in the C. S. Army and died from disease contracted while in service, issue (a) Frank N. Hines, drowned at Nags Head, N. C., while bathing, (b) Richard N. Hines unmarried at this writing, living with his mother in Edenton, N. C.; (9) Frances Norfleet md. W. H. Urquhart.

Issue of Dr. R. A. Urquhart and wife Mary Norfleet.

(1) John; (2) Charles; (3) Sarah md. Hon. John Goode of Norfolk, Va.; (4) Antoinette; (5) Nannie; (6) Mary L. md. James Urquhart; (7) Rosa; (8) Ada md. Dr. Delk; (9) Thomas md. Mrs. Delk; (10) Burgess md. Mary Thompson (daughter of Lewis Thompson and wife Margaret Clark Thompson, grand-daughter of William McKenzie Clark, son of John and Janet McKenzie Clark; (11) Stephen Urquhart md. Susan Plummer.

The above gives quite a full record of the descendants of Rev. John McKenzie and wife, Janet Gray. We have appended it as a note to notice of Margaret McKenzie's connection with the Edenton Tea Party. She left no descendants and had but one sister, Frances, who married Governor Samuel Johnston.

#### MRS. FRANCES JOHNSTON.

Was the daughter of Dr. William Cathcart and his 2d wife Prudence West, and wife of Gov. Samuel Johnston (son of Samuel Johnston and wife Helen Scryngeoure and grand-son of John Johnston and wife Margaret Belcher, of Stapleton, North Britain. Issue (1) Penelope md. Samuel Swann, no issue; (2) Gabriel never married; (3) Fanny never married; (4) Helen never married; (5) James Cathcart Johnston died in 1865 a bachelor. With him this branch of the Johnston family became extinct.

Mrs. Margaret McKenzie and Mrs. Frances Johnston are both buried at Hayes, N. C.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## ABSTRACT OF CONVEYANCES.

(From Register's Office of Chowan County, Book C, No. 1.)

Edward Howcott, to Beal Brown. 640 acres below Melton's Cabin; 17 8ber, 1719. Test, Rebecca Hardy.

John Harloe, to Edmond Gale. Tract of Land; Jan. 3, 1726-7. Test, Joseph Young, Wm. Badham.

Jacob Privett, to John Charlton. Assignment Deed for 500 acres purchased of said Charlton; 8ber 16, 1723. Test, Robert Hicks, Jean Bonner.

John Odom, to Moses, Hare. Illegible.

Elizabeth Long, to Thomas Long. Assignment of a deed; July 1719. Test, John Worley, Ja. Blount.

Lawrence Martin, to Henry Miller. 340 acres adjoining land of Wm. Bush.

Jno. Pettiver and wife Ann, to John Burket. Tract of Land; March 30, 1720. Test, James Bate, Thos. Henman.

John Lovick, to James Beasley, Jr. Assignment of Patent for 308 acres; March 1719.

Thomas Spivey and wife Mary, to Moses Hill. 100 acres south side Catharine Creek; 1720.

George Bromley, to Thos. Cook. Assignment of Patent granted Thos. Betterley Jan. 29, 1713. This assignment dated Feb. 10, 1728. Test, Chas. Beele, Jno. Ismay, Wm. Badham.

Zachariah Nixon, of Perquimans, to Wm. Garrett. 110 acres in Forks of Coneby Creek Swamp; 8ber 15, 1723. Test, Thos. Harvey, Wm. Badham.

James Fleming and wife Margaret, to John Champion. 100 acres south side Stopping Creek; 8ber 17, 1720. Test, James Maglohan, Paul Phillips. Also 100 acres in Broad Neck, Long Branch, adjoining above tract.

John Braddy, of Marrattoke, to Wm. Johnson. 150 acres adjoining land of John Hambleton; 26 8ber, 1723.

Richard Washington and wife Hannah, to Wm. Howcott. 230 acres, part of 950 acres I bought of Henry Wheeler; Feb. 5, 1719-20. Test, Jonathan Christmas, Jno. Bayley.

James Woods, to John Woods. 100 acres south side Catawatsky Meadows; April 19, 1720. Test, Fred'k Jones, Chief Justice.

Charles Merritt to John Wood. 100 acres on Catawatskey Marsh; Jan. 15, 1719. Test, James Blount, Jno. Nairn.

Robert Evans and wife Ann, to John Wood. 100 acres adjoining above; March 2, 1719. Test, Thos. Bird, Richard Brown.

Peter Gray to John Odom Jr. Tract of land adjoining land of James Boon, on Kellar Branch; Jan. 21, 1719-20. Test, Wm. Maule, Wm. Gray, Peter de Strame.

John Howcott, to Sam'l Woodward. 300 acres on the Great Island bounded as per Patent dated April 6, 1713. Deed dated Feb. 17, 1719.

John Hall and wife Blessing, to John Cake. Tract of land known as Hickory Neck; April 20, 1720. Test, James Bates.

Lazarus Thomas and wife Mary, to James Peek, of Boston. 390 acres; April 17, 1719. Test, Stephen Williams, Chas. Merritt.

Jno. Rasberry, to John Wosland. Assignment of Patent; Jan. 21, 1719-20.

Thos. Henman, to Thos. Bray. 300 acres adjoining land of Robert Evans called Bush Island; Dec. 15, 1719. Test, Jno. Thackeray, Jno. Pursell.

Francis Pugh, to John Dawson. 100 acres, part of patent granted Thos. Jones; Oct. 23, 1728.

Judith Hare, Exx. of Jno. Hare, Jane Hare and Judith Hare to Wm. Speight. 224 acres near the head of Flat Cypress Swamp; July 1732. Test, Edward Hare, Moses Hare, Thos. Hale.

John Pipkin, to John Pipkin, Jr. 80 acres patented by Chas. Scott, of Nansemond Co., Va., on Nicles Swamp; Jan. 17, 1732-3. Test, Simon Daniel, Wm. Bentley, Henry Goodman.

Edward Salter and wife Elizabeth, of Perquimans, to John Wickinge. 260 acres S. E. side Sarum Creek; July 2, 1732-3. Test, Christopher Gale, Edmund Gale, Sarah Gale.

Richard Jeffries and wife, Ellinor, to Richard Fullington. 160 acres on Rockyhook Creek; Sept. 18, 1731. Test, Henry Bonner, James Hurst.

John Keaton, to John Keaton, Jr. 640 acres in Meherrin Neck, where said Jno. Keaton lately dwelt; Feb. 20, 1733. Test, Joseph Anderson, Jas. Craven, Jere Mitchener.

John Keaton, Jr., to James Costen. Conveys above tract; Feb. 24, 1732-3. Test, as above.

Media White, to Wm. Wesson; July 21, 1734. 300 acres in Rockyhook Neck, adjoining lands of Benjamin Small. Test, John Small, Benj. Small.

Wm. Lewis, to John Lewis; April 19, 1733. 200 acres in Cowhall at mouth of Little Fork Branch. Test, Thos. Luten, Wm. Hinton.

Martin Cromer, to Wm. Mackey; May 3, 1733. Assignment patent for 640 acres on north side Trantor's Creek, dated Sept. 16, 1729, & May 3, 1733. Test, Ephraim Griffin, Bryan Raile, James Conner.

Same to same; May 3, 1733. Assignment Patent for 320 acres north side Trantor's Creek, dated May 3, 1730.

Joseph Buncombe, to George Burrington. Bill of sale; Aug. 3, 1733. Test, J. Pratt.

Same, to Miles Gale; Feb. 26, 1732. Mortgage on 3 negroes and tract of land at Kendreek's Creek, belonging to said Buncombe under care of Edw'd Moseley, to secure him as bondsman for vessel "Real Friendship." Test, Jos. Anderson, Thos. Humes.

Thos. Hyter, King et als., Chiefmen of the Chowan Indians, to Michael Ward. 200 acres on Catharine Creek; Aug. 2, 1733. Test, John Freeman, Robert Hicks.

Same to John Freeman; Aug. 3, 1733. 200 acres at Poly Bridge Swamp, part of Chowan Town. Test, Robt. Hicks, Edward Howcott, Jas. Craven.

Same, to Henry Hill. 50 acres on Bennett's Creek; Aug. 4, 1733.

John Vaughan, of Nansemond Co., Va., to Henry Holland, of same County. 100 acres on South side Chowan River, called "Caleb's Dowry;" Sept. 10, 1733. Test, Henry Holland, James Holland, Edward Hare, Moses Hare, Jo. Holland.

Henry Hedgepeth, of Nansemond, Co., Va., to Edward Hare. 60

acres on North side of Mills' Swamp; March 1732. Test, John Dawson, Thos. Speight, Moses Hare.

Isaac Williams and wife Mary, of Bertie, to Edward Hare. 100 acres on East side Mills' Swamp; Aug. 22, 1732. Test, Sam'l Merritt, Chas. Gavin, Jno. Dawson.

James Wimble, to Wm. Popplewell; Sept. 10, 1733. 200 acres. Test, Edw'd Holt, Isaac Alexander.

Wm. Popplewell, of Scuppernong, to Thos. Sherwin, of Edenton. 400 acres on East side Scuppernong River, between Wimble's Point and line of Joseph Cannon, dec'd.; Nov. 24, 1731. Test, Wm. Bassett, Godfrey Spruill, Thos. Vickers; also assigns Patent for 200 acres in Tyrrell, called the Cowpen River.

Nath'l Wright, of Nansmond Co., Va., to James Wilson, of Warwick Co., Va. 450 acres East side Sarum Creek and North side Bennett's Creek; May 23, 1733. Test, David O'Sheal, J. Baker, John Milner.

Thos. Hubbard to Geo. Allen. Assignment of a deed for 640 acres in Rockyhook, patented by Sam'l Woodward; Feb. 21, 1732-3. Test, David Ambrose, Edw'd Champion, Joshua Haughton.

John Alsten to Richard Green; July 1733. 270 acres adjoining land of Robert Riddick. Test, John Milner, James Wilson.

Same to Richard Rogers; July 17, 1733. 640 acres patented July 12, 1725. Test, John Milner, Jr., James Williams.

Mat Odom to Mary Barnes. 56 acres adjoining land of Henry King; Dec. 14, 1730. Test, — King, Alex. Carter.

Mary Barnes, to Alex. Carter. Tract of land granted to Richard Barnes. 160 acres; April 17, 1733. Test, John Langston, Ephraim Hunter, Wm. Hunter.

Littleton Spivey to John Benton. 40 acres where John Spivey (father of Littleton) lately lived, bequeathed to his two sons, Littleton and John, which they divided between them. Test, Moses Con-ton, Wm. Morgan.

Wm. Powell and wife Mary, to Robert Robinson. 240 acres on Rockyhook branch; April 18, 1734. Test, Geo. Allen, Thos. Holli-day.

Abraham Sanders and wife Judeth, of Perquimans, to Edward Wingate. 273 acres on the Burnt Pocosin; March 17, 1734. Test, John Gardner, Richard Wesson.

Epaphroditus Brinkley, of Perquimans, to Thomas Ward. 100 acres south side Warrick Swamp, in Hog Neck. Test, Thos. Garrett, John Goodwin, Edw'd White, Moses Goodwin.

Christopher Gale, to Wm. Badham. 50 acres, part of tract where I now live bounded by land of Capt. Nicholas Crisp; Jan. 12, 1733. Test, R. Forster, A. Blacknall.

Paul Bunch, to Wm. Mackey. 640 acres on Indian Town Creek, formerly belonging to Thomas Bray; April 2, 1734. Test, Mary Ward, Francis Williams.

Edward Hare, to Moses Hare. 30 acres on the "Old Woman's" branch, adjoining Thos. Spite's land; Dec. 14, 1733. Test, Thos. Spites, Chas. Morris, John Cleark.

John Davison, to Moses Hare. 380 acres adjoining Wm. Hocks, Jr.

Thos. Falconer, to —————; Dec. 10, 1733-4. Illegible. Test, Thos. Long, Sarah Falconer, John Falconer.

Richard Sowell and wife Margaret, to Wm. Stenmos. 290 acres on Sandy Run, and Stopping Creek; Nov. 30, 1703. Test, Will Early, James Flemans.

William Stenmos and wife Elizabeth, to James Flemans. Above tract; Nov. 30, 1703. Test, Will Early, Margaret Sowell.

Jon Smith to Col. Thos. Pollock. 300 acres at Petty Shore; Dec. 4, 1703-4. Test, Thos. Luten, Will Early.

Jon. Early, to George Chambers; April 5, 1704. 140 acres. Test, Jon. Walker, Nath'l Chevin.

William Waters and wife Alice, to William Bond. —————; April 7, 1699. Test, Wm. Duckingfield, John Byrd.

Jon and Margaret Rutter; April 2, 1702. Balance gone.

Thomas Pollock, to Fullington Sandifoot; April 2, 1700. 640 acres south side Conaby Creek.

Abraham Lewis and wife Elizabeth, to Nath'l Chevin. Land at mouth of Mataromet Creek, being westernmost part of 1,000 acres patented by Thos. Horskine, assigned to Wm. Handrork's father, and purchased bby Godfrey Spruell and by said Snruell sold; Feb. 6, 1699. Test, James Blount, Thos. Nairne, Richard Lewis.

Jon. Daniel and wife Mary, to Walter Wheath (wife Mary, daughter of Richard Itallo). Tract on east of Thos. Hoskin's and Wm. Windley; April 2, 1700.

Michael Ward, to Charles Rountree; April 17, 1734. Tract of land on Catharine Creek, near the head of Warwick Swamp.

John Willard and wife Christian, to Robert Beasley; July 17, 1734. Tract of land. Test, Wm. Gardner, John Gardner.

Jon White and wife Sarah, to Mary Arline. Tract of land on Stopping Creek; July 4, 1704. Test, James Flemen, Geo. White, Nath'l Chevin.

Will Jones, to Robert West. Tract of land on Cashoke Creek.

Jon Hawkins and wife Mary, to Henderson Walker. Plantation heired from my father; Jan 15, 1703. Test, — Ashfoot, — Lillington.

Same to Geo. Slaid. 150 acres in South Lancaster; Nov. 17, 1703. Test, — Long, Will Keeter.



William Early and wife Ellenor, to son-in-law Henry Sutton and wife Sarah. 242 acres west shore of Chowan River, bought of Richard Booth; March 17, 1701. This deed dated July 4, 1704. Test, Thos. Luten, Nath'l Chevin. .

Thomas Spivey and wife Mary, to Jacob Spivey. ————. Test, Wm. Hill, Rich'd Brothers, Thos. Rountree, 1720.

John Perry and wife Elizabeth, of Nansemond Co., Va., to George Eason of Perquimans; March 28, 1720. 117 acres land adjoining land of Thos. Spight. Test, Thos. Spight, Thos. Eason.

Thomas Spivey and wife Mary, to their son-in-law Wm. Hill and wife Mary. Deed of Gift for 100 acres on northwest side of Catharine Creek. Test, Jacob Spivey, Richard Brothers, Thos. Rountree.

John Perry and wife Elizabeth, to John Eason; March 1720. 117 acres in Perquimans. Test, George Eason, Thomas Spight.

John Holbrook and wife Dorothy, to Patrick Maule, 250 acres in Beaufort Precinct.

Thomas Marks and wife Elizabeth, to Thomas Averit. Thomas being grand-son of said Thomas Marks and wife Elizabeth. 150 acres in Broad Neck; Oct. 1702. Test, James Fleming, Jane Boon.

William Moore to John King, of Nansemond Co., Va. 200 acres on East side Chowan River, where Titus Benton now lives; Feb. 8, 1719-20. Test, Adam Cockburne.

Thomas Bray of Virginia, to Francis Branch. Tract of land on Mattacomack Creek; March 19, 1719. Test, Wm. Branch, Thos. Hew.

John Walker, of Island of Barbadoes, Adm'r of Rev. Eben Ezer, dec'd. Appoints Col. Maurice Moore and John Porter attorneys: Sept. 16, 1720. Test, Jno. Urmiston (Clerk), Jer. Vail, Edward Mosley.

Thomas West and wife Martha, to Thos. Pollock. 200 acres west side Chowan River, adjoining lands of Charles Eden; 8ber 10, 1720. Test, J. Lovick, Wm. Little, Lawrence Sarson.

Lawrence Sarson, to Thos. West. 120 acres on Black Walnut Swamp, adjoining land of Wm. Duckingfield; July 14, 1720. Test, Jos. Young, Thos. Roper.

William Mitchell, to Thos. Stubbs. 100 acres on Coneby, between lines of Henry Middleton, on Coneby Creek; Oct. 24, 1720. Test, Peter Herd, John Edwards.

Thos. Pollock, to Lawrence Sarson. Patent for 178 acres in the fork of Casia River dated April 5, 1720. This deed dated Oct. 10, 1720. Test, J. Lovick, Thos. West.

John Vollway and wife Mary, to Wm. Havett. 540 acres on ye

South side of Rocquist Swamp, on Kesiah River; Oct. 19, 1720. Test, Jno. Nairne, Robt. Hicks.

John Nairne, to John Bryan. 640 acres on Cypress Swamp; Oct. 20, 1720. Test, Robert Hicks.

Thomas Sturgis, to James Peek. 100 acres south side Chowan River, beginning at Lawrence Martin's and Lazarus Thomas'; Aug. 6, 1719. Test, Thos. Jenkins, Chas. Merritt, Robert Hicks.

John Davis and wife Mary, of Bath, to Thomas Hoskins. 200 acres, part of 400 acres adjoining lands of Edward Standing and Joseph Gilbert, formerly belonging to Roger Hall, 1720. Test, Benj. Sanderson, Thos. Bonner.

William Havett and wife Mary, to John Williams. 519 acres on the head of Yoppim River; Oct. 15, 1720. Test, James Wainwright, Jennings Daniel.

Jno. Browning to his son-in-law Wm. Morris. Tract of land on Welch's Creek; Sept. 24, 1720. Test, Cornelius Harnett, Thos. Stobbs.

Thomas Long to Nathan Merritt. 100 acres land on south side Moratuck River, adjoining land of Thos. Whitmell; Sept. 12, 1720. Test, Ralph Mason, John Rainer.

Mary Godby (widow of Cary Godby), to Thomas Pollock. My right of Dower in a tract of land on Salmon Creek; Dec. 22, 1720. Test, Thos. Pollock, Jr., Jonathan Ridings.

John Lovick, to Thos. Jarrell. Assignment patent for 640 acres on Moratuck River, dated Dec. 3, 1720, this deed dated May 2, 1721. Test, Wm. Badham, Jno. Plowman.

Richard Pane, to Cullen Pollock. Assignment of a deed; Aug. 22, 1720. Test, Thos. Pollock, Jonathan Ridings.

Joseph Sutton, Sr., to Thos. Sutton. Deed of Gift. Assignment of a Patent for 318 acres on the N. E. side of Casiah River, formerly assigned by John Plowman to said Joseph; Oct. 19, 1720. Test, Robert Hicks, John Nairne.

Wm. Jones, of Bath, to Edward Moseley. Tract of land called Beech Ridge, on the back of the land whereon Mr. Jno. Urmston, Jer. Vail and Mr. Benbury now dwell. Test, Maurice Moore, Jer. Vail, Lyonel Reading.

John Urmston, to Edward Moseley. Power of Attorney to sell his land; March 14, 1720. Test, Joseph Winwright, J. Spencer.

James Evans, of Perquimans, to Thos. Luten. 200 acres bounded north by land of Henry Bonner, and south by land of Wm. Jones; Jan. 18, 1720. Test, Thos. Montague, Beal Brown, Robt. Hicks.

Thos. Roper, to Richard Skinner, Jr., of Perquimans. 640 acres in Bath Co., on north side Pampticough River, patented Nov. 20,

1720; March 1, 1720-1. Test, Daniel Rierdan, Jno. Simons, Robt. Hicks.

Thomas Whitmell and wife Elizabeth to Jos. Colson. 100 acres North side Morattuck River on Turbeville branch; Mch 30, 1720-1. Test, Wm. Maule, Wm. Gray.

Same to Joseph Calvert. 385 acres; Mch 20, 1720-1. Test, Wm. Maule, Wm. Gray.

David Jones to Robert Fullerton. 170 acres in Tindall Neck, and on Mattacomack Creek,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the Patent dated Jan. 1, 1715; deed dated March 14, 1720. Test, Robt. Hicks, Patrick Eggerton.

Thos. Whitmell and wife Elizabeth to Wm. Reeves. 100 acres on North side Morattuck River, or Turbeville branch; Mch. 20, 1720-1. Test, Wm. Maule, Wm. Gray.

Jon Wosland to Thos Yeats. Assignment Patent 640 acres adjoining lands of Col. Pollock and Isaac Hill, Dec. 22, 1720. Test, Thos. Luten, Jr., Robt. Hicks.

Orlando Champion to Wm. Lewis.  $\frac{1}{2}$  Patent for 424 acres dated Dec. 6, 1720, the other half sold to Wm. Thompson; May 30, 1721. Test, Thos. Spires, Robt. Hicks.

Same to Wm. Thompson, May 30, 1721. Tract of land in Green Hall 224 acres adjoining tract of Wm. Sadler on one side, situated on a swamp or branch known as the "Little Fork" branch, which divides this land from Wm. Lewis, part of a patent dated Dec. 6, 1720. Test, Thos. Spires, Robt. Hicks.

Caleb Stevens to Saml. Woodward. 50 acres called Rich Neck between two branches of Rockyhock Creek; Sept. 16, 1720. Test, Jno. New, Robt. Hicks.

John Crombie to Jacob Hardy. 100 acres on Cashoke Creek Swamp; March 28, 1721. Test, Wm. Hardy, John Walker.

Thomas Roper to Richard Skinner, Jr., of Perquimans. Patent for 640 acres in Beaufort Precinct, Bath County; Mch. 1, 1726. Test, John Simons, Robt. Hicks.

Peter Herd to Henry Middleton. 100 acres on Coneby adjoining Jeffry Liles and Henry Clarke; Nov. 25, 1720. Test, Zilpah Edwards, John Edwards.

Thos. Spivey to Chas. Campbell, of Nansemond Co., Va. 158 acres on the Beaver Dam Swamp; Dec. 16, 1720. Test, Jno. Campbell, Jacob Spivey, Thos. Spivey.

John Browning, Sr., to Robert Moss. 110 acres adjoining lands of Francis Beasley on Welch's Creek. Test, Cornelius Harnett, Thos. Stubbs.

I, James Singleton do give and grant one acre land in Chowan Precinct, on West side Seupernong River, at Spruell's back landing whereon a chapel is now erected, and built for the use of ye Parish-

ioners, to build a Chapel on in ye said District from henceforth and forever; July 30, 1720. Test, Jos. Spruell, R. Hicks.

Jon. Worley to Will Steely. 50 acres adjoining on Middle Neck Bridge; Feb. 8, 1720-1. Test, Lewis Montiez, Lazarus Turner, John Campbell.

Robert Evans to Peter Parker. 640 acres South side Ahoskey Swamp; Oct. 16, 1720. Test, Tudle Keefe, Jno. Nairns.

Godfrey Spruell to Joseph Spruell. 70 acres known as the Round about and Long Neck, West side Scuppernong River; July 25, 1720. Test, Robert Fewox, James Singleton, Sam'l Spruell, Jno. Swain.

James Singleton and wife Anarita to Joshua Turner. 100 acres known as ye Plains on Scuppernong; Jan. 23, 1720-1. Test, Sam'l Spruell, Jos. Spruell.

William Frilie to Thomas Evans and Matt Adams, Assignment Patent for 350 acres in Chowan; Augt. 27, 1720. Test, Wm. Morris, Cornelius Callahan.

Thomas Pollock to Lawrence Sarson. Assignment of a Patent for 488 acres Southside Beaver Swamp; Apl 5, 1720. Test, J. Lovick, Thos. West.

Same to Same. Assignment of a Patent for 150 acres on Black Walnut Swamp; 8ber 13, 1720. Test, J. Lovick, Thos. West.

Peter Parker to Jean Parker (widow). Assignment of 337 acres; Dec. 15, 1719. Test, Thos. Parker, Robt. Hicks.

Godfrey Spruell to Samuel Spruell. Assignment of a Deed dated Feb. 27, 1717; this Nov. 16, 1719. Test, Jos. Spruell, John Swaine.

Robert Fewox to Anthony Alexander. Assignment Patent for 109 acres on Cuscoping River; July 22, 1719. Test, Jos. Alexander, Lemuel Alexander.

Patrick, Lawler, of Bennett's Creek to Thos. Martin, Nansemond Co., Va. 300 acres West side Bennett's Creek; Mch. 25, 1721.

Thos. Yates to Maj. Luten; Apl. 1721. *Illegible*. Test, Thos. Spires, Jos. Hudson, Edwd. Standing, Robt. Hicks.

William Steely and wife Mary to John Worley; Feb. 8, 1720. 150 acres on Sound Side adjoining lands of said Worley. Test, Lewis Montiez, Lazarus Turner, John Campbell.

James Hooper to John Worley. 200 acres with 100 acres sold to James Hawkins on South Shore and on Long branch and Middle Neck Swamp; June 7, 1720. Test, Thos. Taylor, Patrick Maule.

Godfrey Spruell to Samuel Spruell. 20 acres on Beach Ridge adjoining land of Cuthbert Phelps; Jan. 23, 1720. Test, Jos. Spruell, Jno. Swain.

Abraham Hill of Nansemond Co., Va., to Wm. Hinton. 75 acres near the head of the Horse Pool Swamp; Jan. 30, 1720-1. Test, Thos. Rountree, Edward Bass.

Same to Edward Bass, of Norfolk, Va., Parish to Elizabeth. 100 acres adjoining above. Test, Wm. Hinton, Thos. Rountree.

Same to John Bass, of Albemarle County. 200 acres adjoining above tracts; Jan. 30, 1720-1. Test, Wm. Hinton, Thos. Rountree.

John Smith to Wm. Halsey; Feb. 1, 1720-1. 450 acres on Barbecue Swamp, adjoining land of John Bush. Test, Thos. Spiers, Jos. Hudson, Rt. Hicks.

John Williams to Nicholas Crisp; Sept. 7, 1727. 200 acres in Perquimans on Albemarle Sound, adjoining lands of Thos. Harvey. Test, Wm. Little, Thos. Paris, Wm. Badham.

Sept. 21, 1727. The following paper was recorded at the request of Mr. Edmund Gale at Aberdeen the 18th June, 1680.

"Patrick Gruigshank, merchant in Aberdeen, and Jean Gormack, his spouse had one son Baptised by Mas John Menties, called John, witnesses and God-fathers, the said Mas John Menzies, John Buchan, John Palen, John Findlather, Jno. Menlies and John Cruikshank, Extracted from the Register of Baptisms of Aberdeen by Alexander Milne, Town Clerk and Dep. of the new Borough subscribing as Milne Clk. Dept. Robert Stuart, James Robertson, John Dean Justices; May 25, 1715. Certify to the knowledge of John Cruikshank, being of Creditable family, &c.

John Cruikshank appoints Fred'k Jones his attorney, to collect his dividend of estate, of his uncle Patrick Gormack, May 24, 1718. Test, John Bray.

Mary West, Admx. of Benj. West. 100£ by virtue of Power of Attorney from John Cruikshank to receive legacy left him by last will & Testament of Patrick Gormack.

Sam'l Woodward to Wm. Yates. Assignment Patent for 640 acres in Rockyhock Neck; July 19, 1721. Test, Robt. Hicks, Jno. Wallis.

Andrew Stevenson to Jno. Cherryholme; July 21, 1719-20. 150 acres West side Chowan River, at Chas. Gavin's Corner. Test, Adam Cockburn, Jno. Holmes, Wm. Halsey.

Wm. Boon and wife Elizabeth to Thos. Boon, Jr., July 15, 1721. 50 acres part of 423 acres on South side Meherring River. Test, John Dew, Sr., John Dew, Jr., Rt. Hicks.

Same to Samuel Canady. 100 acres adjoining above; July 15, 1721. Same Tests.

Same to Benj. Fort. 40 acres on Meherrin River. Same date, &c.

Same to Nicholas Boon. 40 acres, &c., &c., as above.

Same to Jacob Boon. 50 acres &c., as above.

Same to Nicholas Boon. 50 acres &c., as above.

Same to Wm. Powell. 200 acres part of Patent for 630 acres; Jan. 10, 1721. Test, Thos. Boon, Rt. Hicks.

Same to Wm. Bonner. 200 acres part of above tract, &c., as above.

James Boon and wife Elizabeth to Wm. Boon. Patent of 600 acres dated Apl. 5, 1720, this deed dated July 15, 1721. Test, Robert Hicks.

Thos. Boon to Wm. Boon. 520 acres on Southside Meherrin River; July 15, 1721. Test, Rt. Hicks.

James Boon to Stephen Howard. 100 acres on South side Chowan River; July 22, 1721. Test, Edward Howard, Robert Hicks.

John Nairne to Cornelius Harnett. 120 acres West side Queen Anne's Creek, adjoining lands of Edward Wingate and Wm. Coward, July 28, 1721. Test, Edw'd Wingate, Rich'd Wilson.

William Maule and wife Penelope to Gideon Gibson. 200 acres South side Morattuck River adjoining land of Wm. Jones; July 24, 1721. Test, Patrick Maule, Wm. Gray.

Wm. Bush to Robert Evans; Aug. 1, 1721. 100 acres West side Chowan River, beginning at a cypress at the lower end of an island. Test, James Page, Wm. Cromer, Jno. Smith.

James Anderson to Robert Sims; Nov. 11, 1720. 100 acres adjoining land of Wm. Boon. Test, Henry Sims, Henry Wheeler.

Same to Same. 200 acres part of a Patent for 600 acres dated Mch. 5, 1711-2. (Sept. 2nd, 1721.)

Same to Henry Sims. 200 acres adjoining above Sept. 2, 1721. Test, Nic Boon, Wm. Boon.

Nath'l Merritt to Ralph Mason. 50 acres South side Morattuck River; June 26, 1721. Test, John Gray, Wm. Lowe, Thos. Whitmell.

Ralph Mason and wife Sarah to Richard Blackman. 100 acres North side Morattuck River; June 26, 1721. Test, Jno. Gray, Thos. Whitmell, Rich'd Turberville, Eliz. Whitmell.

John Nairn to his friend Thos. Rodes. 50 acres North side Morattuck River; Sept. 5, 1721. Test, Thos. Mewborn, Sam'l Williams.

John Green and wife Anna to James Brogden. 100 acres South side Morattuck River; Aug. 1, 1721. Test, Thos. Smith, Richard Pace.

Same to Bartholomew Chevis. Plantation North Side Morattuck River, Sept. 1, 1721. Test, Thos. Smith, Richard Pace.

Ralph Mason and wife Sarah to John Coleson. 160 acres North side Morattuck River, adjoining lands of Turberville and Forster Mann; July, 1721. Test, Jno. Gray, Thos. Arrington, Ra Mason.

Wm. Reeves to Francis Vernon. 50 acres South side Morattuck River; Jan. 15, 1720. Test, Ralph Mason, John Nairn.

Wm. Low to Edmund Rogers. 140 acres adjoining land of Wm. Smith on Morattuck River; July 19, 1720. Test, Christian Dickson, Jno. Nairn.

Wm. Reeves to Ralph Mason; Jan'y 19, 1720. 60 acres South side Morattuck River. Test, Edward Rogers, John Nairn.

Same to Edward Rogers; Jan. 19, 1720. 100 acres S. W. side Morattuck River. Test, Ralph Mason, John Nairn.

Owen McDaniel to Phillip Castello. 220 acres South side Poplar Swamp, adjoining lands of Andrew Barron; Aug. 15, 1720. Test, John Stern, John Nairn.

Richard Lang to Daniel Crawley; Jan. 27, 1720. 380 acres South side Morattuck River. Test, John Leonard, John Nairn.

John Kelly to Roger Case and wife Elizabeth. Deed of Gift for 50 acres North side Morattuck River, at the Cross Meadow's; Sber 8, 1720. Test, Daniel Conally, John Nairn.

John Williams to my neighbor James Blount. Deed of Gift for 10 acres North side Morattuck River. Test, Henry Emanson, Jacob Odom, John Nairn.

Abel Johnson alias John Butler and wife Rachel to Thomas Mitchell. 60 acres land North side Kesiah River; July 22, 1721. Test, Wm. Gardner, Roger Snell, Solomon Jordan.

William Charlton, Jr., to Thomas Luten, Jr., and Wm. Benbury. Assignment of a Patent for 60 acres dated Mch. 30, 1721. Test, Christian Heidelberg, Orlando Champion.

Alex Vangall to Timothy Truelove. Assignment of a deed (dated Dec. 5, 1718.); July 18, 1721. Test, Roger Hazard, Robert Hicks.

Robert Hawkins, of Bath County, to Margaret Hairnbrook Spinster. Deed of Gift. Plantation in Craven, adjoining land of Wm. Stone, Dec'd and Ernest Ward. 470 acres; 14 July, 1721. Test, Wm. Dowers, Robert Hicks, John New.

Roger Snell to John Byrd. 100 acres adjoining land of Joseph Skittlethorpe, June 24, 1721. Test, John Crombie, Wm. Bush.

Thomas West and wife Martha to Roger Snell. 400 acres on Casiah River; July 25, 1721. Test, Solomon Jordan, James Corne.

John Yelverton to Richard Willson. Assignment of a Patent for 400 acres, dated Mch. 4, 1711-12; Deed dated 27, July, 1721. Test, John Falconer, George Gulliford.

Wm. Frost to Martin Cromens. 275 acres west side Casia River; July 12, 1721. Test, John Thompson, Wm. Lattimore, Thos. Conners, Alex. Barron.

John Green to Thos. Charles. 150 acres South side Morattuck River; 13 Augt., 1721. Test, John Gray, Thos. Smith, John Bobbitt.

Richard Willson to Wm. Coward.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the land I bought of John Yelverton, 150 acres; 11 Sept. 1721. Test, Thomas Matthews, Robert Hicks.

James Anderson and wife Elizabeth to Joseph Sims. 100 acres on

Cypress Swamp, patented by Wm. Brasswell, Nov. 2, 1720. Test, Matt Russian, Henry Sims, Wm. Murphy.

Moses Foxworth and wife Martha to James Maglohan. 490 acres on Indian Town Creek; 8 June, 1721. Test, Adam Cockburne, John Jordan.

Wm. Whitehead to Mabel King, daughter of Nathan Kirby. 640 acres patented 30 Mch, 1721; Nov. 20, 1721. Test, Henry Council, E. Moseley.

Same to Hardy Council. Assignment of a Patent for 640 acres at Urah Swamp; 2 Nov., 1721. Test, Esther Hicks, E. Moseley.

John Lovick to Wm. Stewart. Assigns deed for 100 acres called Bluff Point formerly bought by said Stewart of Edmund Porter; 20 August, 1721. Test, Wm. Little, J. Stiner.

John Bennett, Sr., to Thos. Stacey. Assignment of Deed; 10 7ber, 1715. Test, John Falconer, Wm. Privett.

Edward Cockrell to Daniel Harrison. 166 acres west side Rockyhock Creek; 17 Apl, 1716. Test, Jno. Marks, John Nairne.

Peter Parker and wife Grace to Mm. Copeland. 200 acres on South side Long Run. 14 Apl. 1716. Test, John Jordan, Jane Jordan.

John Hawkins to John Plowman. Assigns 100 acres and also 59 acres Martha Keeter and her son, ratifying, 9 Apl., 1716. Test, John Boyd, John Crombie.

Same to Martha Clark. Tract of land on Cashoke Creek; 1716. Test, Jno. Byrd, John Crombie.

John Plowman to Joseph Suttin, Sr., of Perquimans. Assignment of 318 acres N. E. side Kesiah River; 22 Augt., 1715. Test, Solomon Jordan, Jno. Byrd.

Martin, Charles, and wife Mourning, of Isle of Wight Co., Va. Appoints Robert Hicks their Attorney; 22 Dec., 1715. Test, Jno. Marks, Thos. Marks.

Same to Edward Cockreller. 166 acres on Rockyhock Creek; 12 Apl., 1716.

Thomas Stacey and wife Christian to Alex Smith. 25 acres near the Albemarle Sound; 30 July, 1715.

Last nine conveyances are from scattered leaves Book B, No. 1.



## MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

(From Court Records of Bertie Co. at Windsor, N. C.)

"At a Court holden for sd County in the Publick Warehouse near Cashy Bridge, the 8 day of May, 1744. Present, Mr. Castellow, Mr. Ned'm Bryan, Mr. Harrell, Mr. Whitmell, Mr. Winn."

Mr. Robt. Forster produced a Commission under the hand and Seal of the Hon. Nathaniel Rice, Sect'y of the Province, appointing him Clk of this County, wch was read and admitted, and the sd. R. Forster thereupon took & subscribed the several Oaths by Law appointed for Qualification of Publick Officers as also the Test.

Ord'd. That the sd Forster give security for the faithfull discharge of the sd Office in the Sum of £200, Proc'n.

Ord'd. That the Late Clk Mr. DeLon do forthwith deliver all Books, Papers and other Records & files whatever to the Clk's Office of this County belong'g unto the present Clk.

Rebecca Stephenson (widow of Thomas) prayed administration on Estate of her deceased husband. Granted.

Susana Gibbs (widow of Henry) prayed do on Est her deceased husband, granted.

The Will of John Rodolph was exhibited in Court by Anne Stenfield his widow and proven by oath of Benj. Hill and Alex Cotten.

All the inhabitants from the Beaver Dam down to Red Bud ordered to work on the Main Country Road from the sd Beaver Dam to Red Bud.

Benjamin Staples was placed under the tuition of Col. Peter West, he is now about 8 mos. old.

Will of Wm. Bryan was proven by oath of Robert Thomson and Anne Steward.

Wm. Taylor, Exr. of Thos. Bunten exhibited Inventory of his said Estate.

John Weston was appointed Constable.

Ord'd That Jno. Early, Wm. Rasberry and Thos. Dixon and their Familys Do Clear and Keep Constantly Clear'd Wicakon Creek as high up as lately Clear'd and be exempt from work on all other Roads.

Jno. Wynns appointed Surveyor for ensuing 9 months. Court adjourned till to-morrow morning.

Wednesday morning Court met all present except Mr. Castellaw and Mr. Harrell. John Brown appeared and took his seat as a Justice.

Ed Razor appointed Constable from Howell's Mill a west course to Salmon Creek and so down to the mouth thereof.

Hugh Grimes also appointed a Constable.

A deed from Neh'h Waring to George Capehart was proven.

Thos. Walker was granted an Ordinary License.

Joseph Wimberly petitioned for a Ferry over Roanoke River at Coneat, which was granted and allowed to charge 2 shillings Bill money for a man and horse & 1 shilling for a single person. Alex Cotten and Epr. Moore Suretys.

Jonathan Standley granted permission to build a Grist Mill on Harris' branch between Cashy and Conoretsrat.

Thursday, May 10. Court met according to adjournment.

Noah Predham granted Ordinary License to be kept where he now dwells.

Const. Williamson granted a ferry at Quitsney to ferry over from her house until next Court.

Col. Hill exhibited his account due from the Country for building a Warehouse at Campbell's Landing am'ting to £113 8s. Allowed.

Col. Robert West appointed Surveyor of the Roads whereof the following persons were formerly Overseers, viz: John Holbrook, Wm. Ashley, John Brown, Roger Snell, John Collins, Joseph Knott, Jonathan Kitterlin, Jr., and Jno. Jenkins, with power to appoint a deputy and settle all disputes within the aforesaid limits. All public roads to be posted to and from the Court House and to & from all Publick Ferrys and that at the fork of any road a Post be set up directing to what place such Road leads.

The Court settled the following Rates for Liquors, Dyet, Lodging & Pasturage for horses to be observed by all Ordinary Keepers within this County, Viz.:

	£	s.	d.
West India Rum p. Gal. & so in proportion for greater or smaller quantity	4	0	0
N. Eng'd Rum p. Gal. & so in proportion for greater or smaller quantity	2	8	0
County made Brandy p. Gal. in proportion for greater or smaller quantity.	2	8	0
New Eng'd, N. York & Hugh's Crab Cider p. Gal'l, &c....	10	0	
A Galo. of Punch with a qt of Wt. India Rum Loaf Sugar & Lime juice, &c.	2	0	0
A Galo. of Punch with a qt of N. Eng'd Rum or Brandy with bro. Sugar, &c.	1	4	0
Madeira or Portugal Wine p. Quart.	1	0	0
Dinner with wheat Bread, Cyder & small beer.	7	6	
Breakfast or Supper.	5	0	
Lodging p. night for a Bed & Clean Sheets for himself..	5	0	
Pasturage for a horse for 24 hours.	2	6	
Corn or Oats p. Galo.	4	0	

May 11. Court met, present Messrs. Lockhart, Harrell, Winn, Castellaw and Whitmell, Justices.

Mr. Barker, att'y for Joseph Perry, took an order for the sale of some part of the perishable estate of Mary Speight.

The Sheriff was appointed Vandue Master.

Mr. Barker (in the right of his wife Feraby), one of the Exxrs. of Francis Pugh, dec'd, exhibited his account of money Received and Disbursed on account of said Estate, Vouchers produced and allowed. There appears due to said Pugh's Estate £263.8 1-4s curr't money of Va. Ordered recorded, &c. He also moved the Court to appoint proper persons to divide the Estate. Jno. Harrell, Need'm Bryan, Thos. Whitmell, Wm. Taylor and Rich'd Williams, or any three of them were appointed to divide the Estate and make return to the next Court.

Ord'd, That Luke Meezle, Wm. Lattemor and Jos. Jordan divide the Est. of Dan'l Hendrick amongst his children and report next Court.

Benj. Wynns appointed Deputy Cl'k of this County, was duly qualified.

Court adjourned to the next Court in Course to be holden at the Warehouse near Cashy Bridge.

Gabriel Manly and Rachel Redditt recorded their marks.

At a Court holden for sd County (Bertie), at the Warehouse, &c., Tuesday, 14th day of August, 1744, present, \*Geo. Goulde, James Castellaw, John Harrell, Tho. Whitmell, Jno. Winn and Needham Bryan, Justices.

The will of Wm. Williamson was proven. Mary Williamson and Wm. Williamson qualified as Exx. and Exr.

Inventory Est. Henry Gibbs returned by Susanna Gibbs, Admx. Ordered that Col. Robt. West, Luke Mizell and Roger Snell divide the Estate.

Inventory of the Est. of Wm. Bryan; dec'd, was exhibited by Catharine Bryan, Admx., with the will annexed.

John Jenkins proved ten white rights, viz: Jno. Jenkins, wife Anne, James, Elizabeth, Casia, Mary, John, Anna, Cader and Lewis, his children.

Benjamin Warren proved his rights, viz: himself, wife Esther, James, Benjamin, Margaret, Mary, Patience, William and Esther. J. W. to pay.

Isaac Stallings administered on the Est. of his brother, Jonas Stallings.

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Mt. Gould, on Chowan River, took its name from Geo. Gould. Prior to his ownership it was called Mt. Golland after the family into which Gov. Chas. Eden married.

Elisha Jones, aged 10 yrs., son of George Jones, placed under tuition of Henry Everet.

Wednesday, Aug. 15. Court met, present Geo. Gould Wm. Cathcart, Jas. Castellaw, Justices.

Joseph Wimberly, Foreman Grand Jury.

Thos. Barker, Att'y for Sarah Howard (daughter of James), prayed the Court that Thos. Crea, who intermarried with the widow of James Howard, deliver to said Sarah a negro girl left her by her father; so ordered.

Thos. Whitmell's account was exhibited for ten days' attendance at the Public Warehouse (in Nov. and Jan'y last), at Cashy. Allowed.

Mr. John Harrell returned the Division of Francis Pugh's Estate.

The Petition of the Inhabitants of Petty Shore & Wickone (Wickone), was read.

Acc't sales Est. Mary Speight were rendered and ordered recorded.

Joseph Wimberly, Exr. of John Coward, presented his acct. with sd Estate; ordered audited and recorded.

Thursday morning, August 16, 1744. Court met, present, Messrs. Bryan, Castellaw, Whitmell & Wynns, Justices.

Constance Williamson pet. for a Ferry over Roanoke River at Quitsney; granted.

Petition for a Road from the old Road near the head of Killam branches to Wm. Wynns' Landing at Mt. Pleasant, was granted and ordered that Wm. Wynns, Eben'r Slauson, Treddle Keefe, Alex'r Vollantine, Wm. Evans, And'w Cullifer, John Wesson, Ed'w Wesson, Aron Oliver, Robt. Carter, Henry Brown, Moses Davis, John Watsford, Wm. Williamson, Richard Sowell, Jr., Wm. Hooker, Jr., Jno. Stallins or any 12 of them lay out sd Road from Horspen Meadow to the sd. Wynns' Landing, &c. Jno. Wynns appointed surveyor for ensuing 6 mos.

Thos. Jackson exhibited his acct. as Inspector for the year 1743. Allowed £10 Proc.

The Court adjourned to the Court House on the other side of the Bridge near Mr. Castellaw's Mill, present Messrs. Castellaw, Wynns, Brown and Bryan.

Capt. Jas. McDowell, Admr. of John Holbrook, presented his acct. Ordered Audited, &c.

Oct. 1, 1744, John Chamble records his mark.

9ber 9, 1744, Paul Bunch records his mark.

9ber 13, 1744, Thos. Jacob and John Lawrence, Jr., record their marks.

At a Court begun and held for Bertie Co. at the Court House near Cashy Bridge on Tuesday, 13th day of Nov., A. D., 1744. Present, Jno. Harrell, Needham Bryan and John Wynns, Esqs., Justices.

Elizabeth Roach granted administration of the Estate of her deceased husband, Patrick Roach.

Will of Constance Williamson was proven and Wm. Pearce qualified as Exr.

Jos. Wynns proved his rights, viz: himself, Judith, Geo. Pallacialh Wynns, Clara Anna Wynns, Jos. Perry Wynns and Anna Hubbard (whites), Phyllis (a black).

Wm. Outlaw proved his rights, viz: himself, Mary Outlaw, Anna and James Outlaw.

Wm. Outlaw proved Thos. Finch's rights, viz: Thomas and Mary Finch (whites), Mary and Toney (blacks).

Thos. Walker proved his rights, viz: Sam'l, John, William and George Walker (whites).

Daniel Hysmith proved six of his rights, viz: Daniel, Ann, John, Mary, Daniel and Sarah Hysmith.

Anthony Webb, Foreman of the Grand Jury.

Wednesday morning Court met. Present as before.

Theophilus Pugh granted Ordinary License to be kept at his place in Bertie Co., called Outlaw's, on Chowan River.

James McDowall proved his rights, viz: Himself, wife Margaret and 13 blacks.

James McDowall for himself and James Castellaw, undertakers for building the Court House and prison for this County, informed the Court that the prison is "sufficient Erected & Built," and prays a view thereof. On viewing the same, adjudge that when underpinned with good Timbers of 18 inches square and more ye same, that the N end is sprung \* \* \* with the south side of the Ct. house, with the same West. Distance it now has & well secure ye floors & Pet'n, that the same shall be deemed the Public Goal of the County.

Thos. Odam proved his rights, viz: Himself, wife Sarah, Susanah and Jacob Odam (whites).

Read Pet'n of Inhabitants about Wattam and adjourned.

Jan'y 15, 1744-5. Rob't Carter records his mark. Jan'y 17 John Wilson, do; Jan. 22 John Lewis, do.

At a Court begun and held at the Court House Feb'y 12, 1744, Present, Messrs. Bryan, Harrell, Whitmell and Brown, Esqs., Justices.

John Williams proved 10 rights, viz: Primus, Kinney, Grace, Guye, Phillis, Cezar, Betty, Sarah, Jack and Asha.

Inventory Est. Jno. Webb was proven by Thos. Ashburn.

Michael Burn was granted License for an Ordinary at plantation where James Stewart formerly lived.

Wm. Bly proved his rights, viz: John and James Bly (whites).

Wm. Collins (in right of his wife Ellinor as next of kin), administered on Est. James Frost, dec'd.

Wm. Brasswell, orphan 14 yrs. old, committed to the care of Richard Williams.

A Caveat was entered against probate Will of John Bird.

Wednesday morning, Feb'y 1744-5. Joseph Jones appointed Surveyor of Roads in place of John Brown.

Nicholas Perry Constable in place of John Robinson; Richard Sanders Constable in place of Jas. Cotten. John Gray Surveyor of the road from Lower Roquist Bridge to Cashy Bridge.

Edw'd Gilman and James Boon record their marks.

Alexander Cotten appointed surveyor of the Road in place of Thos. Jackson.

Thos. Barker petitioned for a road from the Quitsney Road to Cashy, refused.

Wm. Wynns Foreman Grand Jury.

Robert Lawrence and Robt. Bird recorded their marks.

Moses Horn proved his rights, viz.: Moses, Joel & Mary Horn (whites), & Edward Wever (black).

Jos. Barradail Surveyor of the Road from Stoney Creek to Chinkopen Bridge.

Thos. Hansford overseer of the road from his Ferry to Wiccacon Bridge.

Thos. Jackson appointed Deputy Sheriff.

Inv. Est. Thos. Collins exhibited by Edward Collins, Adm'r.

Thursday morning, Feb'y 14, 1744-5. Court met, Present, Messrs. Bryan, Harrell, Wynns and Brown, Justices.

Richard Williford appointed Constable in place of Thos. Bird; also John Rogers vice Edw'd Razor.

John Jarnegan proves his rights, viz: Jno. Jarnegan, Elizabeth, James Bolton, James Jarnegan and Dempsey Brasswell (whites), Jack (a black).

Thos. Barker administered on Est. of Job. Berton.

Will of John Bird proved. Geo. Bell qualified as Exr.

Friday morning, Feb'y 15, 1744-5. The Court adjudged the Goal being completely built on the outside and is therefore deemed the publick Goal of this County.

At a Court begun and held at Cashy on Tuesday, May 14, 1745. Present, Geo. Gould, Jas. Castellaw, Needham Bryan, John Bryan, Thos. Whitmell and John Wynns. Esqrs., Justices.

The Court recommended the following persons to the Governor for Sheriff of the County by the following vote: John Brown 6 votes, Thos. Whitmell 5 votes, Needham Bryan and John Wynne 3 votes each.

Wm. Baker's will proved, Elizabeth Baker and John Baker qualified as Exx. and Sxr. Benj. Wynns and Peter Evans to divide Estate.

Petition of Ursilla Pell read and rejected.

George Hughes proved ten rights, viz: Himself, wife Sarah, Mary, Ann, Elizabeth, Elisha, Jemima, William, George and Thomas (all whites).

John Thomas proved four rights, to-wit: Himself, wife Martha, Phoebe and Elizabeth (whites).

Wm. Cathcart and wife Penelope (nee Maule, daughter of Wm. Maule and wife Penelope, (Editor), acknowledged a deed.

Thomas Pugh, orphan of Francis, 19 yrs. old, chose his brother John Pugh as his Guardian.

Andrew Thompson, Foreman Grand Jury.

Mary Staples orphan placed under tuition of Thos. Finch.

Abraham Herring, Jr., records his mark.

Capt. James McDowell present Sheriff.

Caleb Spivey proves 10 white rights and 3 black (not named).

Ann Evans administered on the Est of her husband Robt. Evans.

Mary Clayton admx. Est. Nicholas Fairless.

Mary Bird daughter of John and niece of Geo. Bell.

Jno. Wynns appointed to sell the timber prepared towards building a Court-house and prison at Stoney Creek to prosecute the purchaser and return the money to the next Court.

Thos. Whitnell produced his Commission as Sheriff from the Governor and was qualified with John Gray and John Blount sureties.

At a Court begun and held at the Court House near Cashy Bridge, Aug. 13, 1745. Adjourned until To-morrow morning at which time there were present, Jas. Castellaw, Needham Bryan, John Wynns and John Brown Esqs, Justices.

Return of the division of William Baker's Estate exhibited, &c. Mary Speight widow of Moses Speight administered on her husband's estate, his orphan Thos. Speight chose his mother as Gdn.

Rachel Bradley administered on the estate of her husband John Bradley.

Samuel and John Cook recorded their marks.

John Van Pelt presented plan of one acre of land laid out of Wm. Badham's estate for a public Grist Mill.

Oct. 21, 1746. Benjamin and Simon Hooker record their marks.

At a Court begun and held at the Court House on Tuesday Nov. 12, 1745. Present, Jas. Castellaw, Jas. McDowall and John Wynns, Esqs., Justices.

John Horne orphan of John and Sarah Horne his wife, about 6 years old committed to tuition of Jno. Wynns.

Henry Hunter qualified as Deputy Sheriff.

Phillip Walston foreman of the Grand Jury.

Wednesday morning, Nov. 13, 1745. Robt. Howell proved his rights, viz: himself and Sarah Howell & 2 blacks.

Nath'l Overton orphan of James was committed to the care of Thos. Clifton.

Benj. Wynns and Daniel VanPelt Pn-masters also Geo. Hughes and James Jones.

Thursday morning Nov. 14, 1745. Will of Patrick O'Quin was proven. Martha O'Quin qualified as Exx.

John Verlin intermarried with Mary Fairless Admx of Nicholas Fairless, John Harrell and Peter Evans to take property of orphans in charge, Jos. Witherington, Benj. and Wm. Winn and Francis Benton to divide Estate at once.

Order'd, That a Levy of four pence Proc-money be collected by the Sheriff of the County from every Taxable pson within sd County to defray the charge and expense of a standard of weights & measures.

Ephraim Hunter and John Weston Pn. Masters.

Ordained. That One Shilling Bills be collected by the Sher. of sd County from every Taxable Person within sd County to be applied in Repairing the Public Warehouse at Capt. Campbell's Landing on Chowan River. And the Court agreed with some Persons to repair the sd. Warehouse & Exhibit his account of the cost to be allowed by this Court at its next meeting.

Mch. 11, 1745. John Sholar records his mark and brand.

At a Court begun and held for sd. County on Tuesday, Feb'y 11, 1745-6. Present James Castellaw, John Harrell, Jno. Wynns and — Brown, Esqs., Justices.

The will of Thos. Andrews was proven, Richard Williams qualified as Exr.

Joseph Wimberly, Foreman, Grand Jury.

Wednesday morning Feb'y 12, 1745-6. Sam'l and Wm. Andrews qualified as Exrs. of Thos. Andrews, his widow Martha having relinquished her right.

John Savage in right of his wife Susanna Admx. Est. of Henry Gibbs produced his accts., &c.

Thursday morning Feb'y 13, 1745-6. Inv. Est of Col. Theophilus Pugh, late of Nansemond Co., Va., was exhibited in Court by John Hodgson, Atty.

John Brown qualified as Exr to will of Patrick O'Quin.

Jacob Sharp proved his rights, viz: Jacob Sharp and Elizabeth Sharp, John Glass, Sarah Bennett & Starkey Sharp whites and 2 blacks.



Div. Est. Robt. Evans reported.

Indenture of Jno. Homes resigned by Jno. Wyny to Edw'd Gilman.

May 14, 1746. William Castellaw records his brand.

At a Court held Tuesday May 13, 1746. A commission from Gov. Gabriel Johnston assigning as Justices of the Peace for said County the following, viz: Geo. Gould, Wm. Cathcart, Jas. Castellaw, Benj. Hill, Thos. Barker, Thos. Hansford, Needham Bryan, Jno. Harrell, Thos. Whitmell, Geo. Lockhart, Jno. Brown, Sam'l Scolley, Sam'l Ormes, Edward Bryan, Geo. Patison and Robt. Hunter, was read and Messrs. Castellaw, Hansford, Ormes, Edward Bryan, Geo. Patison and Robt. Hunter.

John Gray Foreman of the Grand Jury.

Inventory Est. Thos. Andrews was exhibited by Sam'l and Wm. Andrews, &c.

Wednesday morning, May 14, 1746. Same Justices present, Jno. Harrell qualified as a Justice.

Will of John Jernigan proved, Elizabeth Jernigan qualified as Exx.

Thursday Morning, May 15, 1746. Messrs. Hansford, Ormes, Bryan and Pattison, Justices present. Also Messrs. Hunter and Harrell, Jno. Brown qualified as a Justice.

Ordered that the High Sheriff of this County pay Thos. Jackson £35 Bill money of the Tax raised to repaint the Public Warehouse at Campbell's Landing on Chowan River.

At a Court held at the Court-house in said County, Aug. 12, 1746. Present, John Harrell, Geo. Pattison and Robt. Hunter, Esqs., Justices, Needham Bryan and Geo. Lockhart qualified as Justices.

John Smithwick Foreman Grand Jury.

Wednesday morning, Aug. 13, 1746. Kedar Powell recorded his mark.

John Holder proved one right himself.

John Barber proved his rights, himself, Wife Anna and Sarah Barber.

John Davison, Joseph Evans (son of William) Wm. Evans, Jr., and Gabriel Manly recorded their marks and brands.

At a Court held for said County at the Court House Tuesday Nov. 11, 1746. Present, Jas. Castellaw, Thos. Hansford and John Brown, Esqs., Justices.

Thos. Mitchell, 16 yrs of age, orphan of John Mitchell, placed under tuition of Wm. Weston.

John Brown (orphan of John Brown) 16 yrs. of age, chose his brother Wm. Brown as his Gdn.

Wednesday morning, Nov. 12, 1746. Col. Benj. Hill qualified as a Justice.

George Capehart and Mary his wife acknowledged a Deed of Sale to Peter Christian Shrock.

Judith Burn qualified as Adm'x on her deceased husband Michael Burn's Est.

John Sullivan (orphan of Murter Sullivan) placed under tuition of Thos. Ashley.

Ordered. That One Shilling bill be levied, &c., towards repairing the Publick Warehouse at Campbell's Landing on Chowan River.

Richard Roberts, Jr., recorded his mark Jan'y 14, 1746-7.

At a Court held at the Court house Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1746-7. Present, Jas. Castellaw, Thos. Hansford, John Harrell, Geo. Pattison, Esqs., Justices, also Geo. Lockhart, Edw'd Bryan and Jno. Brown.

John Brickell granted ordinary license.

Ordered that the Bonds for building the Court House, &c., be Prosecuted, &c., that the Clk. of the Ct. Deliver the said Bonds into the hands of Mr. Barker or Mr. Hodgson and be prosecuted by them.

John Brown (son of Francis) and John Reed record their marks also Capt. Jno. Campbell. A mouse ear in the right and a crop & two nicks in the left ear.

A Court was held May 12, 1747, at the Court House. Present, Thos. Hansford, Jno. Harrell, Needham Bryan, John Brown and Geo. Pattison, Esqs., Justices, Geo. Gould qualified as a Justice.

John Brown received 6 votes, Needham Bryan 5 votes, and Jno. Harrell 3 votes for recommendation to the Governor, to be appointed Sheriff of the County.

Jno. Wynns, Foreman of the Grand Jury.

Ordered. That Sam'l Ormes and Nath'l Duckenfield keep a Publick Ferry from the Plantation whereon said Ormes now lives over Chowan River or Sound to Edenton & that he receive Two Shillings Proc. Money for every person. Thos. Barker and Thos. Whitmell Sureties.

Ordered. That Thos. Hansford keep a Public Ferry across Chowan River from the Pitch Landing to Thos. Taylor's Landing on Bennett's Creek, in Chowan County, and be allowed 16 pence Proc. for a man and a horse and eight pence proc. for a single person. Geo. Gould Surety.

Jno. Brown produced his Commission as Sheriff from Gov. Gabriel Johnston, and qualified as such.

\*Anne Jacocks administered on the Estate of her deceased husband, Charles Worth Jacocks. Robert West, Jr., qualified as her Surety in the Sum of £500 Proc. Money.

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\*Anne Jacocks was the daughter of Col. Robert West and wife Mary, nee Harvey, daughter of Gov. Thomas Harvey and wife Sarah Laker, of Perquimans Precinct. Robt. West, Jr., was her half brother. Mrs. Jacocks md. 2nd Simon Bryan (son of Lewis and wife Elizabeth Hunter).

John Sallis was appointed Deputy Sheriff.

Thos. Jackson exhibited his acc't for repairing the Publick Ware house at Campbell's Landing am'ting to £113 18s. Bill which was allowed and Sheriff ordered to pay the amount.

John Brown's Bond as Sheriff with Thos. Whitmell and Benj. Wynns as Sureties was acknowledged and ordered recorded, &c.

A Court was held at the Court House at Cashy Bridge Aug. 11, 1747. Present, Jas. Castellaw, Ben. Hill and John Harrell, Esqs., Justices.

Joseph Hardy Foreman of the Grand Jury.

James Craven produced his License as an Attorney from the Governor, &c.

Inventory Est. Charles Worth Jacocks exhibited by Robt. West, Jr.

Three Orphans in the care of their Father-in-law Jonathan Miller were transferred to the tuition of John Oxley.

James Campbell ordered to sell perishable Estate of Andrew Oliver, dec'd.

John Castellaw, John Sallis and Anna Slawsen (daughter of Ebenezer) record their marks and brands.

Isaac Redditt, aged 10 yrs, Orphan of William and Susanna Redditt committed to tuition of John Crickett.

\*Elizabeth Jacocks, Orphan of Jonathan Jacocks and his wife Mary, aged about 17 yrs. came into Court and chose Edward Bryan as her Guardian.

Rachel Redditt, orphan of William and Susanna Redditt, committed to tuition of Hugh Hyman.

Will of Handrick VanPelt was proven by oaths of Thos. Hansford and Alex Vollentine.

John Wynns Foreman of the Grand Jury.

Anna Slawson administered on the estate of her deceased husband Ebenezer Slawson.

Commission of Whyriot Ormond as King's Attorney was read, &c., by James Craven.

The Court House was received on application of Capt. James M Dowall and the bonds ordered cancelled, when said McDowall shall build a petition across the Chamber of said Court house.

William Andrews, Joshua Middleton (son of William) and James Willson (son of John) record their marks.

A Court was held at the Court House on Tuesday, Feb'y 9, 1747-8. Present, Jas. Castellaw, Needham Bryan and Jno. Harrell, Esqs., Justices.

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\*Elizabeth Jacocks and Martha Bryan were cousins, daughters of Mary and Martha Blount (daughters of John Blount and wife Elizabeth Davis).

The Court adjourned on Wednesday morning to the house where Michael Linnot lately lived.

Inhabitants near Stony Creek petition for a new bridge; referred.

Will of Jonathan Kittrell was proven, Jonathan Kittrell, Jr., Exr.

Will of Jonathan Neeland was proven, Elizabeth Neeland Exx.

Joseph Jordan administered on the estate of Mary Speight, dec'd.

Jethro Rountree was continued as Constable.

Alex Vollantine was appointed Surveyor of the road in place of Jno. Wynns, over Chinkopin bridge.

A Deed from Thos. Yates to Joseph Jacocks was proven by oath of Edward Bryan.

Will of Edward Tidman was proven by oath of David Vollantine and John Jones, Stephen Brown qualified as Exr.

Ordinary license was granted Alex Cotten to be kept at the Plantation on Chowan River called Outlaw's. Jos. Perry and James Cotten Sureties.

Susanna Pratt, Nathan Horton, and John Hocott record their marks.

A Court was held at the Court House at Cashy Bridge, May 10, 1748. Present Jas. Castellaw, Jno. Harrell, Needham Bryan and Geo. Pattison, Esqs., Justices; Justices Hansford, Ormes, Edwd. Bryan and Pattison appeared later.

John Lovick presented his Commission from the Honble Nath'l Rice Secretary of the Province as Clerk of this Court and was duly qualified, &c., also as Public Register, &c.

A will proven from Paul Pender to John Pender by oath of Alex Cotten.

Will of Wm. Weston was proven by oaths of Joseph Watsford and Moses Green.

Ordered that Thos Whitnell buy such weights and measures, as the law requires, for the use of the County, and that if he sends to London for the same, he be allowed a reasonable commission on the first lott to be allowed by the County Money now in his hands.

At a Court held at the Court House at Cashy Bridge, Aug. 9, 1748. Present, Justices Needham Bryan, Edward Bryan, Geo. Patterson and Jas. Castellaw.

Inv. Est. Dr. Wm. Powers was returned by Col. Benj. Hill.

John Seires orphan of Silvester Seires placed under tuition Michael Ward.

A deed of Sale was proven from Francis Crisp.

Inventory Est. Daniel VanPelt was proven by oath Daniel VanPelt, Jr.

Wm. Baker recorded his mark.

Daniel VanPelt ordered to sell part of John VanPelt's estate.

Ordered that John Sallis provide Locks for the prison and Court house and bolts for the Court house windows and likewise a Table for the Court house & to \* \* \* \* the Court house yard and fence in the same and that a Levy be laid to defray charges thereof.

At a Court held at the Court house at Cashy Bridge Feb. 14, 1748-9. Present Justices Castellaw, John Harrell, Geo. Patterson and Needham Bryan.

John Wynns, Foreman of the Grand Jury.

Will of Richard Moore was proven by oaths of Wm. Rue and Thomas Davis.

Van Pelt's Bridge was mentioned. Pettygrove Salsberry overseer of the road from Williams Ferry to where Ball lives.

At a Court held at the Court House at Cashy Bridge, Tuesday, May 9, 1749. Present, Justices, Needham Bryan, John Harrell, Thos. Hansford, Geo. Lockhart, Edward Bryan, Sam'l Ormes and Geo. Patterson.

Will of Wm. Bly was proven.

Recommendations for Sheriff of the County was made to the Governor, by the following vote, Edward Bryan 6 votes, Geo. Lockhart 5 votes, Needham Bryan 4 votes.

Wm. Mansell, Gent., produced and presented his license to practice as an Attorney; he was admitted and duly qualified.

Thomas Ryan Foreman of the Grand Jury.

Benj. Wynns admr. Est. Wm. Downing, dec'd.

Thos. Whitmell was appointed Keeper of the weights and measures, John Hill and Humphrey Bate Sureties.

Inv. Est. of W. Weston exhibited by William and John Weston, Exrs.

James McGlahon, (son of Jeremiah).

George Lockhart produced his Commission from Gov. Gabriel Johnston as Sheriff and was duly qualified with James Flood and James McDowall, Sureties.

Petition of Simon Bryan who intermarried with Anne Jacocks, widow of Charles Worth Jacocks, dec'd, to divide said Jacock's estate between his children.

At a Court held at the Court house at Cashy Bridge, Aug. 8, 1749. Present, Justices Needham Bryan, John Bryan, Sam'l Ormes and Geo. Patterson.

John Sallis was appointed Dep. Sheriff.

Barnaby Hely Dunston acknowledged deed to Jenkins Hansford.

Will of Thos. Rogers was proven by oath of Wm. Lattimore.

A Jury was appointed to fix a place for a new bridge over Stoney Creek, after which the Company on the road is to build and erect said bridge.

Commission of the Peace from Gov. Gabriel Johnston was read appointing as Justices for Bertie County the following persons, viz.: John Early, Wm. Goddin, Thos. Turner, Benj. Wynns, Wm. Wynns, Jr., & John Hill. Justices Hill and Early qualified. Adjourned until Wednesday morning. Wednesday morning, Present, Justices Needham Bryan, John Harrell and John Early.

Inv. Est. Jno. Harrell exhibited by Jno. Harrell, Jr. Div. Estate ordered.

Inv. Est. Geo. Gould was presented by Col. Benj. Hill.

Will of Mr. Castellaw proven by oath of Sarah Sanderlin, Thos. Whitmell qualified as Exr.

Thos. Castellaw applied for administration on the Est of his deceased father Jas. Castellaw.

A Court was held at the Court House at Cashy Bridge, Tuesday, Nov. 14, 1749. Present, Justices Benj. Hill, John Brown, Thos. Hansford and John Early.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gould qualified as Exx. of George Gould, dec'd, (her husband). Mrs. Gould receipted to Col. Benj. Hill and Thos. Barker, Admr. for the estate.

Henry Hunter Foreman of the Grand Jury.

Inv. Est. John Castellaw exhibited by his son Thos. Castellaw, Admr., &c. Sale ordered.

William Baker (son of James) was assigned to live with Eliz Newland until next Court.

Benj. Wynns, Wm. Wynns, Wm. Godwin and Thos. Turner qualified as Justices.

Mary Parrott, 14 yrs. of age, chose Wm. Fleetwood as her Guardian.

Inv. Est. Wm. Castellaw exhibited by Thos. Whitmell, &c. Sale ordered, &c.

Elizabeth Bligh qualified as Exx of Wm. Bligh.

Ordered, that John Wynns and John Smith clear Wicacon Creek from Daniel Van Pelts Landing to Benjamin Holliman's.

Will of Thomas Mewborn was proven by oath of Edward Rue, Eleanor Mewborn qualified as Exx.

Ordered that a new bridge be built over Potceasy near the Flatt, going over.

Peter Evans, surviving Exr. of Jacob Sharp ordered to return Inventory of sd. Estate to next Court. Also Richard Figures render acc't of such goods as came to his knowledge after his intermarrying with Elizabeth Sharpe.

John Wimberly's will was proven.

Information was made to the Court, that the Public Warehouse at Capt. John Campbell's Landing, was burned and destroyed, the

said Jno. Campbell appeared in Court and granted the free use and Liberty of his Warehouse there. Also information was made by Thos. Whitmell that the Warehouse at Cashy was lately blown down, and for the old timber agreed to find a house at or near the same place for the Collections to be made, &c. A levy of two shillings on each Tithable was ordered, to pay amounts due the Inspectors and for Locks and bolts for the Court House & Gaol, erecting a whipping Post and Stocks, and fencing in the Court House Lotts with posts and rails and Table for Court House.

(To be continued).

### QUERIES AND ANSWERS.

"My great grand-father George and his father Alexander Breckenridge both fought as Volunteers among the American forces at the Battle of "King's Mountain," Oct. 7, 1780, they were at that time resident in Washington Co., Va., at Wolf Hill, now near the town of Abington. The Elder (Alexander) was a planter and surveyor and it is the real tradition that he and his young son were on a Surveying expedition when the battle was pending and they hastily joined the Patriot forces. They however never received any pay and we have no record of their service except the oral statement as above of my great grand-father to my father. It is my belief that this Alexander Breckenridge took part in the Cherokee Expedition under Col. Wm. Christian in the same year. I have seen it stated in family letters that he served with his brother in Genl. Greene's Army when Lord Cornwallis' forces lay in Virginia. I desire to confirm the above by documentary proof to perfect the Revolutionary record of my Ancestors. Any one knowing of the existence of the requisite evidence will kindly advise

James M. Breckenridge,

12th and Spence Sts., St. Louis, Mo.

Information desired of the descendants of the following officers during the Revolutionary War: Captains Thomas Armstrong, Benjamin Coleman, Gee Bradley, Thomas Callendar, Samuel Denny, John Slaughter, Joseph Montfort.

Lieutenants James Campen, John Campbell, Thomas Finney, Charles Gerrard, William Bush, Thomas Clark, John Foard, Francis Graves, James Moore, Jesse Steed. Cornet, James McDougall. Brigade Chaplain, Rev. James Boyd.

Please address,

John C. Daves,

No. 136 W. Lanvale St., Balto., Md.

Nicholas Smith had two sons James and Arthur, the latter was born Nov. 14, 1732 and md. Anne Ruffin, born Apl. 6, 1737. Issue (1) Molly Smith, (2) Pattie Smith, (3) Winnie Smith, (4) Drew Smith, (5) Arthur Smith, (6) Martha Smith, (7) James Smith, (8) Robert Ruffin Smith, (9) Richard Smith, (10) Anne Bennett Smith, (11) William Ruffin Smith md. Sarah Walton Norfleet of Gates Co., N. C., daughter of Stephen Norfleet and wife Sarah Gordon (daughter of John Gordon and wife ——— Baker.) Abner Andrews born 1728 in Bertie Co., N. C., md. Mary Williams (daughter of George who died in 1735). Issue Stephen, Margaret and John Andrews. John md. 1st in 1779, Winnie Smith, his last wife was Elizabeth Maund Johnston (daughter of Jonas Johnston of the Rev. promoted to the rank of Brigadier-General just before his death on the battle-field of Stono.) Col. Jonas Johnston was the son of Jacob Johnston, of Va., and his wife Mary Waller.

A lady in Tuscaloosa, Ala., desires information of the ancestors of Miss ——— Sorsby of Nash, Co., N. C., who md. James Bozman. She left three children of this marriage (1) Joseph LaFayette Bozman, (2) James Alexander Bozman, (3) Henrietta Bozman, the services of both the Sorsby and Bozman families to the State and in the Rev. War is also desired, as well as the ancestors of both families. Alexander Sorsby and father Samuel Sorsby are the members of the Sorsby family of Nash Co., N. C., whose records we desire. Alexander Sorsby was born in 1771. The Editor of the REGISTER will be glad to have any information of the Bozman family, especially of Chloe Bozman, a member of the Edenton Tea-Party.

We also desire ancestors and descendants of Maj. John Williams who md Mrs. Frances Buxton. Also Buxton Slatter; they were from Halifax or Northampton Co., N. C.

Information desired by a lady in Weathersford, Texas, of Maurice Moore from near Wilmington, N. C. Either Duplin or New Hanover county, N. C. He was about 8 years old at the time of the Rev. War, had two brothers in the War, one named James Moore. Maurice Moore md. Margaret Twilly they were related or connected with the Burtons one of the Moores md. Miss ——— McCaleb; the full name of Maurice Moore's father is desired. Was he in the Rev. War towards its close?

A lady Mrs. M. A. P. of Columbus, Ohio, seeks information relating to the Ancestors and descendants of Friley Jones born about 1790,



his parents died in Bertie county, N. C., about 1799, when Friley Jones was adopted by Wm. McKenzie Clark of Halifax county, N. C., two of his brothers were named James and William, he had a sister Nancy Jones, who md. — Stubbs of N. C. Friley Jones moved to Huntsville, Ala., later to Mississippi and died there in 1877. His wife was a Miss Taylor or Tayloe. (Friley Jones we are quite sure descended from Wm. Fryley, of Tyrrell Co., who died in 1737, his daughter Mary md. James Jones. Wm. Fryley mentions grand-sons Evan and Fryley Jones in his will. The Fryley desired was probably grand-son of Evan or Fryley.—Editor).

We are glad to announce the arrival home of Miss Helen M. Prescott from her trip to England, where she spent six months investigating the records for Genealogical data. She is now engaged in preparing a chart of the Blount family of N. C. back to the Danish Kings, only a limited number will be issued, which can be obtained for \$10 each. Address her at 125 Juniper St., Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Prescott has kindly furnished us with the following items gathered during her research among the English Archives.

"Lewis Bryan, Sr., died 1684 and his widow Mary died 1704.

Lewis Bryan, Jr., died 1751 ae 84 yrs.

Anne wife of Lewis Bryan died 1741, ae 73.

Lewis, son of Lewis Bryan Yeoman, by Mary his wife 1767, ae 13.

Lewis Bryan Yeoman, died 1774, ae 73.

From the Church Register at Bitton, Glenaster, as follows:

A son of Lewis Bryan bapt. 1619.

Lewis Bryan buried Dec. 22, 1662. Also Anne, Benjamin, Hugh, John, Joseph, and Martha Bryan in same Register about this time, and many Wm. Cains at various dates. The most of the Britton Register is published."

On the Register of St. Mary, le Strand, London, appears Symon Bryan son of Edward and Katharine, bapt. Nov. 25, 1619.

In collection of State Papers appears a letter from George Durant Clerk and Vicar of Blocklee, Co. Worcester, to Archbishop Land in 1639. He was probably father of George Durant born 1632 who settled Durant's Neck in Perquiman's Precinct in 1661, the latter George died in 1688, his will probated Feb'y 6, 1693-4, in which he mentions his brother John Durant of London and nephews Henry and George sons of brother John." This looks very much as if there was no foundation whatever for the statement made in nearly every N. C. History, that George Durant of North Carolina was a Quaker.

In Worcester I found the names of early Carolinians, and think many of our first settlers came from that neighborhood, the names Horneblower, Hardeman, Harvey, Hathaway, Heritage, Harwood,

Baker, Ballard, Blake, Bentley, Glover and Cheshire, &c., were thick there."

Whom did Edward Collins, of Bertie Co., N. C., marry? He had daughters Sarah and Elizabeth Collins. Elizabeth Collins md. Michael Hill (son of Nathaniel Hill and wife Elizabeth Hardy daughter of John); issue, (1) Mary Hill. Whom did she marry? (2) Hardy Hill md 1st Janette Bryan, leaving one daughter Elizabeth Hill who md. Jonathan Jacocks III. Mrs. Hardy Hill md. 2nd Thomas Whitmell Pugh. Did Mary Hill marry Wm. Maer? Frances Maer daughter of William md. James Brewer Jordan, issue Rev. William Hill Jordan, who md. Elizabeth Collins Watson, issue Lucy Jordan md Capt. ——— Powell. Any information on the above lines will be highly appreciated.

George Brownrigg was married twice, from his 2nd wife Mrs. Obedience Tart *nee* Thomas (widow of Elnathan Tart) descend the Tarts, Ruffins of Wilson county, N. C., Barnes, etc. The Thomas Family Bible was in the possession of Mrs. Diana Rountree of Wilson, N. C. From George Brownrigg comes (1) Edwin Brownrigg died without issue, (2) Wiley Brownrigg descendants living in Mississippi, (3) Maria A. Brownrigg md. Arnold Borden, of Goldsboro, N. C. (4) Obedience Brownrigg md. John Wright, descendants live at Goldsboro and other places in North Carolina, Mrs. Richmond Waddell is among the number.

Lady of Auburn, Ala., writes that Geo. Washington an old gentleman some 10 years ago, traced his line thus, son of John Washington and wife Elizabeth Heritage Cobb, (daughter of Jesse Cobb and Rachel Whitfield, John Heritage son of William Heritage and wife Susanna Franks, (daughter of Martin Franks). Can any of our readers substantiate this statement?

Mrs. David D. Shelby of Huntsville, Ala., would be pleased to have the record of the descendants of William Eason of Perquimans Co., N. C., who died in 1718 or 1719. He left sons William, Thomas and George. The lady is the grand-daughter of William Eason who md. Anne Lavinia Rootes, they lived and died in Alabama.

Wanted, Abstract of the Will of James Hathaway, born Jan'y 24, 1713-4 at or near Dartmouth, Mass., son of John Hathaway and his 2nd wife Patience ———. The latter were married Sept. 29, 1696. James Hathaway md. 1st Agnes ———. 2nd Ann ———. Would like to have names of his children by each wife. Also Surname of John Hathaway's wife, also of James Hathaway's two wives. Can any of our New England readers assist us. Perhaps the New England Historic Genealogical Society, 18 Somerset St., Boston, can.

M. C. Balkcom, of Macon, Ga., desires information of Baruch Balkcom born in Attleboro, Mass., Jan. 12, 1702, settled in Bath Co., N. C., and died there leaving children, his grand-son Ichabod Balkcom was born in N. C., and had a son James born in North Carolina in 1810 and removed to Twiggs Co., Ga. Please make out the line from Ichabod to Baruch Balkcom and their families if possible.

The descendants of Mrs. Winnefred Hoskins, Sect'y of the Edenton Tea-Party, are respectfully requested to send us a record of their branch of the family, as we are preparing for publication the record of her descendants, under the head of the Edenton Tea-Party. Kindly send it to us at once. We especially need the names, &c., of the children of Edmund Hoskins and wife Elizabeth Blount, whom they married, &c., brought down to the present. Edmund Hoskins removed from Chowan Co., N. C., to Columbus, Mississippi, about 1830.

Lady in Norfolk, Va., desires to know of Aaron Alexander and his father David, who came from Pennsylvania to Mecklenburg Co., N. C., after 1747. She wishes to know exactly where in Mecklenburg County he settled, date of his marriage to Jane Brown Ross and date of his death and names of his children besides John Brown Alexander and their connection with the Rev. War. Also births and records of any Browns, Rosses or Polks of that county or other parts of the State who intermarried with this line of Alexanders of whom there were a numerous Colony in Mecklenburg Co., N. C. Aaron Alexander was a planter near Charlotte. Anything the reader may know of these lines will be greatly appreciated.

A lady in Selma, Ala., enquires with reference to Ezekiel Slocumb and Mary Hooks of Revolutionary fame. Ancestry of both desired. She desires the family record traced from father to son—thinks John Charles Slocumb was the father of Ezekiel, and then back if possible to Anthony Slocumb, who died about 1690, aged 98 years. Hope some of our readers have the desired information. Anthony was very prominent in the Colony. He left a son John who moved from Albemarle County to Bath County, N. C.

With this number we complete Vol. II of the REGISTER. We thank the kind friends who have sustained us thus far, with their patronage. We shall enter upon Vol. III immediately and hope our patrons will renew their subscriptions at once. Our list of subscribers is not what it should be. We are working hard to get out the records and have a right to expect sufficient encouragement to maintain the work.

Christopher Gale, afterwards Chief Justice of North Carolina, md. Mrs. Sarah Harvey *nee* Laker (widow of Gov. Thomas Harvey). Among their issue son Miles Gale md. 1st ———. Who? 2nd Augt. 6, 1745. Sarah Vail, by his 1st marriage Sarah Gale md. 1st Thomas Corprew (his 2nd wife), he md. 1st Mrs. Ann Buncombe (widow of Joseph Buncombe uncle of Col. Edward Buncombe and daughter of George Durant and wife Hagar Crisp). She md. 2nd Genl. William Skinner (son of Richard Skinner and wife Sarah Creecy) born Feb'y 25, 1730 died Jan'y 26, 1798. Mrs. Sarah Skinner was born Aug. 2, 1729, died March 29, 1795. Genl. William Skinner md. 2nd June 26, 1795, Mrs. Dorothy McDonald (widow of Wm. McDonald and daughter of Samuel Black and wife Mrs. Frances Glass, widow of James Glass). Mrs. Dorothy Skinner md. 3rd John Mushrow Roberts). Issue Penelope Skinner born 1764, died 1802, md. Lemuel Creecy born 1756, died Feb. 21, 1816. Issue Joshua Skinner Creecy born 1787, died 1817, md. Oct. 3, 1807 Mary Benbury (daughter of Genl. Richard Benbury). Issue (1) Col. Richard Benbury Creecy, Editor Elizabeth City Economist, (2) Gristopher Gale Creecy, (3) Penelope M. Creecy md. Dr. David M. Wright, (4) Elizabeth Ann Creecy.

The Indian legend of Virginia Dare, has been beautifully and elegantly *immortalized* in verse by Mrs. Sallie Southall Cotten, of Bruce, Pitt Co., N. C. In "The White Doe" a copy of which is on our table, the talented Authoress has won for herself a literary reputation that will live as long as the memory of man recalls the birth of the first white child in America. The book can be obtained of Mrs. Cotten, by mail. As a sufficient recommendation of the work we append in full the "Prologue."

"In the tomb of vanished ages sleep th' ungarnered truths of Time,  
Where the pall of silence covers deeds of honor and of crime;  
Deeds of sacrifice and danger, which the careless earth forgets,  
There in ever-deep'ning Shadows, lie embalmed in mute regrets.  
Would-be-gleaners of the Present vainly grope amid this gloom;  
Flowers of Truth to be immortal must be gathered while they bloom,  
Else they pass into the Silence, Man's neglect their only blight,  
And the Gleaner of the Ages stores them far from human sight.  
Yet a perfume, sweet and subtle, lingers where each flower grew,  
Rising from the shattered petals, bathed and freshened by the dew;  
And this perfume, in the twilight, forms a mist beneath the skies,  
Out of which, like airy phantoms, legends and traditions rise:  
For the Seeds of Truth are buried in a legend's inmost heart,  
To transplant them in the sunlight justifies the poet's art."

## The North Carolina Booklet.

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The Editors of the North Carolina Booklet announce that should a sufficient number of subscriptions be received to warrant the publication of the North Carolina Booklet, it will be issued monthly, as heretofore, for another year, beginning May 10th, 1902. The following being the proposed list of subjects:

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THE NORTH CAROLINA HISTORICAL AND GENEALOGICAL REGISTER, will be published quarterly, beginning in January, 1900. It will contain, an abstract of the public records compiled from the originals, in the office of the Secretary of State, at Raleigh, N. C., and those of the Counties of Chowan, Perquimans, Pasquotank, Camden, Currituck, Tyrrell, Washington, Beaufort, Bertie, Northampton, and Halifax, in North Carolina, and the counties of Surry, and Isle of Wight, in the State of Virginia.

In addition to its valuable historical lore, it will be of great assistance to those desirous of tracing their family history, together with the collateral branches of their family, back to the early settlement of the country. There will be no necessity to investigate the public records of the counties named, for this purpose, by the subscribers to this publication, as it will contain every item that can be found, relating to the personal, as well as the public history of the counties above mentioned. It will contain articles from the pens of eminent writers throughout the State, well acquainted with the historical events that have transpired within North Carolina.

Its columns will be open to receive, collate, and preserve the history of the State.

There will be also a department, through which enquiries can be made relative to families, and their genealogy, by this means information can be secured, that could not be otherwise obtained.

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